**Medical Sciences Seminar MEDS 3001 Syllabus and Schedule**

# Spring Semester 2021

**Wednesdays 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm**

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Course Number: MEDS 3001

All Optional Sessions will meet at this link: <https://ucincinnati.webex.com/meet/idingjd>

All **REQUIRED** sessions will meet at this link: <https://ucincinnati.webex.com/meet/adkinssw>

**LEARNING OBJECTIVES:** At the end of the six semester seminar series, students will:

1. Have developed a strong, mentoring relationship with various mentors through consistent and structured mentoring meetings.
2. Be able to demonstrate the practice of professional behavior expected of healthcare providers and researchers.
3. Start an ethical practice by reading and reflecting on important lapses in ethical judgement – learning from mistakes.
4. Be able to understand the research capstone developed by Dr. Bryan Mackenzie, and identify at least five research areas and P.I.’s at COM/CHMC, and to be able to identify examples of basic, translational and clinical research.
5. Be able to understand the service capstone developed by Dr. David Askew and Fran Larkin, and to be able to distinguish between volunteering and service learning.
6. To be able to describe multiple career pathways that are available to them when the time comes to decide at the end of their baccalaureate training.

**ASSESSMENT:**  This is a Pass/Fail course. **You must attend both REQUIRED sessions (February 3 and February 10) to receive a Pass grade.** MCAT Prep sessions are optional.

**The Five Threads of the Medical Sciences Seminar Tapestry**

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| Thread 1 |  |  | **Building Professional Relationships**  Networking for the long game. |  |  |
| Thread 2 |  |  | **Self-Care and Rest**  Listening to my body. |  |  |
| Thread 3 |  |  | **Knowledge and Experience**  Experiential learning. Learning by doing. |  |  |
| Thread 4 |  |  | **The Self and the Other**  My relationship with myself and others. |  |  |
| Thread 5 |  |  | **Reflection**  Seeing my actions in the third person. |  |  |

**MEDS 3001 Schedule**

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| **Session** | **Day** | **Date** | **Activity** | Location | Facilitator(s) |
| 1 | W | 2-3-21 | **REQUIRED: Personal Statements:** How to write a good personal statement regardless of the career you are choosing. | Webex | Dr. Abby Tissot, COM |
| 2 | W | 2-10-21 | **REQUIRED: Two Back to Back Sessions**  Hour One – Ethics  Hour Two – COSTEP | Webex | Bante/Sherron/  Menon (Hour One)  Lt. Brown (Hour Two) |
| 3 | W | 2-17-21 | **MCAT Prep 1 – Optional** | Webex | Jared Iding |
| 4 | W | 2-24-21 | **MCAT Prep 2 – Optional** | Webex | Jared Iding |
| 5 | W | 3-3-21 | **MCAT Prep 3 – Optional** | Webex | Jared Iding |
| 6 | W | 3-10-21 | **MCAT Prep 4 – Optional** | Webex | Jared Iding |
| 7 | W | 3-17-21 | **MCAT Prep 5 – Optional** | Webex | Jared Iding |
| 8 | W | 3-31-21 | **MCAT Prep 6 – Optional** | Webex | Jared Iding |
| 9 | W | 4-7-21 | **MCAT Prep 7 – Optional** | Webex | Jared Iding |
| 10 | W | 4-14-21 | **MCAT Prep 8 – Optional** | Webex | Jared Iding |
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