



# HEALTH ECONOMICS AND OUTCOMES RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP



**RUTGERS**  
Health Outcomes,  
Policy, and Economics

# PROGRAM STRUCTURE

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YEAR

1

The Fellow will develop foundational knowledge and skills through didactic and applied learning.

The Fellow will spend four days per week at GSK and one day per week at the Center for Health Outcomes, Policy, and Economics (HOPE) at Rutgers University. The Fellow may enroll in graduate courses towards the Rutgers Master of Science in Health Outcomes, Policy, and Economics. Additionally, the Fellow will be encouraged to participate in a teaching activity at Rutgers and will be provided with opportunities to engage in academic research and publishing, and attend at least one national conference during the first year.

YEAR

2

The Fellow will continue building upon the skills gained in the first year through didactic and applied learning, and will work with increased independence, responsibility, and leadership opportunities.

The Fellow may spend five days a week at GSK working in the Global Value Evidence and Outcomes department, transitioning out of academic research at the HOPE center. The Fellow will continue taking graduate courses towards the MS-HOPE program, and will attend at least one national conference during the second year.

# LEARNING EXPERIENCES

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This fellowship provides the experience needed to successfully advance a career in health economics and outcomes research (HEOR) and training in:

- HEOR methods
- Protocol development
- IRB processes
- Research contracting
- Study management
- Data collection and management
- Analysis of large and small datasets
- Scientific writing
- Global value assessment of pharmaceuticals

## CURRENT FELLOWS

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**2019-2021 Fellow**  
Soham Shukla, PharmD



**2020-2022 Fellow**  
Ember Lu, PharmD

# WHO WE ARE



GSK is a science-led global healthcare company with a special purpose: to help people do more, feel better, live longer. We have three global businesses that research, develop and manufacture innovative pharmaceutical medicines, vaccines and consumer healthcare products.

Our goal is to be one of the world's most innovative, best performing and trusted healthcare companies.



## RUTGERS

Health Outcomes,  
Policy, and Economics

The Rutgers University Center for Health Outcomes, Policy, and Economics (HOPE) partners with scientists, clinicians, and stakeholders from academia, pharmaceutical, biotech, and other marketplace innovators to conduct interdisciplinary research that produces relevant, meaningful health economic models and analyses to facilitate the adoption of cost-effective healthcare and improve patient outcomes.



*"My experience at GSK and previous experience at Bristol Myers Squibb working with Rutgers Fellows has demonstrated that the pharmacist provides a unique perspective on value demonstration and incorporation in the marketplace."*

*On behalf of everyone at GSK, I invite you to consider joining our community dedicated to helping patients and progressing science, and I wish you the best of luck during the recruitment process."*

**John Graham, PharmD**

Senior Vice President, Value Evidence and Outcomes



*"As the program sponsor, I strive to provide an environment where the Fellows can leverage their strengths, pursue their ambitions and achieve their development goals. It is my passion to provide mentorship and make a positive impact in the professional journey of the Fellows."*

**Marcia Rupnow, PhD**

Vice President, Value Evidence and Outcomes  
Fellowship Sponsor



*"This is a premier program with mentors who have more than 40 years of combined experience from GSK and Rutgers. It features hands-on academic HEOR and coursework, enhancing the Fellow's ability to apply contemporary methods."*

**Laura T. Pizzi, PharmD, MPH**

Professor and Program Director

# APPLICATION & ELIGIBILITY

Selection of the Fellow will be on a competitive basis from a national pool of candidates with doctoral scientific and/or clinical training and a demonstrated interest in health economics and outcomes research.

**Interested individuals may apply by submitting the following by October 30, 2020:**

- Curriculum Vitae or Resume
- Personal statement describing why you are interested in the fellowship and the HEOR field

Selected applicants will be invited to a first-round virtual interview in early November. Top applicants will be invited to a second-round virtual interview with additional colleagues from GSK and Rutgers HOPE.

Prior to the second-round virtual interview, top applicants should submit an official university transcript and three letters of recommendation.

Applicants will be notified of the final decision by the end of November. The selected applicant will receive additional instructions on completing a job application through the Rutgers University online job portal.

## SEND APPLICATION MATERIALS TO:

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Program Director

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