



Atlantic Fellows & Scholars at GBHI

The Global Brain Health Institute (GBHI) trains international health providers as leaders, advocates, and key stakeholders in the shared fight against dementia. This program will prepare individuals to put research knowledge into practice. All participants develop skills needed in leadership, communications, health economics, and policy, built on a foundation of brain health science and evidence.

The driving goal of GBHI is to develop and mentor outstanding individuals to become leaders who will have a long-lasting impact on dementia prevention in their communities across the world. GBHI seeks individuals who want to bridge the gap between neuroscience and public health with respect to dementia prevention.

The program is designed to train leaders from any discipline, provided the individual possesses the skill, compassion, and drive to be a force of change in brain health. Trainees can work at UCSF, Trinity, or both. As GBHI matures, trainees may learn at academic sites around the world. At least one-half of scholars and fellows will come from outside the US and Ireland, with initial emphasis on Latin America and the Mediterranean. Applicants from around the world who exhibit outstanding potential for this training will be considered.

Application Dates

Key Dates for 2017 Atlantic Fellows at GBHI:

- June 2016 – Expression of Interest form open for 2017
- September 2016 – Expression of Interest closes for 2017
- September 2016 – Invitations for full applications
- October 2016 – Applications due
- November 2016 – Interviews
- January 2017 – Fellows selected

Key Dates for 2016 GBHI Scholars Program:

- Open – Expression of Interest form
- May 2016 – Invitations for full applications
- June 2016 – Applications due
- July 2016 – Interviews
- August 2016 – Scholars selected





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The Atlantic Fellows Program at GBHI has been designed to train and support individuals from diverse fields, including but not limited to clinicians (psychiatrists, neurologists, geriatricians, nurses, social workers, etc.) and scientists (epidemiologists, health economists, neuroscientists, psychologists, public health, policy specialists, etc.). Fellows will typically be early-career trainees and should demonstrate the ability to ask questions that cut across disciplines, adapt to different cultural contexts, and lead change throughout their careers. Successful applicants will demonstrate excellence in past activities and have strong regional support that assures successful transition back into regional programs.

The curriculum for fellows will be customized for each individual's experience and plan. A core curriculum of neuroscience, neurobehavior, epidemiology, statistics, leadership, communications, health economics, and public policy will constitute about 15% of the experience. Opportunities to evaluate individuals with cognitive disorders will be available. Through intensive mentoring, fellows will be guided in the development of their careers, leadership, and policy change.

GBHI Scholars

The GBHI Scholars Program is a 3–12-month program designed to train people from broad disciplines including science and medicine, journalists, artists, writers, policy makers, entrepreneurs, technologists, anthropologists, ethicists, lawyers, etc. All GBHI scholars will be passionate advocates for elders, healthy and impaired. Successful applicants should demonstrate the drive to learn about aging and diseases of aging, adapt to different cultures, and lead change throughout their careers.

Like the Atlantic Fellows Program, the curriculum for scholars will be tailored for each individual's experience and plan. Course availability may vary with program start date and duration. Scholars will receive mentoring on their projects, careers, leadership, and impact on brain health.

Find more details at gbhi.org.