The 10th Summer Institute on Migration and Global Health will take place from June 22-24th in Oakland, CA and the Research Workshop will be held on June 25th at UC Berkeley. The Institute provides a unique forum for researchers, faculty, graduate students, postdoctoral scholars, and non-academic professionals working with migrant communities around the world to discuss a broad range of health issues that affect migrating populations.

As a special track of the Summer Institute, the UCGHI Center of Expertise on Migration and Health (COEMH), in partnership with the Health Initiative of the Americas (HIA) and the Migration and Health Research Center (MAHRC), will offer a Research Training Workshop for graduate students, recent postdoctoral scholars, and junior faculty attending the Institute.

The Research Training Workshop will feature presentations of ongoing or recently completed research relating to migration and health undertaken by graduate students, recent postdocs, and junior faculty throughout the UC system. UC faculty members will serve as discussants, providing expert feedback on the students’ work and commenting on its relevance to their own research. The workshop organizing committee will seek publication of selected papers in a peer-reviewed journal.

Topics appropriate for workshop presentation include, but are not limited to:

- Socioeconomic, behavioral, cultural, and legal determinants of migrants’ health
- Occupational and environmental health issues confronting migrants
- Health issues for children in immigrant families
- Health outcomes in migrants’ communities of origin and destination
- Economic and policy issues in delivery of health care to migrant populations
- Innovative methodology for the study of migration and health
WHO CAN PARTICIPATE

Graduate students, postdoctoral scholars and junior faculty based at all UC campuses, including professional school students, who register for the Summer Institute are invited to apply for admission to the Workshop. The organizing committee will select participants based on the quality of the proposals, relevance to COEMH research objectives, and disciplinary, campus, and gender representation. All participants may request financial support to cover the registration fee for the Summer Institute and non-local participants may request financial support to cover travel and lodging expenses. All participants are expected to attend the full Summer Institute.

HOW TO APPLY

By **April 18**, send a proposal containing the following elements to: Heather Riden, heriden@ucdavis.edu

- Description of your research Project (see specifications below)
- Your curriculum vitae
- Letter of support from your principal faculty mentor

RESEARCH PROJECT DESCRIPTION REQUIREMENTS

The document describing your research project should be between 2-4 pages long (excluding references), double-spaced and using 11 or 12pt font size. The description should include the following elements:

- Title
- Rationale for the project
- Research design, methods, and data sets
- Principal findings
- Significance of results, for the research field and public policy
- References (selected)

*All documents should be submitted in electronic form (Word or PDF format).*

*Selected applicants will need to submit a full manuscript prior to the workshop.*

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR QUESTIONS PLEASE CONTACT:

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