

Manning Family Scholarship

The Duke-Margolis Center for Health Policy is committed to improving health, health equity, and the value of health care through practical, innovative, and evidence-based policy solutions. As part of our mission, we are dedicated to educating emerging health care leaders with a passion for transforming health care locally, nationally, and globally.

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The Manning Family Scholarship in Health Care Business Leadership is one way that Duke-Margolis and Duke's Fuqua School of Business support future health care leaders. The Manning Family Scholarship reflects the mutual, shared visions of Fuqua and Duke-Margolis to address the growing need for business and policy leadership in health care. Established in 2018 by Paul and Diane Manning through a gift from the Manning Family Foundation, the Manning Family Scholarship supports health research and innovation leading to the development of more effective treatments for the world's most disruptive diseases.

“*There is a clear and growing need for business and policy leadership in health care, and Duke is helping to meet this demand through a partnership between Fuqua and Duke-Margolis. I am pleased that the Manning Family Scholarship is supporting rising-star MBA students who will leave Duke with interdisciplinary education and experiences necessary to be true thought leaders capable of leading change and improving the management, quality, and accessibility of health care.*” – Paul B. Manning, Chairman and CEO of PBM Capital

By supporting qualified students who have an interest in health care and health care policy, this scholarship advances the immense potential to shape the future of the sector. Since its inception, the scholarship has been awarded to eight Fuqua students pursuing a Master's of Business Administration degree. Recipients receive full tuition support for their two years at Fuqua. Funds for tuition support are managed by the Fuqua Admissions team.

Manning Family Scholarship recipients become part of the Margolis Scholars program, a university-wide, interdisciplinary initiative aimed at training the next generation of health care leaders through innovative, hands-on courses, relevant practical and research experience, leadership training, and networking opportunities. As a Manning and Duke-Margolis Scholar, you will be joining a select group of students in business, public policy, law, medicine, nursing, global health, and science and society.

About the Margolis Scholars Program

The Margolis Scholars program is a prestigious program for Duke University students who demonstrate a strong interest in and a commitment to a career in health policy and management as well as leadership potential to improve health policy. Named in honor of Robert Margolis, M.D., the founder of Duke-Margolis and a pioneer of innovative, integrated care delivery models, the Margolis Scholars program provides promising students with the necessary knowledge, skills, and abilities to be the next generation of health care leaders.

Margolis Scholars is a competitive program open to students at all levels. Selected students are engaged in the program for 1 to 2 years, depending on their program of study. Learn more about the Margolis Scholars here.

Program Components



The Margolis Scholars program offers students the flexibility to explore the health policy topics in which they have interest while providing four key components:

Knowledge Building: learn through health policy coursework, attend bi-weekly Margolis Seminars, and engage in a multi-day intensive health policy workshop

Skills Enhancement & Training: participate in research, simulation and skills labs, and teaching assistantships, as well as plan policy events and participate in peer mentorship programming

Professional Development: receive 1:1 academic and professional advising/mentorship, attend professional conferences, receive internship/fellowship guidance and placement, and plan community service projects

Networking & Community Building: participate in unique opportunities to meet experts in the field, receive the Center's monthly policy newsletter, plan annual events, and attend Margolis Retreat and other social/alumni events



Selection Criteria

Academic

High academic achievement, previous academic coursework, and research completed during academic/professional careers

Experience

Relevant experiences in health policy and management prior to applying to business school and/or lived experience with health policy challenges they seek to address after business school

Commitment

Expressed commitment to applying future business skills in pursuit of health impact through health policy and management, as well as willingness to participate in the Margolis Scholars program

Interest

Eagerness to engage as part of the broader Manning and Margolis Scholars community while at Fuqua

Application Process

Eligibility Requirements	Application Requirements	Timeline
Students accepted by and deposited to the Fuqua School of Business Daytime MBA program are eligible to apply.	Students will complete an online application and upload a current resume/CV, most recent transcripts, and contact information for an academic or professional reference.	The application and detailed instructions are available on the Duke-Margolis website (healthpolicy.duke.edu). Applications open December 9, 2023 and are due January 9, 2024 by 11:59 PM EST. Selected applicants will be notified on February 8, 2024 and will start in the 2024 fall semester.

“Duke-Margolis is a big community and it is great to be fully integrated into it. From access to cutting-edge research, to engagement with the faculty, to the guidance of my mentor, the Center really creates a wonderful energy around health policy.”

– Minahil Shahid,
Class of 2019
Margolis Scholars
Program Graduate



Find out more about the Duke-Margolis Center, Manning Family Scholarship, and Margolis Scholars Program

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