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TO EXCEL IN RESEARCH AND SCHOLARSHIP



MEDICAL SCHOOL

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

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RANKINGS/DATA

#27

NIH Research funding by the Blue Ridge Institute for Medical Research

\$277M

in sponsored research

STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP

All University of Minnesota Medical School students complete a research/scholarly project during the preclerkship phase.

Twin Cities Campus: Students complete a minimum 40-hour scholarly project and can choose between three themes: Service Learning, Public Health and Health Policy or Quality Improvement and Patient Safety.

Duluth Campus: The Rural Medical Scholars Program (RMSP) course introduces students to rural medicine and community health. Each student is assigned to a community and learns about Community Health Needs Assessments (CHNA).

The 2019 AAMC Graduation Questionnaire shows more than two-thirds of Medical School students participate in research with a faculty mentor, and engagement in community-based research is nearly twice that of the national average.

RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES OUTSIDE OF THE FORMAL CURRICULUM

- University of Minnesota Foundation Student Research Grant Program
- Wilson Scholars Summer Research Program, Lillehei Heart Institute
- National Research Service Award Research Training Grant (T35)
- Summer Research Program in Regenerative Medicine
- Summer Internship in Medical Education
- Opportunities posted via [Research Connect](#)

FACULTY SCHOLARSHIP

As a research-intensive medical school, the scholarly productivity of the faculty is outstanding. Participation in scholarship is expected of all faculty members. Faculty are assessed for scholarly productivity regularly and department heads collate activities into an annual report that is shared with the Medical School Dean.

EXAMPLES OF RESEARCH AND SCHOLARSHIP DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR FACULTY

- National Institutes of Health Proposal Preparation Program (P3)
- Path to Publication
- Master Mentoring Program
- Center for Women in Medicine and Science
- Clinical and Translational Science Institute
- Curriculum Cafes on the Duluth Campus