

Keck School of Medicine of USC



ANNOUNCEMENT

for 6th year clinical traineeship

Senior Medical Student Program in the USA

2019/2020

The University of Szeged Medical School calls for applications for present 5th year medical students to carry out their final year 2-month internship at Keck School of Medicine of the University of Southern California, LA. The traineeship opportunity is for final year internships between January 2020 – April 2020.

The purpose of the Program is to facilitate students' experience and knowledge in a cuttingedge environment of a US medical university. With this program the parties provide broad medical knowledge to young Hungarian physicians who are entering the Hungarian health care system.

Students may take the following electives listed at: http://medweb.usc.edu/clerkship_visiting/index.htm

Please note that the program costs have to be mainly sponsored by successful candidates participating in the Hungarian and English programs (4 spots), although some financial support of plane tickets might be available, sponsored by the Faculty. Regarding accommodation, there might be sponsors from the American side. Application for Campus Mundi is highly recommended.

Applicants (Hungarians/Foreign students) are expected to cover the following expenses

- tuition fee \$500/elective
- registration fee of \$45 for VSLO
- health insurance
- malpractice insurance of \$25
- housing/transportation and other expenses

Required documents in the pre-decision phase:

- Application form
- Language certificates- at least B2 level
- Motivation letter
- Official Transcript with grades/marks
- Curriculum Vitae and photo (explaining your extracurricular and volunteering activities)

^{* &}lt;a href="https://students-residents.aamc.org/attending-medical-school/article/visiting-student-learning-opportunities/">https://students-residents.aamc.org/attending-medical-school/article/visiting-student-learning-opportunities/



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Selected candidates have to <u>apply online</u> through VSLO (online application system)* **in the** second phase of the application process!

Please note, that selected candidates **after the second round** should also submit the following documents **online through VSLO later on**:

- Letter of Good Standing (It must include a statement that you are a final-year student in good academic standing, eligible for the elective; verification of health insurance sample available)
- Letter of Recommendation from faculty (part of VSLO application)
- Immunization Form

Please note, that your expected language knowledge should be at least **B2 level**. Also, selected candidates are supposed to write a report the latest 15 days after their return to Hungary.

The application must be complete and should be **submitted in person** (please put your documents into a plastic file folder not into an envelope) to Ms. Eszter Sasi-Pokriva. (Dean's Office, Tisza Lajos krt. 109., 2nd floor) **and also via email** (in Word format) to: sasi-porkiva.eszter@med.u-szeged.hu

Application deadline: 28th June 2019

Interview date (1st round): 9-10th July 2019

2nd round will be an online interview with Keck School of Medicine of USC

Venue: Dean's Office Faculty of Medicine

We cannot accept those application files that are incomplete, do not comply with requirements, are handwritten or were handed in after the deadline!

For further information contact your local program coordinator in Szeged: Ms. Eszter Sasi-Pokriva

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