**Pre-Health Community Meeting**

**9/19/2019**

**Career & Internship Center**

**Welcome and Introductions**

**Fall Preview**

* Dawg Daze Event: Monday 9/23 [1:30 PM–2:30 PM  Pre-Health Huskies @ Kane (KNE) Hall, Room 210](https://www.uwdawgdaze.com/new-all-events/)

**Pre-Health 101 Update**

* **GEN ST 297 Section M (SLN 15599) & Section N (SLN 15600)** @ARC 147
* Dan will be teaching this seminar this fall again
* Current Enrollment: 303 (maxed out)
* Mystery Career Panel is something we tested last year and was successful. Will be doing it again this year
* Adding more myth-busting elements. Example: ‘separating fact from fiction’
* [Future/in the works/TBD to be approved]- Pre-Health 201 Reflection Seminar

**Updated Websites & Resources**

* New Pre-Health Packet (added to ‘Faculty & Staff’ section)
* Pre-Health Planning Guides (finalized and PDF/Word version is in to ‘Faculty & Staff’ section)
  + Question: There are changes made from the past versions to the version we created (no mention of English and math requirements).
    - We intentionally did that as math and English are typically not required courses by the majority of medical schools our students apply to. We wanted to include the basics of what is required from medical schools. We always encourage students to research the medical schools they are interested in applying to get a better sense of what classes they need to take.
  + List of med schools that students apply to most (please email Dan if you would like to see this list)

**C&IC Pre-Health Staffing Update**

* Eli- New Pre-Health Coach, joining us this fall
* The Pre-Health Coaching team now consists of Dan, Dawn, and Eli (with Patrick supervising)

**Small Group Coaching Partnerships and Opportunities with Departments**

* *“Small Group Coaching is a way to get personalized support from a career coach with the added benefit of learning from your peers! Each small group coach will be capped at 15 students and offers an opportunity to ask questions and gain advice on a variety of topics.”*
* Typically about 45 minutes – 1 hour
* Please email Dan Poux, [danpoux@uw.edu](mailto:danpoux@uw.edu) if you are interested in hosting one with us! We are flexible with what topics we cover and format of the coaching session.
* Time that we can’t do SGC due to programming are Wed 1:00-3:00PM and Thursdays 2-4PM.

**Data Update**

* UW students get in at a rate 2% than the national
* UW students get in with a lower average GPA (National: 3.72, UW Average 3.65)
* FYP: 1800 incoming pre-health freshman (about 1/3, or a bit more)
* For more data points or to get a copy, email Dan Poux, [danpoux@uw.edu](mailto:danpoux@uw.edu)

**Questions & General Updates from departments**

* Are we going to expand Pre-Health 101 to Winter/Spring quarter?
  + We hope so in the future! Currently, it will only be offered in fall
* Where is information for pre-nursing students?
  + Send students to UAA
  + Email questions to [asknursing@uw.edu](mailto:asknursing@uw.edu)
* Announcement: Post Bach student from Speech and Hearing Sciences
  + Use to be 5 quarters, and now it’s 4 quarters
  + Reduced the cost of the program as well
  + <https://sphsc.washington.edu/postbaccalaureate-program>
* Announcement: C&IC- New website ‘Find Your Community’ with Interest Communities
  + Health/Life Sciences Community: <https://careers.uw.edu/channels/health-life-science/>
  + Will have curated job list
  + <https://careers.uw.edu/>
* Question about scribing
  + Doesn’t require additional training, scribing companies provide the training. Attractive job to pre-health students because it’s provides a behind the scenes look into the work, learn language, and great observation opportunity. Downside, lacks patient interaction.
* Facebook Live Event that Dan and Dawn did on pre-health questions: <https://vimeo.com/355367914>