

DIVERSITY VIP SCHOLARSHIP

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UAB Department of Dermatology is committed to supporting a diverse population of dermatologists to meet the needs of our city and state. We understand that an essential way to meet this goal is to support the education of medical students who are interested in dermatology as well as working with diverse populations and addressing health disparities. Thus, we are excited to announce that we are currently accepting applications for the 2024 Diversity VIP (Visiting Student Preceptorship) Scholarship to support a visiting rotation at UAB Dermatology.

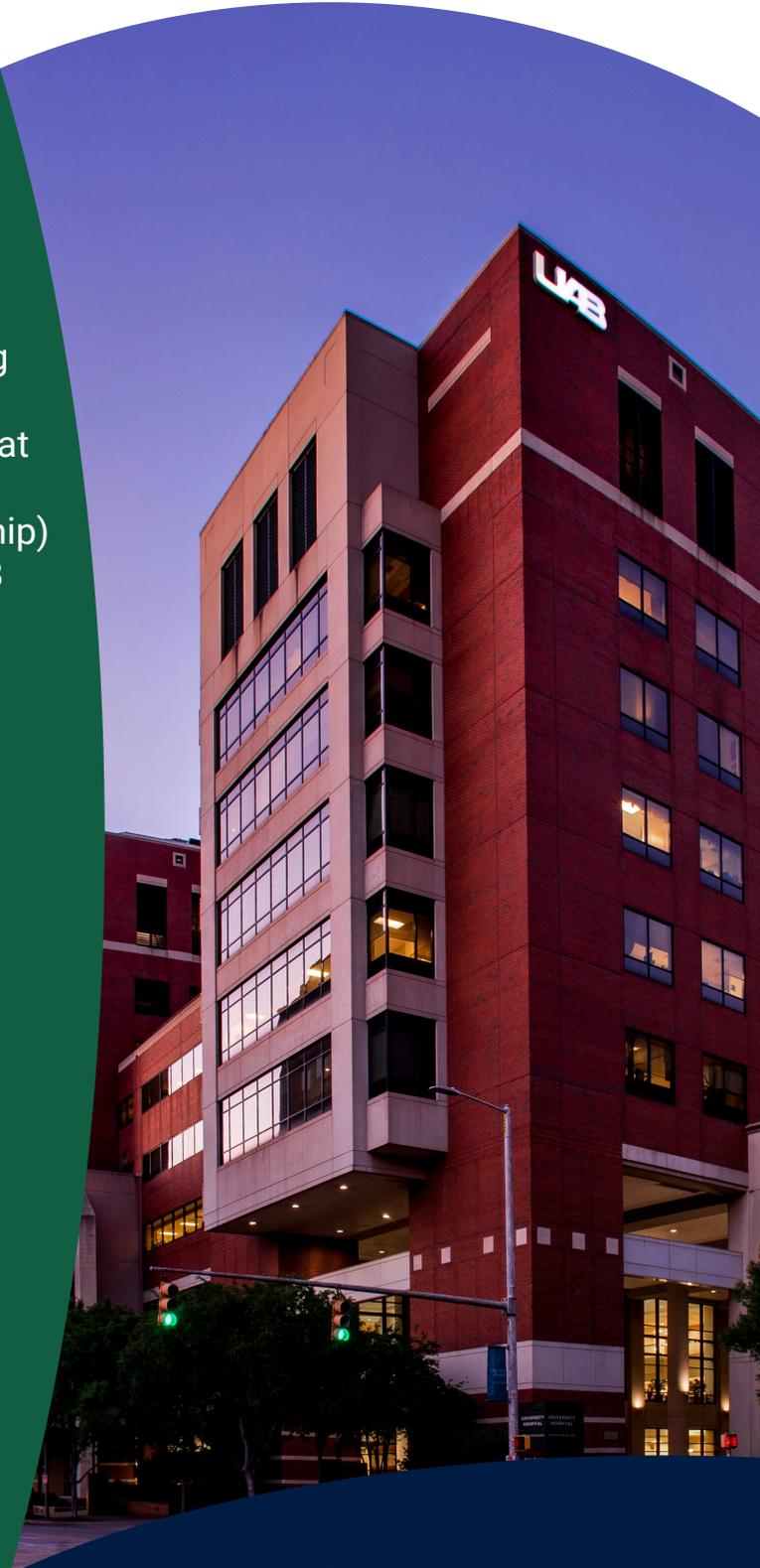
The Rotation

This two to four week visiting rotation will provide medical students in their 4th year 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. Meetings with an assigned faculty advisor

The Stipend

Each recipient of the scholarship will receive a \$1,000 stipend to help cover travel, housing, and other living expenses.



