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## Call for applications for UCLA- KEM student exchange program

Applications (hard copies) are invited from undergraduate students in their Final Professional MBBS (Phase II; Third MBBS, Part II) on or before 4pm, 30<sup>th</sup> Sep 2024 for the above exchange program.

The original application along with photocopies of the documents listed below (criteria 1-7) should be submitted to the office of Dr Nithya Gogtay, Professor and Head of Clinical Pharmacology, MS Building First Floor, Department of Clinical Pharmacology (close to gate 7 and blood bank) neatly filed. Use of a strong file or folder is recommended.

Criteria for Selection	Maximum marks
First and second year aggregate marks (ranked from highest to lowest, descending order)	20
2. First rank in 1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> phase subjects in college (university exams)	10
3. Prizes, awards and honors in academics and extracurricular activities- Two marks per prize/award/honor; maximum 10 marks	10
Conferences presentations- national/international – oral/poster – two marks per presentation- maximum 10 marks	10
5. Participation in research (either institutional or national level)- 2 marks per research project, maximum 5 marks	05
6. Publications if any – either submitted for publication or published – two per publication, maximum 5 marks	05
7. Extracurricular activities (for example with an NGO, social work, representation in sports at district state or national level, work in theatre, on any committee of inter collegiate academic festivals)	05
8. Statement of purpose	10
<ol> <li>Final interview (20) + 10. Power point presentation at final interview</li> <li>(5)</li> </ol>	v 20+5
al marks	100

- The UG students are currently expected to fund themselves for program. This includes
  applying, paying for US visa and other expenditures incurred. The ballpark estimate
  currently is 4.5-5 lakh Indian rupees based on information given by UCLA Team.
- A total of five students will be shortlisted. The first three students will be selected.
- The next two will be waitlisted and will be able to go for the exchange program only if one of the top three drops out.
- Criteria 1-7 should be supported by photocopies of certificates.
- The students would need to make up for any loss of attendance / clinical posting which
  has been missed at KEMH during his/her absence. Their teachers will help them with
  this.

Selected students are encouraged to apply to MUHS and other agencies for funding for travel, stay, visa etc.

A short list will be made for the final interview and presentation. Students are then expected to apply for a US visa without which they will not be able to travel. Team UCLA will issue a letter to the US Embassy in Mumbai to assist with the visa process. Please note that the US visa has long wait times (upto to a year currently).

The final selection of the students will be made by the Academic Committee of the institution and their decision will be final and binding.

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