GLOBAL HEALTH STUDIES
WEINBERG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES

ABOUT THE PROGRAM:
Global Health Studies (GHS) provides an interdisciplinary education to address disparities in health outcomes. Offered as an adjunct major or minor, GHS is designed for students from diverse academic backgrounds, including health sciences, engineering, journalism, social policy, and anthropology.

Learn about the medical, cultural, economic, and legal structures that shape health conditions and policies. Classes cover a variety of topic areas, such as bioethics, water insecurity, infectious diseases, and humanitarianism.

GHS STUDENTS STUDY ABROAD. AN EXPERIENCE COULD INVOLVE:
• Studying traditional Chinese medicine and environmental health in China
• Taking French language classes and visiting the World Health Organization’s Paris headquarters
• Traveling between Serbia and Bosnia-Herzegovina to compare post-conflict mental health
• Understanding how urban environments in Argentina intersect with health issues
• Learning about health delivery and prioritization in Denmark
• Developing medical devices to improve health outcomes in resource-poor environments in South Africa

OUTSIDE OF THE CLASSROOM, STUDENTS:
• Conduct research in the US and abroad, with funding from GHS-specific fellowships and grants
• Lead and participate in on-campus, health-related clubs and student organizations, such as the Community Health Corps and Chinatown Health Initiative
• Apply to earn their bachelor’s and Master of Public Health (MPH) degrees in five years through the Accelerated Public Health Program, offered by GHS and Feinberg School of Medicine

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