REMINDER! Brainstorming Your Health Professions Personal Statement
Monday, April 10th
3PM – 4PM
Location: 239a/b Hanes Hall
It is impossible to overstate the importance of the personal statement on your application to a health professions school. Begin to “attack the blank page” all while hearing what traits make up a strong personal statement...and what tropes to avoid

1. SHAC (Summer) Volunteers Needed
2. Campus Y Executive Teams Application
3. Carolina Health Entrepreneurship Initiative
4. Research Opportunity - Cairns Lab (UNC Hospital Jaycee Burn Center)
5. Small Miracles, LLC job openings
6. PA School Virtual Fair
7. DPT Virtual Fair

1. As undergraduates, it can be difficult to find a position that allows you to partake hands-on in meaningful work. However, Student Health Action Coalition (SHAC) can show you what it feels like to be an integral part of something much bigger than yourself. SHAC was the nation's first student-run health clinic, and we work together with students from multiple graduate programs (medical, nursing, pharmacy, public health, physical therapy, social work and dental) to provide free health services to the Chapel Hill/Carrboro area. If you are passionate about serving those in the community who desperately depend on the free services provided by SHAC, please consider volunteering with us. We are particularly in need of volunteers who will be available over summer, as well as volunteers with Spanish/Chinese speaking proficiency (not required). Requirements are reliable transportation to Carrboro and to volunteer one night per month for a 3-4 hour shift. Please reach out if you are interested or want to hear more about SHAC!
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2. **Apply to Campus Y Executive Teams!**
Due April 17th at 11:59 p.m.
The Campus Y is looking for passionate students to support its mission of advancing social justice in our community. Open positions include: The Development Committee, The Communications Team, The Arc Editor-In-Chief, Co-Leader for the First-Year Council, and Finance Assistant. Learn more and apply at campusy.unc.edu/applications/

3. Our organization, Carolina Health Entrepreneurship Initiative (CHEI), is a newer organization on campus that aims to promote digital health entrepreneurship and healthcare innovation at UNC. In doing this, we fundraise for, organize, and host the Triangle Health Innovation Challenge in collaboration with the Duke School of Medicine Entrepreneurship Interest group. The event is a weekend hackathon held at
Duke Medical School, where attendees pitch problems in healthcare they have experienced and form teams to work throughout the weekend to solve these “pain points” in health care. We are looking to transition a leadership position to an extremely dedicated first year who is interested in healthcare innovation, pursuing a career in healthcare, entrepreneurship, business, or science in general. You do not need to have previous experience with either hackathons or healthcare innovation. The position: We are looking to fill a co-director position that will help plan event on campus that expose undergrads to healthcare innovation. For more info or if you are interested, please contact Kathy Chan at katchan@live.unc.edu.

4.
Seeking a part-time (~8-12hrs) summer volunteer for the Cairns Lab in the UNC Hospital Jaycee Burn Center. Senior pre-meds/post-grads awaiting a gap-year preferred, with the possibility of continuing through the next academic year. Opportunity starts ASAP with flexibility, hopefully training towards the end of April. Requirements include consistent communication (email/txt) and the ability to work independently. You will help develop a one-of-a-kind burn/trauma repository by collecting and processing blood and bronchial washings, serving as a link between the clinic and the lab. You will be exposed to the hospital environment and gain an understanding of clinical and translational research. Previous research experience preferred but not required. Please email Caitlin Riley at Caitlin_riley@med.unc.edu with a cover letter and resume/CV if interested.

5.
If anyone is interested in helping support individuals with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities in their homes/communities, A Small Miracle is the place for you. Great service recipients, competitive rates, and great benefit options for both full and part time employees! To apply, visit the openings tab on the website at http://www.asmallmiraclellc.com/jobs/raleigh-job-openings/.

6.
In an ideal world, you’d be able to visit every PA school you are interested in. You would see the campus, chat with faculty, and get your questions answered. Well, we have the next best thing: virtual fairs. Not familiar with virtual fairs? They’re a way to connect with programs right from your computer or phone. You can visit each program’s “room” and have direct access to faculty and staff. Learn more about programs, get application tips, and find out about admission requirements. You’ll also have access to a CASPA representative so you can get details about the application process. The best part? It’s FREE! This year’s virtual fairs will be held on April 19–20 and July 18–19. You can register now for the April virtual fair. Register Now
Have questions? Email us at events@careereco.com.
Planning to apply to a Physical Therapist Program?

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This unique virtual event allows you to conveniently and efficiently meet admissions reps & faculty in a live online event

- The DPT Education Virtual Fair is FREE for prospective students to attend
- Save your valuable time by meeting program representatives in live chat sessions online
- Have your questions answered without ever leaving the comfort of your computer
- Only a one-time registration is required to meet multiple programs

* Option to upload your résumé prior to the event (résumé upload not required to participate)

Register at www.CareerEco.com/events/APTA
Virtual Fair Date: April 26, 2017

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