

# WHAT'S HAPPENING

What's Happening at the Biomedical Science Careers Program!

October 2023 Edition

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On behalf of the BSCP Board of Directors and the students BSCP supports THANK YOU!

Together, at this week's Evening of Hope, we raised over \$1,000,000 for BSCP programming initiatives.

It is so very important to us to acknowledge and celebrate the collective effort that has gone into making sure BSCP can continue to support our students, fellows and alumni at no cost to them. It is a testament to the collaborative and supportive nature of our partnerships.

Once again, thank you to our community, your generosity and commitment are truly appreciated.



# RESOURCES

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### SKILLS WORKSHOPS FOR HIGH SCHOOL & COLLEGE STUDENTS

Harvard Medical School Saturday, November 18, 2023

\*Deadline to apply Monday, October 30, 2023

These workshops provide students with information and guidance in areas of academic and workforce skills. A special session for parents/caregivers and an Internship Fair will also take place. *Co-sponsored with Harvard Medical School.* 

This program is for post-baccalaureates, college and community college students, high school seniors, juniors, and sophomores (particularly Black/African-American, Hispanic/LatinX, and American Indian/Alaska Native Students) and provides information and guidance in areas such as the application process for college and medical/graduate/professional schools, interviewing skills, financial planning, resume writing, and internship opportunities.

### **KEYNOTE SPEAKER**

Jonathan Abraham, M.D., Ph.D.
Associate Professor of Microbiology
Harvard Medical School
Associate Physician in Infectious Diseases
Brigham & Women's Hospital
Former BSCP Student and Hope Scholar

### Session topics include:

Application Process for Medical/Dental School
Application Process for Graduate School
Application Process for Health Professional School
Tips for Resume, Cover Letter, and Interviewing Skills
Internships and Summer Opportunities Panel
Community College Pathways
Finances and Your Education
Student Panel
Internship Fair

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#### HIGHLIGHT

Our laptop fund is open!
Thanks to our partner,
Cytiva, we have refurbished
laptops available for those
in need. **Click here**!

Applications are available now, email Ahmed Azim at ahmed\_azim@hms.harvard.edu





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### **New England Science Symposium Abstract Feedback Session**

Saturday, December 2, 2023 (11 AM to 12:30 PM EST)

This is a virtual prep session designed for individuals who wish to receive feedback on their abstract from advisors and peers before submitting it. The meeting will be set-up in small groups (5-7 individuals) where students will give 2-4-minute elevator pitch to the group. Participating in this session is not required, nor does it guarantee acceptance. Co-Sponsored with Harvard Medical School

**Harvard Biotech Club Career Fair** (in person) – Free and open to All Students and Trainees. Monday, 6 November from 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM; New Research Building, Harvard Medical School. Click **here** for more information and to register.

#### INTERNSHIPS & CO-OPS

**Dana-Farber/Harvard Cancer Center** is excited to announce that the Center is now accepting applications for the 2024 cycle of programs. These are paid cancer research internships that support students in developing scientific research skills and exploring careers in STEM.

The <u>YES for CURE</u> program is a 2.5-year comprehensive, holistic, and integrative training initiative for underrepresented and/or disadvantaged high school and undergraduate students. This program embeds career and college coaching and family and supporter engagement throughout the experience. \*\*Applications are due November 27, 2023.\*\* Click <u>here</u> for more information.



## LET US KNOW IF YOU APPLY!

Being a BSCP Student, gives you access to our partners! We will frequently post jobs as well as internships, co-ops, scholarships and exclusive opportunities sent to us directly by our partners in biotech and academia! If you happen to apply to any of these listings, always mention BSCP's name and also let us know by emailing Pinar Kilicci-Kret at (pinar\_kilicci-kret@hms.harvard.edu)

**Bristol Myers Squibb** has lots of internship and co-op positions available! At BMS you are joining a diverse, high-achieving team united by a common mission. You'll pursue innovative ideas while advancing professionally alongside some of the brightest minds in biopharma. With our emphasis on inclusion, employee engagement, and collaborative teams, you can expect to find dynamic support and unique resources to drive your career forward. Click **here** to view more than dozen open internship and co-op opportunities!

