



# Fellowship in Academic Pharmacy



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## About the Program

The Fellowship in Academic Pharmacy at the University of Houston College of Pharmacy (UHCOP) is a 12-month postgraduate training opportunity for practicing pharmacists to obtain advanced practice, teaching and research experience with a member institution of the Texas Medical Center (TMC), the world's largest medical center with more than 50 health-system, academic and non-profit healthcare related institutions.

The purpose of the program is to prepare pharmacists for a career in pharmacy education through training in teaching, curriculum development, college service, mentoring, scholarship, and clinical practice. The fellow will be exposed to a variety of teaching responsibilities, such as lecturing, facilitating small group-based learning, course coordination, and student assessment. In addition to extensive academic experience, the fellow will also participate in direct patient care rotations based on their fields of interest.

The training year will consist of approximately 60-70% teaching and academic related duties and 30-40% clinical practice. Highlights of the training program include participating for the entire year on a college committee, extensive teaching experience and flexible clinical practice opportunities. At the end of the training program, the academic fellow will be well prepared for a career in academia.

The fellow will be based out of UHCOP's new nine-story, 300,000-square-foot Health and Biomedical Sciences Building 2, which opened in July 2017 and features Sterile Products Laboratory, OSCE (Objective Structured Clinical Examination) Suites, active-learning classrooms, and other state-of-the-art instructional and research facilities.

# Selected Fellowship Activities

## Core Learning Experiences

- College Orientation and TA Training
- Curriculum/Assessment
- Student Affairs and Admissions
- Department/College Administration
- Experiential Education
- Skills Lab Creation and Teaching
- Research
- Classroom Technology
- Pharmacy Practice (Clinical Rotations)



## Elective Learning Experiences

- Interprofessional Education; Co-Curriculum; M.S. in Pharmacy Leadership & Administration; Repeat of a previous rotation

## Longitudinal Learning Experience

- Creation and delivery of didactic lectures, with assessment items (assigned each semester)
- Teaching in skills labs (assigned each semester)
- Participate in student assessments and portfolio reviews (assigned each semester)
- Actively participate in Curriculum, Assessment and Admissions/Progressions committees (3 months each)
- Develop preceptor CE to be delivered at spring conference
- Design, conduct and carry out all aspects related to a major research project (scholarship of teaching)
- Precept co-curricular student experiences as weekend work responsibility (health fairs, clinics, etc.)



# Eligibility & Application Requirements

- Pharm.D. degree and PGY-1 residency training (or equivalent experience)
- Pharmacy Licensure within State of Texas
- Curriculum Vitae & Letter of Intent
- 3 Letters of Reference
- College of Pharmacy Transcript
- Passport size quality photo

Applications due December 31 for the cohort starting the following August.

Please send all correspondence, including application documents, to:

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## About the University of Houston College of Pharmacy



Founded in 1946, UHCOP combines the opportunities and experiences of the Texas Medical Center's world-class healthcare community with resources of UH, a Carnegie-designated Tier One research university, to offer its students the best possible education in pharmacy. A proud member of the TMC for more than 30 years, UHCOP is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education.



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