Research Brief

Message from the Senior Associate Dean for Research

Dear Colleagues,

Since 1987, the U.S. Congress has designated March as Women's History Month, so that we can honor and celebrate the many achievements of women in America and around the world. We salute the contributions of women in science, health and research this month around the country but also right here at GW. In the next few weeks, I hope you take the opportunity to attend one of the **GWU events planned throughout March**.

As we celebrate the achievements of all women - faculty, staff and students - at GWSPH we acknowledge their contributions in research, discovery and innovation - all essential to transforming our society into a more inclusive, diverse and peaceful one. By acknowledging the achievements of women, we continue to encourage and learn from, the best of women academics to further the public health goals of equity and equality within our community and around the world.

With thanks,

Adnan Hyder, MD MPH PhD

Senior Associate Dean for Research Professor of Global Health Milken Institute School of Public Health



We have a New Master of Science (MS) Program:

Health and Biomedical Data Science

Research Project Highlight

Redefining Maternal Anemia in Pregnancy and Postpartum Study



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We are pleased to hightghlight Dr. who, in collaboration with Dr. Kwaku Poku Asante at the Kitampo Health Research Centre in Ghana, is the co-principal investigator of the *Redefining Maternal Anemia in Pregnancy and Postpartum (ReMAPP) study*.

The multicenter, international, population-based cohort study intends to establish and validate new global reference values for maternal hemoglobin. The study will recruit 2,000 pregnant women in Ghana, Pakistan, India, Kenya, and Zambia and will collect detailed data about infection, micronutrient status, environmental exposures, and maternal and infant health and neurodevelopment. Drs. Qing Pan, Lynda Ugwu, and Madeline Rice are also supporting the project as GW coinvestigators.

We are proud of our Research!!







Research Innovation Awards - SPRING 2022

Application Deadline: April 25th, 2022

The Milken Institute School of Public Health (GWSPH)
Research Innovation Awards aim to encourage
innovation and creativity in public health research, and
support research initiatives aimed at generating
extramural grant funding. Faculty who has a primary
appointment in GWSPH and may serve as Principal
Investigators are eligible to apply for this award.

For more information click here.



Save the Date!! April 5, 2022 ORE & BIG Webinar

Topic:
Regional Perspective
Latin America



13th annual Global Health Conference: CUGH 2022: Healthy People, Healthy Planet, Social Justice March 28th - April 1st, 2022,

Pre-conference Satellite Sessions March 21st-15th, 2022.

The conference will be virtual this year to accommodate speakers and participants from all over the world. View the conference agenda **here**.

Register





Learn more about the program and application process.

Health Policy Research

Scholars: a Robert Wood Johnson Foundation program, is a leadership opportunity for doctoral students from historically marginalized backgrounds and underrepresented populations across a wide range of disciplines, who want to apply their research to inform and influence

Apply Now



Pilot Grants from the Redstone Global Center for Prevention and Wellness

The Redstone Global Center for Prevention and Wellness is expanding the availability of pilot funds to investigators whose proposals are directed toward reducing disparities in chronic diseases within the DC metropolitan area. Areas of interest involve nutrition, physical activity and obesity, strategies that prevent and mitigate both climate change and human health, such as reduced meat/dairy production and consumption, or increased physical activity and their effects on reduced cardiovascular disease, obesity, and colon cancer.

Application deadline: Monday May 2, 2022 at 5:00 pm EDT

For mor information click here

March Deadlines

Continuous Deadlines



For Pre-award proposal assignments, please compete an **intent to submit** form as soon as you decide to submit an application for sponsor consideration.

Know Our Pod Team



Cortnie Cogan

Cortnie joined George Washington University in 2015 as a Department Operations Administrative for the Anthropology Department, and in 2016, she joined the School of Engineering Research Team. In March 2021, she became part of Research Pod 2 Team as Research Program Manager for the Pod's Green Team. She has vast experience with both Pre and Post award grants administration, and has been assisting Pod 2 with training and mentoring. *We are proud to have her as part of our team!*

Aaron Goldman

Aaron joined the Department of Health Policy and Management at George Washintong University in September 2014. In August 2020, he became part of the Pod 2 Team. Aaron handles 'Cradle to Grave' research administration and manages all parts of both pre- and post-award activities. Likewise, he has developed several tools the Pod uses today, such as the shadow budget template and the institutional base salary calculator. Ultimately, he serves as the main point of contact for the Yellow Team in Pod 2. We are proud to have him as part of our team!





CHANGES IN THE REQUIREMENT FOR TRAINING IN THE RESPONSIBLE CONDUCT OF RESEARCH: This

Notice provides new recommendations on the format, frequency, and timing of instruction in the responsible conduct of research (RCR). Institutions are expected to begin to incorporate the changes described in this Notice into their plans for RCR instruction for the 2022-2023 academic year and applications with September 25, 2022 due dates.





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