# Partnership UMB-DF/HCC Post-Baccalaureate Fellowship

A full-time, paid fellowship to support & prepare recent college graduates for cancer research careers.



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#### HOW TO APPLY

To access the application please use the link or QR code below.

> <u>https://forms.gle/NFi</u> <u>MD5EVBCLvKNrJA</u>



## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Applications will be accepted on a rolling basis; with a priority review date of November 2nd, 2021.

Program Dates: November 2021- August 31st, 2022\* \*with the possibility of a second year of funding

#### QUESTIONS? EMAIL: U54REC@UMB.EDU



#### WHAT IS THE UMB DF/HCC POST-BACCALAUREATE PROGRAM?

The fellowship engages talented, highly motivated recent college graduates in full-time mentored, cancer research experiences in research environments across Dana-Farber/Harvard Cancer Center and UMass Boston campuses.

# Program features that prepare fellows for careers in cancer research-related fields include the following:

- Guidance with graduate application/admission process
  - Holistic mentorship & support Scientific Seminars
- Career-readiness workshops
  Conference assistance
- Engagement with the UMB DF/HCC Partnership community

## PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY

- The program is open to those who have attained a bachelor's degree within the past two years and who have significant research interest & experience.
- Upon completing the fellowship, trainees are expected to pursue doctoral study in cancerrelated or socialbehavioral research.



#### Prospective applicants must meet the following criteria:

•Have US citizenship or permanent residency

•Be a member of a group underrepresented in science careers\* •Have a competitive academic record

•Have obtained a bachelor's degree by August, 2021

\*African American/Black, Hispanic, American Indian/Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian, Pacific Islander, first-generation college-goer, and/or from low socioeconomic status (SES) backgrounds

<u>ABOUT THE PARTNERSHIP</u>: Since 2002, the UMass Boston – Dana-Farber Harvard Cancer Center (DF/HCC) Partnership has focused on addressing health disparities in underserved populations and on improving research, training, & outreach opportunities for students, faculty, and scientists. The partnership connects UMass Boston researchers with clinicians and researchers at DF/HCC and supports collaborative investigations aimed at understanding and reducing cancer and cancer disparities. It also provides undergraduate, graduate, and postdoctoral trainees to engage in cancer-related, mentored research experiences. The partnership continues to significantly expand opportunities for researchers and talented students, especially those from underrepresented backgrounds. To learn more visit: <u>https://umb-dfhcc.org/</u>