



## Gillings Vietnam Hub 2024 Practicum - HUPH

**Vietnam Hub:** Gillings Global Health at the UNC Gillings School of Global Public Health is the organizing unit for global health activities at the School. To give more focus to the School's global work, we are establishing a small number of geographic hubs to increase students' skills. A consistent presence at particular sites, working with a select group of partners, will allow us to provide quality experiences and deliver on strategic themes to improve public health. For summer 2024, we are hoping to fill up to 2 positions as part of the Vietnam Hub. We are pleased to partner with Hanoi University of Public Health and Hanoi Medical University to offer placement opportunities for UNC Gillings residential MPH students.

**See how to apply at the end of the document. All application materials are due Tuesday, February 20, 2024**

<b>Name of Organization</b>	Hanoi University of Public Health (HUPH)
<b>Organization Address</b>	1A Duc Thang Road, Duc Thang Ward, North Tu Liem District, Hanoi, Vietnam
<b>Organization Description (Brief)</b>	HUPH is a well-known research institution in Vietnam. HUPH specializes in public health with the mission “to become the leading institution in public health training, research and consultancy in Viet Nam and the Asia-Pacific region”. The HUPH consists of 5 academic faculties, 7 centers, a Health Management Training Institute, and a Polyclinic/ Pham Ngoc Thach General Hospital.
<b>Name and Title of Preceptor</b>	Associate Prof. Tran Thi Tuyet Hanh- Senior lecturer, HUPH; Dr. Tran Quoc Lam - Deputy Director of Pham Ngoc Thach General Hospital, HUPH
<b>Preceptor Experience and Education</b> (Provide your professional background and describe any experience working with students). Preceptor qualification requirements include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- At least five years of full-time, professional public health experience; OR</li> <li>- A graduate degree in public health or a related field and at least two years of full-time, professional public health experience.</li> </ul>	Associate Prof. Hanh Tran is a senior lecturer in Environmental Health and head of the Research Management and Cooperation Department at HUPH. In the past 21 years, Assoc Prof. Hanh has managed/implemented over 20 Public Health/Environmental Health projects. Assoc Prof. Hanh is responsible for teaching, supervising undergraduate and postgraduate students, implementing research projects, and advocating for policy development. H-index is 18; i10 index is 31 (Google Scholar). Research Gate: <a href="https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Tuyet_Hanh_Tran">https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Tuyet_Hanh_Tran</a> Google Scholar: <a href="https://scholar.google.com.au/citations?user=ULwm2GwAAAAJ&amp;hl=en">https://scholar.google.com.au/citations?user=ULwm2GwAAAAJ&amp;hl=en</a>
<b>Preceptor contact information</b> (email, phone)	Associate Prof. Hanh Tran: <a href="mailto:tth2@huph.edu.vn">tth2@huph.edu.vn</a> ; Mobile: 84-(0)912955078; Dr. Tran Quoc Lam: <a href="mailto:tql@huph.edu.vn">tql@huph.edu.vn</a> ; Mobile: 84-(0)932265868
<b>Preference for contact</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Email <input type="checkbox"/> Phone
<b>Ideal start date</b> (the earliest start date for students is May 13, 2024)	20 May 2024



<b>Ideal end date</b> (students must complete their hours by August 16, 2024)	28 June 2024
<b>Paid work/Compensation for work</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Range of funding available</b> (hourly or total).	None. Fees are required for English translators to support students working daily at Pham Ngoc Thach General Hospital of HUPH <b>*\$4000 stipend from Gillings*</b>
<b>Opportunity to handle quantitative data</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Description of the Proposed Practicum</b> (Describe the work experience and/or project: context, health problem, population)	Students will have the opportunity to explore health care activities and programs (e.g., programs to manage chronic diseases) at the hospital, explore patients' perception and acceptance of services, and propose recommendations for the management board of the Pham Ngoc Thach General Hospital to improve programs/services. They can also conduct secondary analyses on burden of diseases, etc.
<b>Benefit to student</b> (How will this placement be of interest and benefit to a student?)	Opportunities to experience a range of programs/activities at a general hospital in Hanoi and propose recommendations for improvement (e.g., can conduct a program evaluation).
<b>Roles and Responsibilities of the student</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Follow instructions of practicum supervisors to complete the project, including attending meetings related to proposed practicum.</li><li>- Follow regulations/rules of the hospital, HUPH, and the Vietnamese Government.</li><li>- Ensure all activities meet ethical requirements, including IRB approvals.</li></ul>
<b>Skills and Experience Required</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- MPH student</li><li>- Already completed research methods courses (both quantitative and qualitative methods would be ideal), epidemiology and biostatistics courses</li><li>- Good communication and interpersonal skills</li><li>- Strong track record of research and writing skills</li></ul>
<b>Expected Outputs</b> (Practicum experience must yield at least two student-generated, practical work products (e.g., project plans, grant proposals, training manuals or lesson plans, surveys, memos, videos, podcasts, presentations, spreadsheets, websites, photos with accompanying explanatory text, or other digital artifacts of learning), produced for the practicum site's use and benefit, that demonstrate attainment of five <a href="#">CEPH MPH Foundational Competencies</a> )	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1) Meet with relevant leaders of a selected program at the Pham Ngoc Thach General Hospital (HUPH) to identify immediate goals of the program and identify process measures (e.g., acceptability, dose delivered, reach) towards achieving these goals;</li><li>2) Determine the data needed to conduct the process evaluation;</li><li>3) Work with hospital staff to identify available and relevant hospital data, and potentially supplement with qualitative interviews with stakeholders;</li><li>4) Conduct a process evaluation resulting in a brief (approx. 5-page) report including:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Program description</li><li>- Process measures</li><li>- Data sources</li><li>- Results (including strengths and limitations of the program)</li><li>- Recommendations</li><li>- Appendix that includes the logic model used to guide the process evaluation, and interview guides if applicable</li></ul></li></ol>



	5) Prepare a 10-15 minute presentation and present the results to the hospital leaders.
<b>NOTES</b> (Your opportunity to add anything else.)	

**How to apply:**

If you are applying to multiple positions, please do not apply until you have ALL cover letters written and ready to upload for each position. All application materials (application form and faculty evaluation) are due Tuesday, February 20, 2024.

Fill-out the online application form ([https://unc.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_3DAj3lgZjSEGC0e](https://unc.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3DAj3lgZjSEGC0e)) and upload the materials below to the form:

- Cover letter for each position you are applying (If applying to multiple positions for the four Zambia Hub opportunities, please write a cover letter for each position)
- CV/Resume (If applying to multiple positions, only upload it once)

Faculty Evaluation: Please identify a UNC Gillings faculty member who is able to evaluate you on the specific skills listed in the position description(s) you are applying for. Please tell the faculty member which position(s) you are applying for.

If applying to multiple positions, the faculty member only needs to complete one evaluation form (they will evaluate you for all your positions on one form).

Send the Faculty Evaluation Form link to the faculty member:  
[https://unc.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_2oFbQ0ZxtEU6KPO](https://unc.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_2oFbQ0ZxtEU6KPO)

Questions? Please email Naya Villarreal at [naya@unc.edu](mailto:naya@unc.edu).