



2018 Scaife Advanced Medical Student Fellowship in Substance Use Disorders

SESSION 1: June 4 to June 22, 2018

SESSION 2 : July 9 to July 27, 2018

What is the Advanced Medical Student Fellowship?

Through the generous funding of the Scaife Family Foundation, the Institute for Research, Education and Training in Addictions is able to conduct this specialized program. The program offers students training in the field of addiction services incomparable to any they may have encountered in their prior medical school education or residency experience.

Is there any financial compensation for participation in the program?

Participants will receive a \$150 per week stipend and a \$200 transportation allowance for a total of \$650 for the three weeks. Rooms and some meals are also provided.

What do the students do in the program?

Students who are accepted into the program participate in an intense learning experience. Their schedules include:

- Lectures
- Patient contact
- Group sessions with clients
- Rounds with resident physicians
- Opportunity to present what the students have learned

Who conducts the program?

The Institute for Research, Education & Training in Addictions (IRETA).

Who is eligible to apply?

Only medical students attending a medical school in the United States of America will be eligible to participate in this program.

How many students will be accepted?

In order to optimize the clinical experience of the participants, eight students will be accepted for each session.

When is the Fellowship?

The Scaife Fellowship is offered in two three-week sessions. Students are permitted to attend only one session.

What are the benefits of participating in the Scaife Fellowship?

This program will provide participants with a clinical experience to increase awareness and knowledge in the following areas:

- Screening and diagnosing substance use disorders
- Research in substance use disorders
- Brief motivational interviewing skills
- Adult and adolescent substance use disorders
- Neonatal treatment of chemically dependent infants
- Maternal substance use disorders
- Special population issues in addiction treatment
- Professional impairment
- Residential/inpatient and outpatient treatment modalities
- Family issues in treatment
- Psychiatric co-morbidity
- Medication-Assisted Treatment (MAT)
- Systems issues in addiction treatment
- Providing referrals to addiction treatment

For more information about the Scaife program, please contact your medical school's academic affairs office.

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APPLY ONLINE AT:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Scaife2018>

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 28, 2018

Late applications will be accepted if space remains.

The Institute for Research, Education and Training in Addictions (IRETA) is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization responsible for coordinating the transfer of all state-of-the-art knowledge to the practice of addiction treatment.