



GHS GLOBAL HEALTH 2018-2019 FELLOWS PROGRAM

If you are a graduate (spring/summer 2018) who is passionate about improving global health through communications and advocacy, the Global Health Strategies one-year Fellows Program offers a unique opportunity for professional growth and learning.

Our fellows are entrepreneurial, innovative and strategic thinkers with excellent communications and analytical skills. Fellows are team players and have a strong commitment to our clients. They also bring a sense of humor and enjoy having fun.

THE GHS FELLOWS EXPERIENCE

Fellows work closely with GHS staff to assist in the design and implementation of communications and advocacy strategies for a range of issues in global health, including infectious disease, immunization, women's health and universal health coverage. Fellows are provided hands-on experience meaningfully contributing to client goals.

Fellows spend the majority of their time on client work and are also provided opportunities for training and development.

Client work may include:

- Contributing to the research and writing of strategy memos, media materials and issue briefs
- Monitoring and analyzing media coverage and advocate conversations about global health issues
- Providing logistics support for conferences, meetings and events that GHS organizes on behalf of clients
- Managing databases of global health media, policymakers and opinion leaders
- Assisting GHS staff with project management (e.g., drafting meeting minutes, updating work plans, tracking budgets)

Training and development opportunities may include:

- Weekly support with a fellow manager; monthly mentorship with member of the GHS senior management team
- Access to skills trainings, reading list and lunch and learns at GHS with leaders in the global health field
- Sponsorship to attend global health events in NYC
- Opportunity to become an expert on a particular issue within global health

OBJECTIVES OF THE GHS FELLOWS PROGRAM:

The GHS Fellows Program affords young professionals the opportunity to:

- Gain exposure to the field of global health communications and advocacy
- Hone their writing, research and strategic thinking skills
- Work with high-profile clients on high-impact projects
- Attend presentations and trainings with leaders in the global health field
- Receive professional evaluation, assessment and mentorship

GHS FELLOWS PROGRAM QUALIFICATIONS & STRUCTURE:

- Fellows generally hold bachelor's degrees (upon entering the program) and have an interest in global health, communications and/or advocacy. They are excellent writers, researchers and critical thinkers
- Experience with communications and advocacy on digital media platforms is a plus
- Fellows will be hired for a one-year term (June 2018 -June 2019), with evaluation at the midpoint of the program
- Fellows will be paid stipends of \$36,000
- Fellows are provided a moving allowance of \$4,000 and access to our employee benefits program

HOW TO APPLY FOR JUNE 2018-2019 FELLOWS PROGRAM:

Applications Accepted (priority deadline) Note: applications will be accepted on a rolling basis thereafter.	December 6 – March 23
Candidates Contacted for Interviews	March 26 – March 30
Candidate Interview Period (3 rounds via web conferencing, online writing test & onsite)	April 2 – April 27
GHS 2018 Fellows Offers Extended	April 30 – May 11
Fellows Start at GHS	July 9

* Timeline may be adjusted by GHS *

Please submit your cover letter, resume, writing sample and three professional or academic references (references should include name, org, email and/or phone contact only) via online submission. We will contact you if your background matches our job qualifications.

For more information please visit

<http://www.globalhealthstrategies.com/careers/ghs-fellows>

or email Kathleen Sherwin, Global Talent Advisor at ksherwin@globalhealthstrategies.com

GHS is an equal opportunity employer and encourages people of diverse background to apply.

ABOUT US:

GHS uses advocacy, communications and policy analysis to advance issues and power campaigns that improve health and wellbeing around the world.

We work across some of the world's most dynamic regions to enable policy innovations, mobilize resources and build political will, engaging global and local audiences to drive change.

Our clients and partners do meaningful work – our job is to amplify its impact.

By understanding the issues, policies and stakeholders involved, we help clients and partners improve the health and wellbeing of people around the globe. GHS applies policy expertise, advocacy experience and digital savvy to a variety of health and development issues.

OUR HISTORY:

David Gold and Victor Zonana created GHS in 2002. In founding GHS, they drew upon their individual experiences in HIV activism, media, industry and government. The result was a company that leverages communications and advocacy to help organizations bring comprehensive change to international health and development.

In the years since, GHS has grown from a New York-based company serving clients based in the United States and Europe to a global network with a focus on emerging markets. Our issue expertise has expanded beyond its initial grounding in infectious diseases to include a wide variety of health and development challenges, ranging from research and development to climate change to family planning services. We now have offices in the US, Brazil, India, China, Africa and Europe, and have expanded our client base to include philanthropies, industry, multinational organizations, NGOs and governments. The result is a collection of fully integrated offices working to address the most pressing issues of the 21st century.

At the heart of our work is the vision of a world where everyone, no matter where they live, has the chance to live a healthy life. We are helping to achieve this goal by working with clients to promote research and development for urgently needed medicines, advocate for services on behalf of at-risk populations, and strengthen the most vulnerable health systems so that they can stand resilient in the face of modern threats. The world has made remarkable progress on all of these fronts in recent decades, giving us hope, resolve and ambition to do even better in the future.

