

**Seoul National University (SNU) College of Medicine
and the University of Minnesota (UofM) Medical School
Exchange Program Award**

The Seoul National University (SNU) College of Medicine/University of Minnesota (UofM) Medical School Student International Study Award was created through an endowment established in 2002 by generous donations from alumni of the SNU College of Medicine. The purpose of this award is to encourage an exchange of medical students seeking educational experiences in international health issues and to enable medical students to study in another country. The awards are intended to support a wide variety of student projects in basic and applied research, clinical work and public health. The clinical/research experiences may be on site at the receiving institution or at an affiliated facility.

Eligibility: Current University of Minnesota medical student or South Korean medical student (priority given to students from SNU)

Number and amount of awards: Determined each year by the program fund balance within the Minnesota Medical Foundation

Procedure/basis for selection of awardees: In applying for the award, students will provide a brief (one-page) description of the proposed experience, identifying academic center or health care center, supervisor(s) and proposed activities. The application will include a description of how the experience may enhance the student's perspective on medical care. Applications will be judged on the quality of the medical experience itself and the student's statement. The time frame of the international elective should be no less than 4 weeks with higher priority given to those electives lasting 6-8 weeks.

Students are expected to prepare a two to three page report which will be filed with the International Medical Education and Research (IMER) Office within 30 days of the student's return from abroad. The report along with the preceptor's report from the international institution will be required for academic credit.

Details for application: Applications, generally from 3rd and 4th year medical students, are reviewed each year and are due in the IMER program office by June 30th. The IMER Awards Committee will review applications by July 15th, after consultation with MMF, notification of awards will be sent to medical students and to Dr. Neal L. Gault by July 30. Checks will be issued by MMF and are to be picked up in the IMER Office prior to the student's departure

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**Administered by the
UofM International Medical Education & Research (IMER) Program Office**

APPLICATION

Application deadline June 30th

Student's name (*please print*): _____

Student's home institution: _____

Student's email address: _____ Student ID#: _____

Year of graduation: _____ Name of home institution faculty advisor: _____

Prior international experience, including approximate dates of experience: _____

Proposed Program

Site: _____

Type of experience (clinical, research): _____

Name of foreign site mentor or supervisor: _____

Date of proposed experience: _____

Objectives of the program (*please use additional page if necessary*):