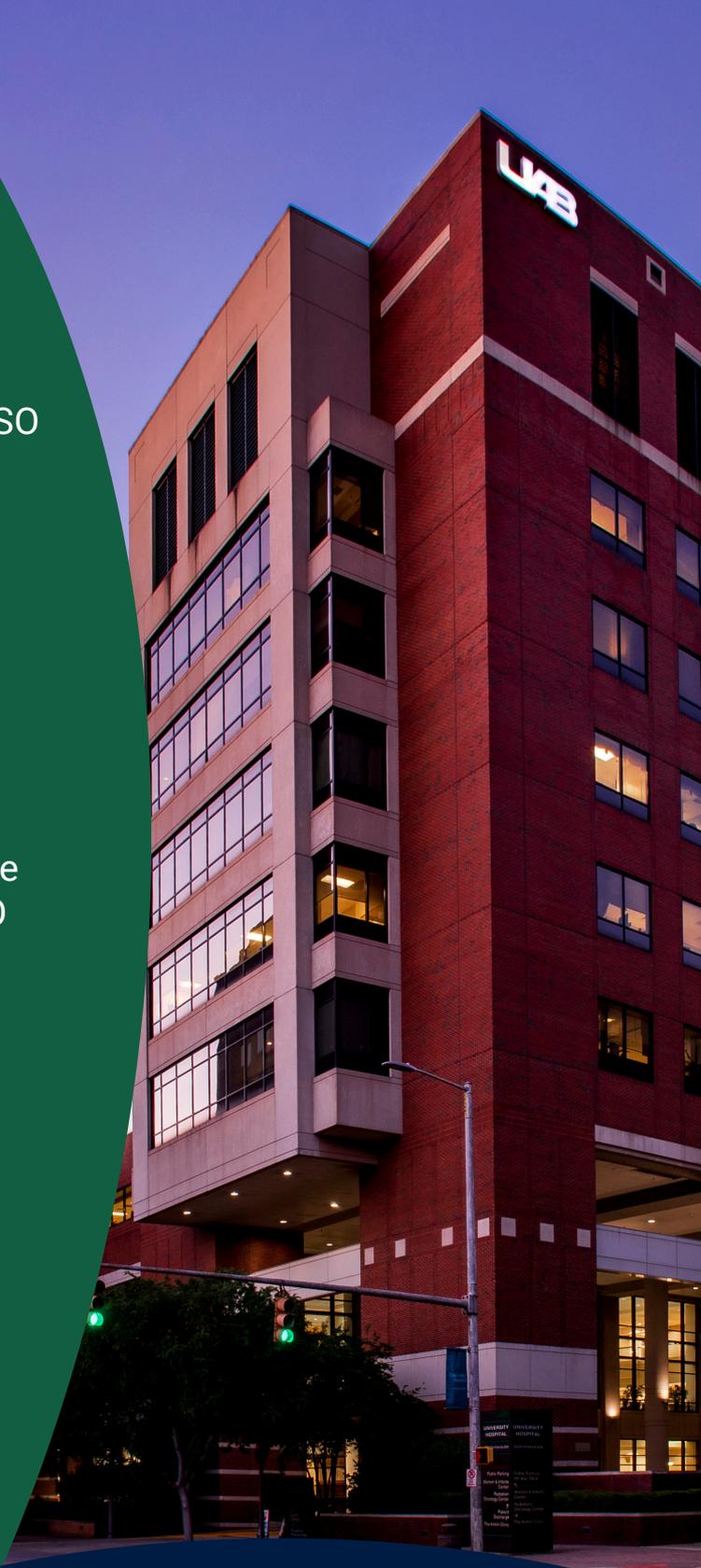
Application Requirements

1. A completed application through the VLSO 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
4. 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.

Deadline

Applications will be accepted through April 30, 2024.

Diversity Visiting Student Preceptorship Scholarship
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Dermatology 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:

Are you a first-generation college student?

Does your medical school offer a dermatology rotation?

How do you advocate or contribute to the diversity in your current institution/community?

Please describe any challenges you have faced in your life's journey. These can pertain to origin culture/community, socioeconomic hardships, or any other barriers.



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Preferred Rotation Dates:

Choice 1:

Choice 2:

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