DR. WILLIAM M. SCHOLL COLLEGE OF PODIATRIC MEDICINE AT ROSALIND FRANKLIN UNIVERSITY

Dean: Nancy Parsley, DPM, MHPE

GENERAL INFORMATION

We educate future podiatric physicians in an interprofessional environment, emphasizing academic excellence, patient care and research. Scholl College has a great reputation, thanks to a well-rounded medical curriculum, a passion for interprofessional medical care and an enthusiasm for applying new technologies. Approximately one-third of all practicing podiatric physicians in the United States are alumni of Scholl College, where our students learn alongside students from other programs. Our interprofessional focus encourages teamwork-based learning.

Our students begin making a difference in the lives of patients long before they graduate, through rotations at world-class hospitals and clinics in the areas of ER, infectious disease, internal medicine and surgery.

In addition, Scholl College is home to the Scholl Foot and Ankle Center, which provides medical care to our community and is home to several federally funded research studies.

We enroll students whose applications show they are prepared to study podiatric medicine. Our students have achieved academic success and demonstrate personal growth and professional motivation.

Dr. William M. Scholl College of Podiatric Medicine became a member of the RFU family in 2001. Recognized as a world leader in advancing podiatric medical education, the college provides a fully accredited, four-year professional program leading to the Doctor of Podiatric Medicine (DPM) degree. Scholl truly is the college to go to when it comes to podiatry.

MISSION STATEMENT:

To educate future Podiatric Physicians in an interprofessional environment that emphasizes academic excellence, patient care, and research.

TYPE OF INSTITUTION: PRIVATE
DATE FOUNDED: 1912
TERM TYPE: QUARTER

CAMPUSS SETTING: SUBURBAN
CAMPUSS HOUSING: YES
ANNUAL CLASS SIZE: 98

PREPARATION

BACCALAUREATE DEGREE PREFERRED: YES
ACCEPTABLE MINIMUM NUMBER OF SEMESTER HOURS: 90
QUARTER UNIT HOURS: 135
ACCEPTS ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP) CREDITS: YES

ACADEMIC PREPAREDNESS OF 2018 ENTERING CLASS:

BACCALAUREATE: 85
MASTERS: 20
PH.D. OR OTHER DOCTORATE: 0

PREREQUISITE REQUIRED RECOMMENDED LAB REQUIRED CREDITS

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* BIOCHEMISTRY MAY BE SUBSTITUTED FOR HALF THIS REQUIREMENT.

PREPARATION EXTRAS:

SCHOLL COLLEGE ACCEPTS COMMUNITY COLLEGE COURSEWORK HOWEVER; COMPETITIVE APPLICANTS WILL HAVE BUILT UPON THAT COURSEWORK BY TAKING ADDITIONAL COURSES AT THE UNIVERSITY LEVEL.

SCHOLL COLLEGE SUGGESTS A MINIMUM OF 20 SHADOWING HOURS WITH A DPM. ADDITIONALLY, SHADOWING AT A VARIETY OF DIFFERENT Podiatric SETTINGS IS HIGHLY SUGGESTED.

MCAT: MANDATORY
MCAT EXAMS TAKEN MORE THAN THREE (3) YEARS PRIOR TO APPLICATION ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE.

LATEST MCAT TEST ADMINISTRATION ACCEPTABLE FOR APPLICATION CYCLE: MAY

2018 MCAT RESULTS

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2018 GPA RESULTS

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<td>2.42 - 3.94</td>
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APPLICATION PROCESS

APPLICATION SERVICE: AACOMAS
EARLIEST FILING DATE: OPENING DATE OF AACOMAS
LATEST FILING DATE: THE FINAL APPLICATION DEADLINE DATE IS JUNE 30TH OF EACH YEAR FOR FALL ADMISSION OF THE SAME YEAR
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION REQUIRED: NO

RECOMMENDATION LETTERS: YES
ONE INDIVIDUAL LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION OR ONE COMMITTEE LETTER AND ONE ADDITIONAL LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION FROM A DPM CONFIRMS A SHADOWING EXPERIENCE IS REQUIRED.
WE PREFER LETTERS FROM SCIENCE FACULTY MEMBERS WHO HAVE TAUGHT YOU IN A CLASS.

SEND LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION BY: LETTERS BY MAIL: YES
INTERFOLIO: YES
PAPER: YES
VIRTUAL EVALS: YES

WE PREFER TO RECEIVE LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION VIA INTERFOLIO OR VIRTUAL EVALS.

