

2022 RISE SUMMER ACADEMY

REIMAGINE INDIANS INTO MEDICINE

The RISE Summer Academy is a six-week intensive program for American Indians / Alaskan Natives that provides in-depth training and Indigenous learning opportunities to prepare scholars for the medical school application process.

JUNE 5 –
JULY 17
2022

The 2022 RISE Summer Academy is a collaborative effort between:



WASHINGTON STATE UNIVERSITY
Elson S. Floyd
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SUMMER
ACADEMY
FOCUS

- Medical School Admissions and Application
- Supplemental Basic Science Refresher
- Cultural Engagement and Community Building
- Medical Student Mentors
- Intensive MCAT prep provided through Kaplan

RISE SUMMER ACADEMY TIMELINE



- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Have a non-competitive MCAT score, OR plan to take MCAT within 1 year of Summer Academy end date
- Plan to apply to medical school within the next two years
- Transcripts for all college coursework

SUMMER ACADEMY ELIGIBILITY

SUMMER ACADEMY BENEFITS

- Cost to attend: FREE
- Program will be hybrid with travel, room, and meals covered for in-person components
- Access to and exposure with medical school faculty, leadership, and students
- Coursework and exposure to become a more competitive applicant to medical school
- Development of Native Cultural identity in medicine and network of Native Physicians

If you have questions, please contact the following:

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