

Mary Heersink Institute for Global Health

Hands-on experiences in global health are essential for inspiring the next generation of innovators and for building a workforce equipped to address health challenges worldwide.

The primary goal of the Global Health Travel Awards Program, an initiative of the UAB Mary Heersink Institute for Global Health (MHIGH), is to support transformative global health experiences in research, education, and service. The Program seeks to reduce financial barriers to global

health engagement and to establish a sustainable pathway for ongoing, bidirectional collaboration. To ensure the longevity of this impact, philanthropic contributions will support the creation of an endowment dedicated to sustaining the Program for future generations.



The Global Health Travel Awards Program, an initiative of the UAB Mary Heersink Institute for Global Health (MHIGH), provides critical funding to support transformative global health experiences in research, education, and service. Philanthropic contributions will establish an endowed fund to sustain its long-term impact, supporting global engagement through the following priorities:

Support International Collaboration

Provide travel between UAB and global partner institutions to promote bidirectional collaboration, enhancing the development of the global health workforce.

- Promote Academic Exchange & Innovation
 - Support transformative experiences in research, education, clinical service, and fieldwork.
- Strengthen Global Partnership

Cultivate and grow global relationships through scholarly exchange, mentorship opportunities, and joint programming

Your support reduces financial barriers, fosters innovation, strengthens international partnerships, and supports the training of the next generation of global health leaders. By contributing to the establishment of an endowment, you help ensure the long-term sustainability of the Global Health Travel Awards Program and advance global equity in health for years to come.

Thank you for thoughtfully considering this opportunity to support the Global Health Travel Awards Program.

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A goal of the **Mary Heersink Institute for Global Health** is to improve overall health and well-being and promote equity in health outcomes among people around the world. The institute aims to establish a coordinated, comprehensive, and sustainable infrastructure that fosters educational opportunities, facilitates high-quality biomedical research, and provides multidirectional services, capacity building, and mutual support to address pressing global health challenges.

