

University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus

Department of Medicine Program for Academic Clinician Educators for Fellows (PACE-F)

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Description: The Department of Medicine (DOM) Program for Academic Clinician Educators for Fellows (PACE-F) is a one-year DOM initiative designed to improve the development of clinician educators at the fellow level. The DOM will provide each PACE-F Scholar with up to \$10,000 funding during the 2025-2026 academic year, which may be used for medical education research, innovative program development in education, and/or professional development as an educator of the Scholar. Up to two fellowship slots will be competitively offered during the 2025-26 academic year. Applications will be reviewed by a committee of DOM faculty members.

Eligibility/expectations:

- Applicants must be fellows at one of the DOM divisions.
- Applicants should be actively engaged in clinical care and teaching with plans to focus the scholarly aspect of their career on medical education
- Applicants must identify a primary clinician educator mentor and a mentorship team that includes at least one additional faculty member from the supporting
- Applicants must agree to participate in the monthly education scholarship "Works in Progress" group meetings and are expected to present their project updates at least quarterly
- Individuals from traditionally under-represented communities are strongly encouraged to apply

Funding

PACE-F grant funds may be used towards educational tools and materials, data and analytic support, conference fees (if presenting PACE program project), article processing charges, CU credit courses (if not already free), and with prior approval from the Department of Medicine, external courses. The funds may not be used towards personal electronics (i.e., laptop, smart phone, desktop). The funds need to be used by the end of the academic year (June 30, 2026).



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Application requirements

Please submit as a single PDF file to Emma Faye Sylvester (PACE-F program coordinator) at emmafaye.sylvester@ucdenver.edu by end of day Friday, February 7):

- Two letters of support
 - 1. A single combined letter from the fellowship director and division head indicating support of your participation in program, 0.25 FTE salary support, and description including time commitment of clinical activities (recommended 33% - 50% of total effort during grant year).
 - 2. Clinician Educator mentor
- Letter from applicant outlining (4 pages maximum):
 - 1. Career aspirations and explanation of why you want to participate
 - 2. Goals during the PACE-F grant year
 - 3. Description of desired focus area of training and development
 - 4. Outline of and justification for education elements you plan to include in your PACE-F year with draft timeline/schedule.
 - 5. Anticipated patient care responsibilities during the medical education fellowship year
- Brief description of intended project (2 pages maximum)
- Curriculum Vitae

Timeline

Submission Deadline: 2/7/2025

Notification of Award: 4/7/2025

Program Start Date: 7/1/2025