**Weymouth Pediatrics PC** is a thriving pediatric medical practice dedicated to providing compassionate care to children and their families. We are looking for a motivated and enthusiastic intern to join our team and gain hands-on experience in a medical office environment. If you are enthusiastic about pursuing a career in pediatrics and want to gain valuable experience in a medical office, please email your resume and a brief cover letter outlining your interest and qualifications to sasha.hussain21@gmail.com





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### MEDICAL SCHOOL STUDENTS

Research and Mentorship Program (RAMP) - The HIV Vaccine Trials Network, in collaboration with the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases of the National Institutes of Health, is investing in a young generation of HIV prevention researchers by providing African American/Black, Hispanic/Latinx, Native American/American Indian, Native Hawaiian, Asian and Pacific Islander medical students with opportunities to conduct independent research while receiving mentoring, project and salary funding, training, and professional development opportunities. The complete Request for Applications can be found here.

**Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (LLS)** believes a diverse scientific work force is critical to achieving our mission of curing all blood cancers. Our Underrepresented Minority Medical Student Research Program provides minority medical students opportunities to experience cutting-edge research alongside experienced blood cancer scientists. Students will perform laboratory research for one year and will be provided with \$75,000 for living expenses and up to \$5,000 for relocation costs. Application deadline is December 15, 2023. Click **here** for more information.

#### **ALSO CHECK OUT:**

### BSCP EDUCATIONAL RELIEF FUND

(Formerly COVID-19
Educational Relief Fund) is
for BSCP students/fellows
whose education is
impacted by unexpected
roadblocks and hardship.
Click here to learn more.

### PERFECT FOR POST DOCS

**NIH** - The Division of Intramural Research, National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders (NIDCD), located in Bethesda, MD, is seeking a Staff Clinician (High Scarcity – HS), Otolaryngologist-Head and Neck Surgeon, to serve as the Chief of Otolaryngology-Head Neck Surgery Service (COHNSS) that provides clinical care, research, and training. Candidates must possess an M.D. or D.O., and board-eligibility or board certification in Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery is highly preferred. Click **here** to learn more.

**Harvard Medical School** - The HMS Curriculum Fellows Program & HMS Center for Computational Biomedicine are hiring a Curriculum Fellow in Artificial Intelligence/Machine Learning. The expected start date is approximately April 1st, 2024. The selected candidate must hold a Ph.D. by the time of appointment. Click **here** to apply. The deadline to apply is November 1, 2023.

**PHRMA Foundation** - The webinar, Crafting Clear, Compelling Research Aims, will take place Nov. 1 from 2:00-3:00 p.m. ET and feature University of Washington professor David Veenstra, PharmD, PhD, discussing how to write a concise, realistic aims page to capture the attention of grant reviewers. This webinar is a great opportunity to hone these important skills before applications open next month for the PhRMA Foundation's Translational Medicine and Value Assessment-Health Outcomes Research grants and fellowships. Click **here** to register for the November 1st webinar.



### LINKS

Helpful links to sites we love



### **NEW ENGLAND BASED**

**Boston Scholarship Fund** 

**Educational Opportunity Centers Program** 

**FAFSA Day Massachusetts** 

**Tuition Break** 

**Mass Transfer** 

**Massachusetts Education and Career Opportunities** 

<u>MEFA (Massachusetts Educational Financing</u> <u>Authority)</u>

### **ALL US RESIDENTS**

A Guide to Resources for Low Income Students

Pathways to Science

Get Me to College

**Diversity Fly-In Programs** 

**Become** 

Coalition for Access, Affordability & Success

**Scholarships by State** 

**Scholarships for Women Engineers** 

### SAVE THE DATE

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