

Program Objectives

- **Opportunity for students** who plan on pursuing advanced degrees in medicine, law, business or nursing and who want to develop their leadership skills by addressing the social, medical, legal, economic and moral issues facing health care systems
- **Seminars conducted by distinguished** faculty from the Law and Medical schools
- **Practical experience** ranging from health care delivery to development of national public policy by observing: physicians practice in clinics, the UVA Ethics Consult Service consider cases and the Center for American Progress in Washington D.C. debate a public policy issue
- **Opportunity to publish a research paper** in the Center for Biomedical Ethics newsletter, *Bioethics Matters*, (reaching 1,200 individuals and institutions) and a potential opportunity to present a case study research paper to invited guests, fellow students and faculty
- **Opportunity to work with interdisciplinary** faculty in a small group setting
- **Interdisciplinary learning approach** to business, law, medicine and health care stakeholders
- **Ability to identify healthcare stakeholders** and their healthcare delivery systems, values and issues that impact their effectiveness

Program in Ethics and Policy in Health Care
Center for Biomedical Ethics & Humanities
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Intensive Scholars Institute: Leadership and Healthcare Ethics

Offered by
The Program in Ethics and
Policy in Health Care
Center for Biomedical Ethics
and Humanities
University of Virginia

June 1—June 26, 2009
Four Week Course
Mornings & Afternoons
Five Days a Week

Institute Mission:

To lay the groundwork for transformational leadership in healthcare systems through the use of a small hands-on interdisciplinary approach to learning coupled with practical experience under the direction of distinguished faculty from the Law and Medical Schools and visiting healthcare industry leaders.

Open to all Undergraduate and Graduate
Students
(may already hold a B.A. or B.S. degree)
Selection is Competitive
All Applications are
reviewed by the Admissions Committee



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Leaders in the business, medical and legal worlds are looking for a generation of future leaders who are capable of developing a vision that extends beyond the expected skill sets in their respective professions and who demonstrate the ability to identify, understand and manage the ethical conflicts that impact contemporary societies world-wide. Consequently, graduate admissions officers at medical, business and law schools are looking for candidates who meet these criteria.

Institute Topics Addressed

- Public Health ▪ Global Health
- Healthcare Delivery Systems
- Human Subjects Research and Patents
- Pharmaceuticals, Biotechnology and Device Industries
- Healthcare Professionalism
- Conflicts of Interest

Additional Activities

- Tours ▪ Physician Shadowing
- Meet UVA and Healthcare Industry Leaders
- Opportunity to Join the Center for Global Health's Scholar Program

"The institute was a wonderful introduction and education in the ethical issues surrounding the healthcare system. Not only was the material fascinating, but the faculty were varied, extremely knowledgeable and of impressive statures within their fields. Their focus on the students' futures and their wonderfully down-to-earth approach was both refreshing and reassuring."
Will McLean, Institute Student

"The summer ethics program was amazing. You learn about issues the healthcare industry faces that you may never have thought of, and the faculty is as supportive as ever."
Lillian Man, Institute Student

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Application and \$35 Processing Fee
Deadline: March 28, 2009

Cost: \$3,500

Limited scholarships available
(Does not include housing)

For more information and an application, please visit our website:
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