

AMCP Foundation/Allergan/Pfizer Interns Share Their Experiences



Six talented student pharmacists from across the country participated in this year's AMCP Foundation/Allergan, Inc. Specialized Summer Internship in Health Outcomes and Pfizer, Inc. Managed Care Pharmacy Summer Internship.

The AMCP Foundation/Allergan, Inc. program creates awareness of career paths in health outcomes and pharmacoconomics research, which are the foundation for evidence-based decision-making in managed health care systems. The program also exposes interns to the pharmaceutical industry, and managed health care systems.



(Allergan Interns: Fahim Faruque and Chukwukadibia Udeze)

The AMCP Foundation/Pfizer, Inc. program aims to develop future leaders in managed health care and through activities that expose interns to population health and the application of managed care pharmacy principles in formulary management, benefit design, medication therapy management and adherence management.



(Pfizer Interns: Ibrahim Khilfeh, Alexander Marshall, Jamie Ta and Benjamin Wu)

Each intern wrote a first-person account of their experience this summer. Read their blogs and learn about their research projects [here](#).



'Twas 12 Days Before the Drawing And All Through the House

Like counting down the days before Christmas, there are just 12 days before ticket sales end for the AMCP Foundation's Car Raffle.

And while the "present" may not fit under the tree, it could fit in your driveway if you purchase the winning ticket as part of the Foundation's [Key to Success](#) fundraising program.

With odds much better than any state lottery, a limited number of raffle tickets at \$100 each are being sold. All proceeds directly and solely benefit the AMCP Foundation and its education and research mission to advance patient care.

Ticket sales conclude at noon October 6 and the winner will be announced after the AMCP Nexus Conference, once the winning ticket has been verified and prize shipping arrangements have been completed. An independent third-party will supervise the ticket drawing.

The AMCP Foundation gratefully acknowledges RxAdvance for its donation of a 2016 Mercedes GLA SUV (or equivalent model). Rules and eligibility: www.amcpfoundation.org.

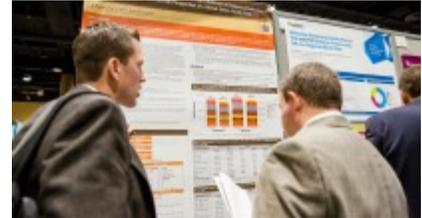


Access and Use of Opioid Therapy Is Focus of Research Symposium

More than a dozen speakers representing stakeholders from nearly all aspects of chronic pain treatment will address the challenges of using opioid therapies at the 6th Annual AMCP Foundation Research Symposium.

Moderating the presentations and audience discussion will Brett Norman, Health Policy Editor of *POLITICO* magazine. Personal patient perspective on pain treatment, prescriber practices and challenges, health plan pain therapy coverage, opioid abuse monitoring programs, and cutting-edge research on new therapeutics will be featured. Among the presentations will be a panel on innovative initiatives piloted by health plans and managed care leaders.

The program gets underway at 11 a.m. and includes lunch as well as a reception after the symposium concludes at 5 p.m. Join us on Monday, Oct. 3 at the Gaylord National Hotel & Convention Center in National Harbor, MD. [Register Today](#) (\$275)! This program is made possible in part through support from Alkermes, Inc., Optum, Inc., Purdue Pharma L.P., and Teva Pharmaceuticals Industries Ltd.



AMCP Foundation Volunteer Opportunity for Poster Mentors

The AMCP Foundation is seeking attendees of AMCP Nexus 2016 to serve as AMCP Foundation Poster Mentors.

Volunteers would share expertise regarding research and presentation skills with student and resident/fellow non-reviewed poster presenter during The Exchange on Tuesday, Oct. 4, from 4 to 6 p.m.

This is your chance to enhance the understanding and knowledge of managed care pharmacy among the next generation of pharmacy leaders. This also is your chance to help the Foundation fulfill its education mission.

Poster Mentors are expected to spend 5-15 minutes with a selection of poster presenters. Mentors ask questions of the presenters and provide feedback.

Volunteering is a great way to network with others, give back to your profession and maximize your conference experience. [Volunteer today!](#)

For more volunteer opportunities, visit www.amcpfoundation.org.



AMCP Foundation Presents New Healthy Activity: Sunrise Yoga

The AMCP Foundation Means Well(ness)! We have a charitable mission (we mean well) and we promote health (we mean wellness).



Foundation in the Community: Helping Families in D.C. Region

The AMCP Foundation, along with AMCP and Volunteer Alexandria, is organizing a Sock Collection at AMCP Nexus 2017. As you pack your bags,

Thanks for Donating!

AMCP Foundation Recognizes and Thanks 60 First-Time Donors!

The AMCP Foundation welcomes the many new names to our growing donor list! We're glad that you recognize the importance of what we

On Wednesday, October 5th at 6:00 am, join your Foundation for morning exercise before a busy day at AMCP Nexus. This "sweatworking" opportunity is led by experienced yoga instructors and suitable for fitness enthusiasts or yoga practitioners at all levels.

A separate registration is required (\$15). [Sign up today!](#) Only a few spaces left to participate!

Is your organization interested in supporting AMCP Foundation health and wellness activities such as the 5K for the Future and sunrise yoga? [Contact us.](#)

include extra socks for the needy. Stop by the AMCP Foundation Kiosk and "Knock Your Socks Off" with your sock donation and receive a token of appreciation.

All socks are welcomed (adult and youth sizes) and must be brand-new.

Want to be more involved?

Volunteers are needed to collect socks at the Foundation Kiosk near AMCP Concierge. [Sign up today!](#)

The AMCP Foundation Sock Collection will benefit various organizations throughout the Washington, D.C., region. Learn more about their vital services [here.](#)

stand for, and are grateful for your support. This is your first step to helping us advance the quality and affordability of our health care system.

Your donations help support many activities, including research initiatives on the role of managed care in improving health care quality and patient outcomes, as well as educational opportunities for stakeholders to learn about managed care pharmacy principles and research.

Thank you for your first-time contributions received between June 1 and Aug. 31, 2016. Read the [list.](#)



Get Ready for 4th Annual 5K for the Future in Denver

Bringing health and wellness to you, the AMCP Foundation 5K for the Future is going to Denver, Colo. Start training now for our upcoming event during the AMCP Managed Care & Specialty Pharmacy Annual Meeting, March 27-30, 2017.

Meeting registration opens Nov. 15, and a separate race fee is required (\$40). Are you a Foundation supporter, but not a morning person? New: a Sleep-In for the Future option at only \$20!



F.A.L.L is for Fundraising! AMCP Foundation Gears Up

This season, the AMCP Foundation is redefining "F.A.L.L".

F is for funding [advance research](#).
A is for altruistic acts by [volunteers](#).
L is for leaving a [lasting legacy](#).
L is for loyal employers who offer [matched donations](#).

What categories do you "F.A.L.L" in? Visit our website to find more information on different [ways to contribute](#) or [donate now](#).



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