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Congratulations to all 2013 Graduates! We look forward to watching your Global Health careers grow.

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Location: Halifax, NS

For more Information: <http://summer-institute.medicine.dal.ca/>

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Opportunity: Executive Director, CSIH

Application Deadline: May 30, 2013

The Canadian Society for International Health is currently seeking a dynamic and creative individual to become the organization's next Executive Director. The mission of CSIH is to lead in mobilizing knowledge and resources to facilitate innovation and excellence in global health, both in Canada and internationally.

For more Information: <https://charityvillage.com/jobs/search-results/job-detail.aspx?id=273402>

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HepNS Online Auction

Help HepNS Knock the Stuffing out of Hepatitis

Bidding Closes: May 31, 2013

Please visit www.HepNS.ca to join the HepNS online fundraising auction. In addition to the amazing items already on the Facebook site, stay tuned for updates on new great items posted throughout the month.

For more Information: www.HepNS.ca

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Call for Proposals: FAPESP and CALDO

Submission Deadline: May 31, 2013

FAPESP and CALDO invite interested and eligible researchers affiliated with CALDO member universities in Canada (Alberta, Laval, Dalhousie & Ottawa) and eligible researchers affiliated with Higher Education and Research Institutions in the State of São Paulo to submit research proposals for the exchange of researchers between the State of São Paulo, Brazil and Canada. The present call invites research proposals in all fields of knowledge.

For more Information: www.fapesp.br/7577. Please contact [Donna McLean](#) if you plan to submit a proposal

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Colour Outside the Lines: A Reverse Innovation Challenge for Canadian Health Systems

Submission Date: May 31, 2013

Time: 7 pm

Location: The University of Western Ontario

Colour Outside the Lines invites Canadians to submit innovations from emerging markets that have the potential to improve our health systems. The Challenge is open for submissions until May 31, following which an interdisciplinary committee will choose three winning submissions. First place will receive \$50,000, and second and third will each receive \$25,000, to be used towards the development and application of their reverse innovation idea. The winners will be profiled at Western University's Global Health Conference 2013 on November 26th, which will be themed on reverse innovation.

For more Information: contact arosebrugh@ivey.uwo.ca or visit <https://innovatexchange.ca/reverse>

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Knowledge Translation for Global Health Summer Institute

Hosted by Queen's University in partnership with Canadian Coalition for Global Health Research

Dates: June 3-7, 2013

Registration Deadline: May 1, 2013

The Queen's Global Development Studies Certificate taking place at Queen's University in Kingston, Ontario is designed for working professionals and upper-year students in professional programs. This program works towards gaining a deeper understanding of development issues and social justices on both local and international levels.

For more Information: <http://www.queensu.ca/cds/gds.html>,

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Spring Film Series: Exploring Ethics through Film

Dates: Tuesdays in June

Time: 7 pm

Location: Halifax Public Library, 5381 Spring Garden Rd.

June 4 - Silent Choices

June 11 - Body Corporate

June 18 - Off Label

Novel Tech Ethics will be hosting these events.

For more Information: <http://noveltechethics.ca/events/upcoming-events>

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North American Refugee Health Conference

Dates: June 6 - 8, 2013

Location: Hyatt Regency Hotel, Toronto, Canada

The North American Refugee Health Conference is recognized as the premier conference for those who work with refugee populations. Health workers from many disciplines discuss the best health practices to optimize the care of refugee populations. We provide a forum for sharing up-to-date, evidence-based information, and a platform for research, advocacy and mobilization.

For more Information: <http://www.northamericanrefugeehealth.com/>

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Conference: Collaborating Across Borders (CAB) IV

Transformative Change from the Classroom to Practice

Dates: June 12 – 14, 2013

Location: Vancouver, BC

CAB IV links Canada and the United States around the key themes of interprofessional education (IPE) and interprofessional practice (IPP) by focusing on interprofessional education, practice, leadership and policy in a North American context. The conference will feature best practices, showcase evidence-based outcomes and lessons learned, and provide a venue for scholarly dialogue and productive networking. We look forward to welcoming health care practitioners, researchers, educators, health system leaders, students, and patient advocates.

