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Information Sessions and Career Fairs

Register Now to attend the Virtual Fair on September 18th!

Want to meet a Public Health Representative in Person?

Sign up to attend a This Is Public Health event near you or a virtual fair this fall.

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Student Activities and Events
**WeGo Project Looking for Volunteers**

Hi Public Health Majors! My name is Brad Parsons and I wanted to share an exciting opportunity to work with myself and a few others on a 501c3 nonprofit that utilizes telepresence robots to connect pediatric inpatients at Johns Hopkins Hospital with local Baltimore attractions. Check out our website to learn more ([http://www.wegoproject.org/](http://www.wegoproject.org/)). We are looking for people to volunteer with us in the hospital as well as join the team and help with marketing, grant writing, and leadership. This is a great opportunity to get independent hospital experience and interaction! Feel free to contact me at bparso10@jhu.edu or email us at wegofoundation@gmail.com if you have any questions. Thanks!

To apply for a volunteer position, click [here](http://www.wegoproject.org/).

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**SPEAK2US Hotline**

The SPEAK2US hotline, launched in 2016, is geared toward the university and health system communities to report complaints or concerns related to harassment, discrimination, or other unacceptable behavior that takes place at Johns Hopkins. Reports can be made 24 hours a day, seven
days a week via an [online form](#) or by phone at 844-SPEAK2US (844-773-2528). Students, please be aware of this resource.

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**Unpaid Internships and Service**

### Congressional Internships for John P. Sarbanes, Maryland’s Third Congressional District

John Sarbanes’ office is seeking hardworking and dedicated college students or recent graduates to work as interns in their Towson and Washington, D.C. offices, performing constituent outreach, communications activities, and legislative work. An internship in a Congressional office can be a rewarding opportunity, allowing students to learn directly about the legislative process.

To apply, please send a cover letter, a resume, and a list of references to [employment@mail.house.gov](mailto:employment@mail.house.gov).

### Maryland Department of Aging Internship

The Maryland Department of Aging offers both undergraduate and graduate students the opportunity to put their education to work. Interns will gain valuable experience in a cabinet agency that offers:

- Knowledge about older adults and individuals with disabilities, and applicable community services and resources available to these populations;
- Insight into the development and execution of public policies;
  - Experience in program planning and analysis;
    - Database management skills;
  - Outreach and customer service experience;
- Ability to collaborate with colleagues and community partners in a professional setting; and
- Weekly constructive feedback.

Interns may work in a variety of programs in the areas of Long-Term Services (LTS) and Client and Community Services (CCS). These programs and initiatives are supported by the federal Administration on Community Living (ACL), the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), and other state and federal partners. A focus of the internship will be assistance with improving the Maryland Access Point referral network database through provider outreach and updates. Click [here](#) to learn more and/or apply.

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**MERIT Health Leadership Academy Looking for Volunteers**

MERIT Health Leadership Academy is recruiting volunteers to support Baltimore City high school students who aspire to become doctors, nurses, and researchers. We are looking for Teaching Assistants and College Access Mentors who can support MERIT Scholars on Saturdays this fall. MERIT’s mission is to educate and empower students from underrepresented backgrounds to become health professionals and change agents who will advance equity. If you'd like to join us in
this important work, click here to learn more and/or apply! All Saturday classes take place from 9-1 in the JHU Armstrong Building (1600 McElderry St.).

Paid Jobs and Internships

Global Health Equity Scholars 2019-2020 Cohort

The Johns Hopkins Alliance for a Healthier World (AHW) is now accepting applications for the 2019-2020 cohort of Global Health Equity Scholars. This is a year-long, paid program for students (sophomore and above) to gain skills and apply their knowledge toward health equity, both globally and locally. Students support innovative research, learn alongside a multi-sector cohort, and build networks with faculty and students.

Applications close September 19th at 11:59 pm. For more information, including FAQs and how to apply, click here.

Full-Time Research Assistant Position Available at JHUSOM

Johns Hopkins Schizophrenia Center has a full-time Research Assistant position. The position requires a two year commitment, and a bachelor's degree in a health science related field (graduates in the December of 2019 are eligible). Responsibilities include recruiting and screening healthy controls, patients with first episode psychosis patients, and those with related brain disorders (e.g., Alzheimer’s disease, mood disorders) into the study. Involves regularly interacting with patients’ families and healthcare providers as well as escorting participants through various study procedures such as neurocognitive testing, blood draws, MRIs, among others. The position also involves data organization/management and will provide leadership opportunities. Educational experiences include attendance at Teaching Rounds and there is the potential for inclusion in research papers. To inquire further about this position, please send the CV to JHSZC_recruit@jhu.edu

Research Assistant Opportunities at the Institute for Global Tobacco Control

The Institute for Global Tobacco Control at the School of Public Health is looking for motivated undergrads to assist with a multi-city longitudinal cohort study. Our objective is to learn how folks who vape use e-cigarettes and e-liquid over time. This would be a paid opportunity, and the hired undergrad(s) would assist in the coding of images and survey data. We are looking for assistance for this summer, but there may be opportunities for the undergrad to work with our team during the school year as well. They can contact me at jhardesty@jhu.edu

Part-Time Social Media Research Assistant
We are seeking a part-time Social Media Research Assistant who will actively engage multiple audiences via social and mobile media to increase visibility, interactivity, and brand awareness. This position manages and executes day-to-day activity on the ERGOT (Epidemiology Research Group in Organ Transplantation) related social media channels (Twitter, Facebook, and Instagram). Using social media to drive users to the group’s website, promote lab/project related research, promote events and programs with lab attendance, increase the sense of connection to the group in its extended community, and ensure that communications are aligned with the group’s brand messaging and policies.

