

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO ANSCHUTZ MEDICAL CAMPUS

Welcome Back!

August is here, which means another school year is about to begin. We, the CU FMIG Leadership team, are excited for a great year ahead. Stay tuned for some awesome events coming your way in the near future!

<u>Updates from CUSOM @ the AAFP National</u> Conference 2019

Over 25 medical students along with residents and faculty from CUSOM attended the AAFP National Conference this year from July 25th - 27th, 2019



CU wins FMIG Program of Excellence Award at 2019 AAFP Conference

For more than 10 years, the <u>AAFP Family</u> <u>Medicine Interest Group (FMIG) Network</u> has recognized FMIGs with the Program of Excellence Award for their efforts to stimulate student interest in family medicine and family medicine programming.

At this year's AAFP National Conference, CU's FMIG won an *Honorable Mention in Exposure to Family Medicine and Family Physicians.*

Congrats to the CU FMIG 2018-2019 Team!



CU FMIG Chosen for AAFP Primary Care Leadership Collaborative

Earlier this year CU's FMIG Leadership Team was chosen to participate in the Primary Care Leadership Collaborative (PCLC), a program that supports medical student teams committed to advancing primary care and improving the health of their communities. PCLC training kicked off at the AAFP National Conference with some jam-packed days and awesome workshops! Over the course of the next two years, the CU team will work to develop and implement a project aimed at developing and diversifying the primary care workforce.





Interested in Family Medicine and Global Health?

Watch Lauren Bull, M.D., recent UCHFMR Grad(!!) discuss how she integrates family medicine & global health!

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Upcoming Events:

Come say hi at the FMIG Table:

• August 8th: MS1 Orientation Opportunity Fair

• August 28th: Welcome Wednesday

Future events

• October 7th-11th: Primary Care Week

NETWORKING

Family Medicine Resident Mentoring Program

For students interested in resident and/or faculty mentors, this is an informal program with the hope of being mutually beneficial to all parties involved. The goal is to help med students have a better understanding of family physicians and to help students succeed whether they decide family medicine is the right specialty for them or not.

We ask that mentors and mentees meet at least once a semester. Please fill out the quick form below so that we can best pair you with a good fit. **If you are interested**, **sign up here**.

For more information, questions, or concerns, please contact Cleveland Piggott, MD.

ARTICLE OF THE MONTH



Many Maps, One Aim: Charting a Course to Family Medicine

Your training is at your back, your purpose under your feet, your career in family medicine a clear shot to the horizon. But that horizon stretches in all directions. Which way do you go? Also -- wait a minute -- how did you even get here?

Read more www.aafp.org

As always, feel free to check out our website with information from this newsletter and more at: https://fmigcu.wordpress.com/