For more Information: <http://www.cabiv.org/>

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Dalhousie University Faculty of Medicine Summer Institute

Staying the Course: Teaching Professionalism and Clinical Skills

Dates: June 13 – 15, 2013

Location: Halifax, NS

By the end of this institute participants will be able to:

- Construct learning that will promote the development of professionalism in learners
- Prepare to teach the breadth of clinical skills using the principles of Adult Education to inform this process
- Implement appropriate assessment modalities for clinical skills across the continuum

Clinical, basic and health sciences faculty, medical educators, researchers, allied health professionals, clerkship directors, health professions and dentistry educators are encouraged to register.

For more Information: <http://summer-institute.medicine.dal.ca/>

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ACIC AGM & Symposium 2013

Demise or Reincarnation? – Perspectives on Canada's Role in International Development

Dates: June 13 – 15, 2013

Location: Renaissance College, University of New Brunswick, Fredericton, NB

This year's symposium will explore current conditions and practices in the international cooperation sector and how organizations and individuals in Atlantic Canada can participate in effecting global change.

For more Information: <http://www.acic-caci.org/our-work/agm-symposium-2013-details.html>

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Cultivating Agriculture, Food and Health Forum

Dates: June 19 – 21, 2013

Location: Dalhousie's Agriculture Campus, Truro, NS\

Cultivating Agriculture, Food and Health aims to gather key players from the Atlantic region to work together to explore the ways that our agricultural and food systems can improve the health and the lives of Atlantic Canadians.

For more Information: <http://www.dal.ca/faculty/agriculture/extended-learning/exl.html>

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2013 Canada-Latin America and the Caribbean Research Exchange Grants Program

Organized by the Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada and the International Development Research Centre

Deadline: June 20, 2013

The purpose of this program is to strengthen international partnerships and consolidate emerging networks among academic researchers from Canada, Latin America and the Caribbean. It is designed to support small collaborative research activities which will contribute to the creation, dissemination and application of knowledge in the development process in at least one of the following programming areas: Agriculture and the environment, Global health policy, Science and innovation, Social and economic policy.

For more Information: visit the [AUCC website](#) or contact [Donna McLean](#).

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Stars in Global Health Round 6

Deadline: July 30, 2013

Grand Challenges Canada is seeking to support **bold ideas with big impact** that improve global health. Projects may encompass the whole spectrum of global health, including drug discovery, vaccine development, diagnostics, health and medical education, maternal and child health, non-communicable diseases (including cancer and mental health), health-related water and sanitation, and health-related agriculture and nutrition.

For more Information: <http://www.grandchallenges.ca/grand-challenges/stars-phase-i/>

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Call for Abstracts: University of Saskatchewan Global Health Conference 2013 Merging Minds for Global Health: A Multidisciplinary Call to Action

Dates: September 20 & 21, 2013

Location: University of Saskatchewan

Please save the date for Friday September 20th and Saturday September 21st. This year, the planning committee has expanded the event to include a half day on Friday with an optional networking social gathering in the evening. Sessions will include your choice of an advocacy skills workshop; *Beyond Facebook*: Learning to think strategically, organize and mobilize communities to fight racism in health policy and health systems; or a research forum; *Global Health Research*: from knowledge and innovation to action and equity in health.

For more Information: www.saskglobalhealth2013.usask.ca

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Call for Applications: Advocates in Global Health Program

Application Deadline: October 7, 2013

This program is open to all students in the Faculties of Medicine, the Health Professions and Dentistry. With leadership and guidance from the Global Health Office, students will fulfill self-directed program modules over two (2) years in the areas of:

- Knowledge
- Professional Development
- Public Engagement

Participants will attend “Skill Building Sessions”; workshops that focus on contextualizing global health education and learning. Students will develop a deep understanding of health inequity, as well as the political, cultural, economic and social factors that contribute to poor health.

For more information: http://gho.medicine.dal.ca/dalhousie-students/dalhousie-summer.htm#SA_AGHP

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International Perspectives: MD Class of 2013

Blog Series on Clerkship and Beyond

Global Health Office Blog

The optimistic faces of Dalhousie’s MD class of 2013 will include two IMG (International Medical Graduate) Clerks and four International students from our partner University in Malaysia, The International Medical University (IMU). We asked our graduates to share their thoughts on what it’s been like to complete their medical degree at Dalhousie University.

To read the both posts: <https://blogs.dal.ca/globalhealth/>

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