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Cornell University Division of Nutritional Sciences *Experiential Learning Opportunity Petition*

All Global & Public Health Sciences (GPHS) majors and students pursuing a Global Health minor are required to fill out this petition. You are strongly encouraged to submit a separate petition for each opportunity for which you apply (as opposed to after being offered a placement or position).

The ELO must be a MINIMUM duration of 6 weeks and 150 hours of engagement.

An ELO must meet the following criteria:

1. Be hosted by an organization, institution, or research lab with a global/public health-focused mission that is addressing challenges or issues in the field.
2. Be engaged in a supportive work environment that has a qualified global/public health professional who can provide guidance and oversight.
3. Be provided opportunities that allow for the application of classroom learning in order to gain a deeper understanding of the complexities of global/public health issues.
4. Have a clearly articulated scope of substantive work (position description) agreed upon by both the student, their on-site supervisor, and the Division of Nutritional Sciences.
5. *(Not mandatory, but strongly encouraged)* Allow the opportunity for direct engagement with community members in a meaningful, mutually-beneficial manner.

Student Information:

Name: netID: CU ID:

Program of Study: College: Grad Term/Year:

ELO Program Information:

Host Organization Name:

Link to Host Organization website:

Link to Internship description or call for applicants:

Site where you will be completing ELO (city, state, country):

Is this area on the State Department Warning List?

Will this ELO be in-person, virtual, or a combination?

ELO Start Date: ELO End Date:

Number of Weeks: Hours Per Week:

If known, please provide the following:

ELO Supervisor Name:

ELO Supervisor Contact Information (phone number and email address):

1. Write a description of your role and the work you'll be doing. Provide as much detail as you can, including information about the programs or projects on which you'll be working as well as specific tasks in which you'll be engaged.

2. How does this experience relate to your interest within Global and/or Public Health?

3. How will this experience build upon your academic training (coursework) in Global and/or Public Health? List specific courses you've taken, the material you learned, and how it is relevant to the work you'll be doing.

4. How do you hope to contribute to the lab, organization or community with whom you will be working? What skills and knowledge will you bring to this experience?

Please upload your completed petition along with a current resume or CV to the [DNS-ELO Canvas assignment](#). Once you have submitted this petition, send an email to dnsstudentservices@cornell.edu.

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