



Eve & Gene Black Summer Medical Career Program
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Important Information for 2021 Eve & Gene Black Summer Medical Career Program Participants

EXIT ESSAY REQUIREMENT

At the completion of the Online Summer Medical Career Program, the Los Angeles Pediatric Society (LAPS) **requires** an essay about your experience. Submission Deadline: **FRIDAY, AUGUST 20, 2021.**

Exit Essay Requirements and Submission Instructions:

1. **Type a 1-page essay (or longer) about your program experience.** Use any font, margins, or spacing you wish.
2. **Essay may include:** what the internship program meant to you, what you learned about medicine, a recap of your overall experience and/or a particular lecture topic or person that affected you.
3. **Be sure to acknowledge** the people that VOLUNTEERED to make your experience possible.
4. **Put your name** at the top of each page.
5. **Submit the essay as a WORD DOC;** do not include essay in the body of an email.
6. **Name this essay file with your last name.**
7. **Attach file to email & send to: eseaman@lapedsoc.org**

Videos Needed: LAPS would greatly appreciate any media that you wish to create to explain your experience during the program, what it meant to you and to express your appreciation to the medical professionals who shared their time and thoughts with you. *(We ask that you film horizontally and that the clip be less than two (2) minutes)*

Video yourself talking about your experience in the program, what you learned, enjoyed and what it meant to you.

Your required essay and any videos you may send are VITAL to the future of this program. We use them to:

- Evaluate our online program and gather feedback on area of strengths and ways to improve the experience.
- Send thanks to the medical personnel and the administrative staff at the various facilities who VOLUNTEER their time to bring this life changing experience to you.
- Recruit other medical facilities and personnel to volunteer their time and expertise.
- Promote our program on our website, social media and in our printed materials.
- Solicit donations from our membership and past participants in order to continue to offer this program.

SEIDEL/RISSMAN SCHOLARSHIP

By submitting an essay, you will be entered into a random drawing for \$500 Seidel/Rissman Scholarship.

- One scholarship recipient will be selected and contacted by the end of September 2021.
- If you do not wish to be considered for the drawing, include this request in writing when you submit your essay.
- To Collect Scholarship: Selected student must complete one semester (12 units or more) at a college/ university/ specialty trade school. Recipient has two years from high school graduation to submit documentation & request funds.

KEEP IN TOUCH

We hope you find this program both rewarding and informative. **Don't forget to keep us updated on your educational progress via email** and/or our Facebook page, which is listed as the Los Angeles Pediatric Society Summer Medical Career Program. We wish you every success in what we hope will be your future medical career!