SEND PAPER LETTERS TO:
ROSALIND FRANKLIN UNIVERSITY
SHPG ADMISSIONS
3333 GREEN BAY ROAD
NORTH CHICAGO, IL 60064-3095
DR. WILLIAM M. SCHOLL COLLEGE OF PODIATIC MEDICINE AT ROSALIND FRANKLIN UNIVERSITY

**DEPOSIT**

- **DEPOSIT DEPOSITION**
  - REQUIRED TO HOLD PLACE: YES
  - NO
- **DEPOSIT AMOUNT**
  - $2,000.00
  - $0.00
- **DEPOSIT DUE**
  - 30 DAYS THROUGH END OF FEBRUARY
  - WEEKS MARCH 1 – MAY 31
  - ON DEMAND JUNE 1 – MATURE CREDIT
- **REFUNDABLE**
  - NO
- **APPLIED TO TUTION**
  - $500 TOWARDS ORIENTATION FEES
  - $500 CREDITED TO STUDENT TUTION ACCOUNT

**ENTRERTING CLASS DEMOGRAPHICS**

- **WHITE:** 43%
- **SPANISH/ HISPANIC/LATINO/LATINA:** 12%
- **ASIAN:** 23%
- **BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN:** 7%
- **MALE:** 55%
- **FEMALE:** 45%

**COMBINED DEGREES OFFERED**

- **DEGREE**
  - M.D.
  - M.P.H.
  - M.S.
  - PH.D.
  - OTHER

**SPECIAL PROGRAMS AND SERVICES**

- **PRE-PODIATRY**
  - THE DR. WILLIAM M. SCHOLL COLLEGE OF PODIATRIC MEDICINE HAS INTERCOLLEGIATE PROGRAMS WITH KAROLIN UNIVERSITY (WISCONSIN), CAROLINE SQUARE (WISCONSIN), UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MILWAUKEE, AND WISCONSIN LUTHERAN, LEWIS UNIVERSITY (ILLINOIS), AND NORTH CENTRAL COLLEGE (ILLINOIS). THESE INTERCOLLEGIATE PROGRAMS SEEK TO IDENTIFY PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS WITH AN INTEREST IN THE DOCTOR OF PODIATRIC MEDICINE (DPM) DEGREE. UNDER THIS AGREEMENT STUDENT WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE IN AN ACCELERATED 3-4 PROGRAM.

- **DEIMUL UNIVERSITY AND ROSALIND FRANKLIN UNIVERSITY OF MEDICINE AND SCIENCE HAVE ESTABLISHED THE ALLIANCE FOR HEALTH PATHWAYS. THE ALLIANCE IS A UNIQUE, WIDE RANGING PROGRAM TO HELP ADDRESS THE EXPANDING NEED FOR HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS PREPARED TO MEET THE CHALLENGES OF AN INCREASINGLY COLLABORATIVE AND RAPIDLY EVOLVING FIELD.

- **CURRENT STUDENT SERVICES**
  - THE DIRECTOR OF STUDENT AFFAIRS IN THE DR. WILLIAM M. SCHOLL COLLEGE OF PODIATRIC MEDICINE WORKS TO SUPPORT THE COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY'S MISSION BY PROVIDING STUDENTS WITH PROGRAMS, ACTIVITIES AND ASSISTANCE THAT CONTRIBUTE TO STUDENTS' PERSONAL, ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT. THE DIRECTOR OF STUDENT AFFAIRS ASSISTS STUDENTS WITH A WIDE RANGE OF QUESTIONS TO HELP THEM NAVIGATE AND SUCCEED WITHIN THE COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY'S MISSION. ADVISERS STUDENTS ON PERSONAL, ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL MATTERS, SERVES AS AN ADVOCATE FOR PODIATRIC MEDICAL STUDENTS WHO ARE IN NEED OF SUPPORT AND AIDS THEM IN DEVELOPING A PLAN FOR FUTURE SUCCESS.

