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## On Campus Highlights

- UP's Career Center will be hosting the [Careers in \(non-clinical\) Healthcare Industry Night on January 29th, 2020](#)

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## Are you Taking an Entrance Exam This Year?!

MCAT? DAT? GRE? PCAT? OAT?

If you are taking any entrance exam in the next year please [email Becca](#) and let her know the date you register for and the test you are taking so we can add you to the Pre-Health Testing Calendar! We want to cheer you on as you study and help you find other people who are working towards the same goals to connect with this year. We also want to celebrate with you when you're done - and we don't know when you're taking these tests unless you let us know!

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## Off Campus Highlights

- [The AAMC has announced that registration for July - September MCAT exam dates will open Friday February 5th, 2020](#)
- The University of Michigan Samuel & Jean Frankel Cardiovascular Center is pleased to announce our [2020 Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship \(SURF\) Program](#) is now accepting applications for undergraduates interested in cardiovascular research. **Application Deadline 1.31.2020**
- OHSU Continuing Professional Development needs volunteers for two upcoming conferences: [27th Annual Internal Medicine Review](#) and the [51st Annual Primary Care Review](#)
- OHSU dental school is hosting a [Letter of Intent/Waitlist Workshop](#) Thursday January 30th, 2020 from 6:00 - 8:30 as the Robertson Life Science Building.

- [OHSU's University Center for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities Summer Internship Program](#) provides opportunities for college students to gain experience in the disability field, develop transferable skills, and learn about various career paths in health care. Interns will receive training on disability rights, sensitivity, and advocacy, and also participate in group tours and OHSU labs, clinics, and facilities. **Application Deadline 1.31.2020**
- **The student interest groups (SIG) at OHSU School of Medicine** have established a [mentorship program](#) aimed to pair current OHSU medical students with underrepresented pre-medical students from Oregon colleges and universities. If you are applying to medical school or are considering applying to medical school, this is a great opportunity for you to talk to current medical students about the process. Mentors can help guide you on your journey to becoming a successful medical school applicant.
- **The Office of Diversity and Inclusion at Georgetown School of Medicine** would like to invite current sophomore and junior students to apply to be a part of their cohort of fellows for the [2020 Dean of Medical Education's Academy for Research, Clinical and Health Equity Scholarship program](#) at Georgetown. Spend your summer shadowing physicians, engaging in independent research and learning about their health equity in the Washington DC area. **Application Deadline 2.26.2020**
- [The Summer Health Professions Education Program \(SHPEP\)](#) is a **free six-week summer enrichment program** to help college students enhance their academic proficiency and career development opportunities in a health profession. **Application Deadline: 2.5.2020**



## JANUARY HIGHLIGHT: OHSU Higher Education Programs

Check out [OHSU's Higher Education Programs page](#) for a list of great opportunities through OHSU to get involved and get experience!

## Today in the Know Webinar Opportunity

**1.23.2020 10:30am PST**

The U.S. Public Health Service Commissioned Corps protects, promotes and advances the health and safety of the nation. **Hear from two dentists who decided to advance their careers through public service while also addressing the needed public health services for underserved communities.**

[Register today](#) to learn more about exceptional career pathways and the experience of a lifetime.





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## Test Prep Question of the Day

This week's test prep question comes from the MCAT:

The formation of  $\alpha$ -d-glucopyranose from  $\beta$ -d-glucopyranose is called:

- A. glycosidation.
- B. mutarotation.
- C. enantiomerization.
- D. racemization.

*Answer is at the very bottom of the Newsletter!*

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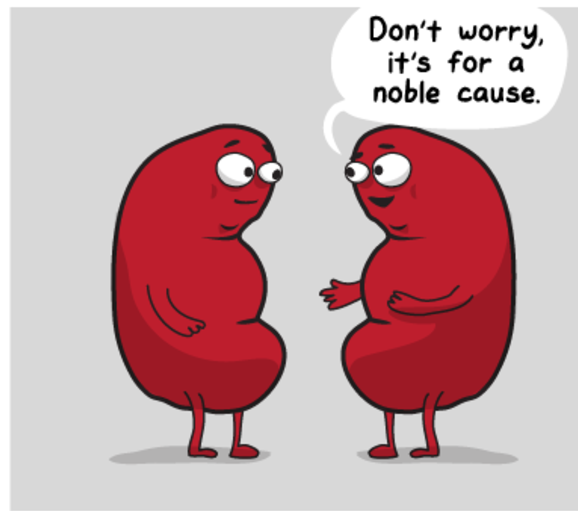
## Questions? Concerns? Need an Advising Appointment? Contact Us!

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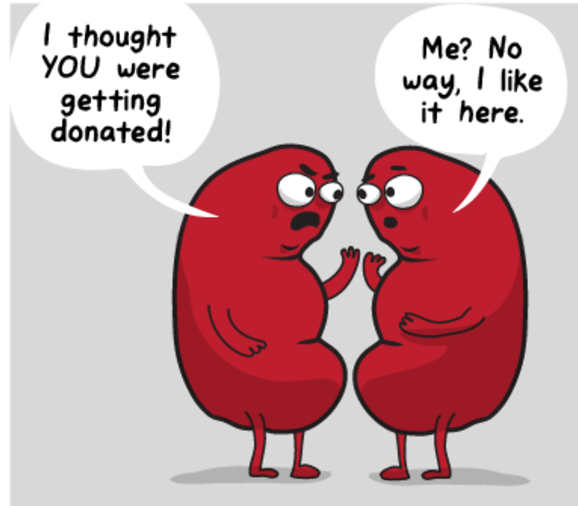
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[MCAT Question Answer: B](#)

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