

East Asian Fellows Program in Aging, Hearing, & Public Health

Purpose

The East Asian Fellows Program in Aging, Hearing, and Public Health will be held **July 15 - 19, 2019** at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health in Baltimore, Maryland.

The purpose of this one-week program is to provide an overview of public health concepts, methods, and strategies to assist clinicians and researchers in East Asia who are pursuing public health research and projects focused on addressing hearing loss in older adults. Lectures and small group sessions will cover epidemiology, biostatistics, clinical trials, gerontology, intervention design, health policy/economics, and select clinical topics in otolaryngology, audiology, and geriatrics.

Location

The East Asian Fellows Program will take place on the campus of the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health in Baltimore, Maryland.

Costs

Participation in this program is free. The Cochlear Center for Hearing and Public Health will provide complimentary accommodations for participants in a Johns Hopkins University dormitory, and all meals and social events will be covered. Participants will be responsible for arranging their own transportation to Baltimore.

Lodging/Shuttle Service & Social Events

Participants will be provided a single dormitory room on the Johns Hopkins University campus in north Baltimore. There is a free shuttle service that runs between the Johns Hopkins University dormitory and the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health where this program is being held.

Planned social outings include:

- Bus tour of Baltimore
- Maryland Blue Crab dinner
- Baltimore Orioles baseball game
- Baltimore Inner Harbor boat tour

Application Procedures

This program is designed for clinicians (ENTs, audiologists, internists/geriatricians, etc.) and researchers (epidemiologists, gerontologists, etc.) who are interested in understanding and addressing the impact of hearing loss on older adults using public health methodologies.

- Potential candidates are strongly encouraged to develop interdisciplinary collaborations in their home country before applying for the program and to have 2 or more members of the team apply together for the East Asian Fellows program
- Application procedures are detailed at www.jhucochlearcenter.org/eaf
- Applications are due by **December 16th, 2018**.
- Selected participants will be notified by January 11th, 2019.

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Applicants will need to provide:

- Completed application form
- Cover letter explaining background & interest in the East Asian Fellows Program
- Curriculum vitae
- Description of ongoing or planned project focused on aging, hearing, & public health that would be positively impacted by participating in the program

Important Dates

Application deadline: Dec 16, 2018

Participant notification: Jan 11, 2019

Program start: Monday 9am
July 15, 2019

Program end: Friday 4pm
July 19, 2019

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