

DIVERSITY VIP SCHOLARSHIP

UAB Department of Dermatology is committed to supporting a diverse population of dermatologists to meet the diverse needs of our city, state, and country. We understand that an essential way to meet this goal is to support diversity, equity and inclusion through the education of UIM medical students with interests in dermatology. Thus, we are delighted to offer this year two scholarships to support a visiting rotation at UAB Department of Dermatology.

The Rotation

This two to four week visiting rotation at UAB Dermatology will provide MS4 medical students with intensive clinical experience in the diagnosis and management of skin disease for those interested in pursuing dermatology as a career. It will include the following:

1. Daily attendance in assigned clinic (these clinics could include general dermatology, cosmetic dermatology, pediatric dermatology, dermatology consult service, and other subspecialty clinics)
2. Attendance at weekly didactic sessions including Grand Rounds and Kodachromes
3. Presentation of a dermatologic topic of interest at the end of rotation
4. Meeting with an assigned faculty advisor

The Stipend

Each recipient of the scholarship will receive a \$1,500 stipend to help cover travel, housing, and other living expenses.

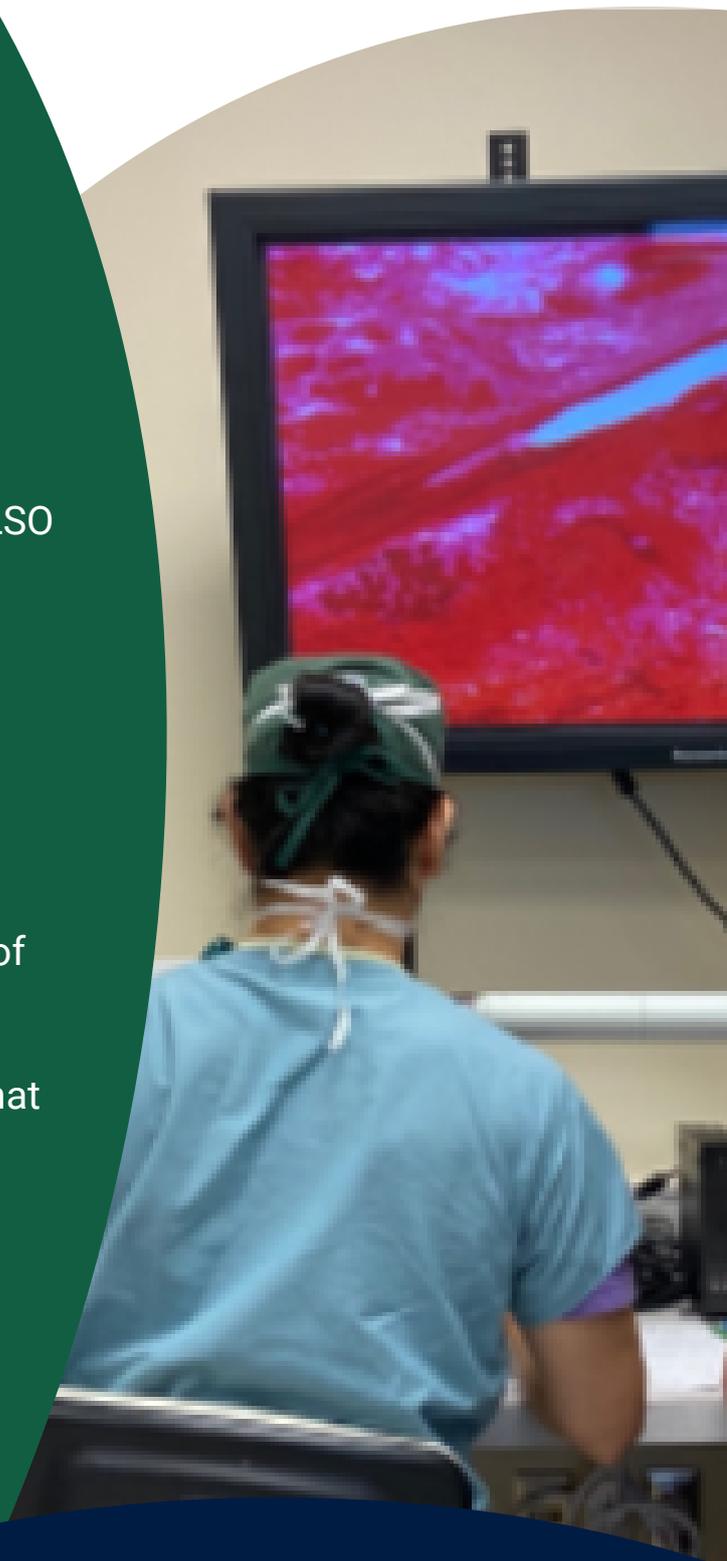
Deadline

Applications will be
accepted through June 1,
2022

Application Requirements

1. A completed application through the VLISO platform. This will include uploading
 - a. current medical school transcript
 - b. current CV
 - c. USMLE Step 1 Score Report or COMPLEX Score Report
2. One letter of recommendation
3. A completed secondary application

Please submit the application and letter of recommendation in pdf form to ashleyvfoster@uabmc.edu. Include in the same email confirmation that your VSLO application is complete.



AAAMC's definition of Underrepresented in Medicine (UIM): "Underrepresented in medicine means those racial and ethnic populations that are underrepresented in the medical profession relative to their numbers in the general population." See [Underrepresented in Medicine Definition | AAMC](#) for more information.

Diversity Visiting Institution Program
(VIP) Scholarship
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Diversity VIP Scholarship Application

Applicant Information:

Name:

Email Address:

Phone:

Preferred Gender Pronoun:

Medical School (name, city, and state):

Expected Graduation Date:

Specific Interest within Dermatology (optional):

Have you been subject to disciplinary action or review by your training institution?

If so, please explain.

Applicant Questions:

What is your ethnic or racial background?

Do you come from a disadvantaged background?

Are you a first-generation college student?

Do you identify as a sexual or gender minority?

Do you have a physical disability?

Does your medical school offer a dermatology rotation?

Preferred Rotation Dates:

Choice 1:

Choice 2:



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Statement of Purpose: Please describe below your interest in dermatology as well as goals for this rotation (500 word limit).