This job opportunity will also have potential for more involvement in the office and other projects that are occurring.

For more information on job duties and skills, please click on this link
https://jobs.jhu.edu/job/Baltimore-Social-Media-Research-Assistant-MD-21205/567867200/

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**Research Assistant Position at The Hopkins Center for Health Disparities Solutions at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health**

The elimination of health disparities and the improvement of overall population health are top public health priorities encompassed within the 10-year goals of Healthy People 2020. Though modest progress has been achieved toward eliminating racial and gender-based inequalities, the intersection of race and gender reveals that for all American subgroups, the worst health profile is for Black men. Compared to other race/ethnic gender groups, Black men have higher mortality rates, earlier onset of disease, and lower life expectancy. There are ongoing longitudinal studies tracking the health of many other segments of the U.S. population (e.g., the Nurses’ Health Study, Black Women’s Health Study), but no such study features Black men.

Thus, we have created the Black Men’s Health Project (BMHP) which is an initiative that focuses on issues related to Black men’s health. The mission of the Black Men’s Health Project is to gain a deeper understanding of the unique health challenges of Black men and develop culturally competent strategies and solutions to improve the health outcomes for Black men. A key component of the BMHP is the Black Men’s Health Survey (BMHS)—a planned longitudinal study of Black men’s health.

The Johns Hopkins Center for Health Disparities Solutions is currently seeking a full-time Research Assistant for the Black Men’s Health Project. We are looking to survey 10,000 black males to have a significant sample size and gain in-depth perspectives on Black Male health across the nation. The Research Assistant will be responsible for conducting research and gathering valuable data and insights through the Black Men’s Health Survey.

For more information and details on the job duties and skills, please click on this link
https://jobs.jhu.edu/job/Baltimore-Research-Assistant-MD-21207/550180900/ or visit jobs.jhu.edu – requisition # 15209.

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Research Assistant
The Johns Hopkins Armstrong Institute for Patient Safety and Quality (AI) is in search of responsible, motivated, and hard-working individuals to assist with data collection and analysis on two related projects funded by NASA and DARPA. These projects investigate social interaction and team resilience at NASA research facilities and the Johns Hopkins Hospital. The position is under the supervision of Dr. Michael Rosen and his research team.

**Qualifications**
The right person will have strong written and spoken communication skills; be detail-oriented; and take responsibility for meeting deadlines and making progress without direct supervision. The applicant’s conduct must align with AI’s core behaviors, which are to be humble and curious; respect, appreciate, and help others; and be accountable to continuously improve themselves, the organization, and the community. Data collection begins early in the morning and requires RA to be present at the Johns Hopkins Hospital by 7am on data collection days. **Minimum time commitment of 10 hours per week.**

Minimum suggested GPA is 3.0. Lower GPAs will be considered with letter of recommendation or other appropriate references.

**For More Information or to Apply:**
Contact Salar Khaleghzadegan (skhaleg1@jhmi.edu) or Dr. Michael Rosen (mrosen44@jhmi.edu). Please include “Research Assistant Position Inquiry” as the subject line. Send your resume or CV to apply.

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**Research Assistant Position Available**
The Daily24 Study involves using a mobile app called “Daily24” where study participants record their timing of eating and sleeping. The team is looking at the association of “when you eat and sleep” with your weight. The student research assistant will be responsible for recruiting new participants while keeping them engaged, helping manage reporting through RedCAP, attending study team meetings, and other various tasks. This is a part time position with roughly 20 hours per week. If interested, contact Wendy Bennett (PI) at wendy.bennett@jhmi.edu and Kate Holzhauer (Study Coordinator) at kholzha1@jhu.edu with your CV and an explanation of your interest.

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**AidData is Hiring**
AidData, is a company with a large global presence with current job openings. This position provides the opportunity for travel, among other things. Click [here](#) to learn more.

If you have questions, feel free to reach out to Emilie Efronson at eefronson@aiddata.wm.edu.

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* Please note – system does not work with Chrome or Safari browsers or mobile devices

**PHS Weekly Submission Process**

Public Health-centric student groups and health-related organizations around Hopkins and the Baltimore community are welcome to submit announcements to the PHS Weekly. Please submit to cbarry8@jhu.edu by **5pm every Monday**.

**For announcements** or events, please submit the title, date, time, location and a brief description. The description should be brief and preferably include a link that will direct readers to another site for complete details.

**For any position opening**, please submit the position title, organization name, responsibilities and eligibility requirements, deadline for applying and contact information. Once again we ask you to keep the posting brief and provide an outside link for readers to gather further details.

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