New Graduate Certificate in Tropical Medicine Now Available

This University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa Graduate Certificate Program, based in the Dept. of Tropical Medicine, Medical Microbiology, and Pharmacology at the John A. Burns School of Medicine, is accepting students for Fall 2016 admission. The one-year certificate program will provide health professionals with the knowledge and skills needed to successfully pursue a career in clinical tropical infectious diseases and students interested in health careers with a foundation in tropical infectious diseases. The Dept. of Tropical Medicine is unique amongst the collection of global health programs in the University of Hawai‘i system in its focus on global infectious diseases, particularly those endemic to tropical environments such as malaria, dengue, Zika and HIV.

The Graduate Certificate Program will provide training in infectious diseases including bacteriology, mycology, virology, parasitology, immunology, and laboratory diagnosis and methodology. In addition to coursework, students will complete a capstone project related to their area of interest within the field of tropical infectious diseases.

To be eligible to apply, an applicant needs to possess a bachelor’s degree from an accredited US college or university, or an equivalent degree from a recognized non-US institution of higher education.

The Graduate Certificate in Tropical Medicine is intended to prepare students for a 21st century career in global infectious disease.

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