- **IN ADDITION TO THE SCHOLL COLLEGE DIRECTOR OF STUDENT AFFAIRS, THE DIVISION OF STUDENT AFFAIRS AND INCLUSION SUPPORTS THE ACADEMIC SUCCESS OF ALL 4PM STUDENTS BY FOSTERING THEIR PROFESSIONAL, MENTAL, PHYSICAL, AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT AND BY ENHANCING THE QUALITY OF CAMPUS LIFE. WE PROVIDE PROGRAMS AND SERVICES TO AUGMENT STUDENTS’ ABILITY TO LEARN AND DEVELOP LIFE SKILLS NECESSARY TO BECOME PRODUCTIVE AND CAREING MEMBERS OF OUR GLOBAL SOCIETY. OUR SERVICES INCLUDE BUT NOT LIMITED TO:**

**SPECIAL PROGRAMS AND SERVICES (CONTINUED)**

- **ACADEMIC SUPPORT**
- **STUDENT COUNSELING SERVICES**
- **STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES**
- **STUDENT LIFE**
- **FITNESS AND RECREATION**
- **OVER 300 STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS WITH OVER 1000 ANNUAL EVENTS**
- **MULTICULTURAL STUDENT SERVICES**

**STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS**

- THE OFFICE OF STUDENT LIFE SEEKS TO RAISE CULTURAL AWARENESS, SHARPEN LEADERSHIP SKILLS, GROW INTERPROFESSIONALISM, AND PROMOTE WELLNESS WITHIN THE UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY. LISTED BELOW YOU WILL FIND A SMALL SAMPLING OF THE OVER 300 STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS ON OUR CAMPUS.

- **AMERICAN COLLEGE OF FOOT AND ANKLE ORTHOPEDICS AND MEDICINE (ACFAO)**
- **AMERICAN ACADEMY OF WOMEN PODIASTISTS (AAWP)**
- **AMERICAN ACADEMY OF PODIATRIC PRACTICE MANAGEMENT (AAPLP)**
- **AMERICAN ACADEMY OF PODIATRIC SPORTS MEDICINE (AAPSM)**
- **AMERICAN SOCIETY OF PODIATRIC SURGEONS (ASPS)**
- **SPECTRUM (LGBTQI STUDENT ORGANIZATION)**
- **ILLINOIS PODIATRIC MEDICAL STUDENTS’ ASSOCIATION (IPMSA)**
- **KAPPA TAU EPEELO (KTE)**
- **MCCAMERANS (MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT GROUP)**
- **ROSSIGNOL FRANKLIN CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP (RFCC)**
- **STUDENT NATIONAL PODIATRIC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION (SNPMA)**

**INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS**

All international transcripts must be evaluated by either World Education Services (www.wes.org) or Education Credential Evaluators (www.ece.org). Applicants must request a course-by-course evaluation with determination of a letter grade.

For applicants that come from a non-English speaking country, or those that have not received any degrees from an English speaking country, we require a completed Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) exam.

**FINANCIAL AID AND SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION**

The Dr. William M. Scholl College of Podiatric Medicine is committed to administering aid programs in an efficient and fiscally responsible manner with the goal of providing the best possible awards, quality customer service and effective financial planning.

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The Dr. William M. Scholl College of Podiatric Medicine offers one of the largest scholarship programs available in podiatric medicine. First-year students are eligible for Distinguished Student Scholarships and Merit Scholarships. Distinguished Student Scholarships are awarded to candidates whose undergraduate academic records demonstrate exceptional levels of performance. Additionally, there are several endowed, restricted or privately funded scholarships awarded yearly.

**TUITION**

**FIRST + FOURTH YEAR**

- **TUTION (RESIDENT & NON-RESIDENT)**
  - $37,232

**FEES**

- **YEAR 1**
  - $1,591
- **YEAR 2**
  - $1,591
- **YEAR 3**
  - $1,591
- **YEAR 4**
  - $1,591

**BOOKS & SUPPLIES**

- **YEAR 1**
  - $2,674
- **YEAR 2**
  - $1,472
- **YEAR 3**
  - $1,472
- **YEAR 4**
  - $1,472

**ESTIMATED LIVING EXPENSES**

- **YEAR 1**
  - $17,032
- **YEAR 2**
  - $22,776
- **YEAR 3**
  - $22,776
- **YEAR 4**
  - $22,776

**TOTAL**

- **YEAR 1**
  - $26,867
- **YEAR 2**
  - $40,990
- **YEAR 3**
  - $40,990
- **YEAR 4**
  - $40,990

Each international medical college makes every effort to provide accurate, current information. Tuition and fees are subject to change without notice. For the most up to date information, please visit the college's financial aid website.

**EXTRAS**

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- Instagram.com/rtfmslife
- Youtube.com/user/rosalindfranklinu
- Linkedin.com/schools/157138398