Save the date!

Join more than 1,500 global health students and leaders from over 50 nations to explore global health sustainability themes and the role universities play in advancing health equity worldwide.

For more information and to register early, visit cugh.org.

Featured Speakers Include
- Anthony Fauci, National Institute for Allergy and Infectious Diseases
- Richard Horton, The Lancet
- Christopher Murray, Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation
- Roberto Tapia, Instituto Carlos Slim de la Salud
- Gavin Yamey, Duke University

Featured Sub-themes
- Education
- Eradication
- Global Health Financing
- Global Health Security
- Global Mental Health
- Governance
- HIV
- Innovation
- Planetary Health
- Risk Factors for NCDs
- Sustainable Development Goals
- Urban Health
- Vaccines
- Violence

Conference Highlights
- 10 Plenary Sessions
- 5 Breakout Periods
- 500 Poster Presentations
- 2 Days of Exhibitor Booths

Global Health Film Festival
- Global Health videos by the Pulitzer Center for Crisis Reporting
- 3rd Annual CUGH Video Awards

Student Sessions
Opportunities for student engagement during pre-conference Satellite Sessions and within the Core Agenda

Activities and Awards
- Reflections in Global Health
- Annual Velji Awards
- Lancet/CUGH Best Student Posters
- Untold Global Health Stories

Gairdner Lecture Series
Lecture by the 2016 Gairdner Global Health Awardee
The Consortium of Universities for Global Health (CUGH) is a rapidly growing Washington, DC based organization of over 130 academic institutions and other organizations from around the world engaged in addressing global health challenges. CUGH was established in 2008 with generous funding from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation and The Rockefeller Foundation.

Mission
To build interdisciplinary collaborations between universities and other sectors to facilitate the sharing and implementation of knowledge to strengthen academic global health programs and address global health challenges. CUGH works across education, research, and service. It is dedicated to creating equity and reducing health disparities, particularly in low-income settings. CUGH promotes mutually beneficial partnerships between universities and other sectors in developed and developing countries to strengthen human capital and institutional capabilities. It is committed to translating knowledge into action.

Vision
Making the university a transforming force in global health.

Activities
Impact
Working to bridge the knowledge-needs gap by increasing access to innovations that can address global health challenges; fostering the dissemination and implementation of evidence-based high impact interventions; facilitating effective partnerships between institutions in high and low income countries and between them and governments, foundations, NGOs, and the private sector to achieve these goals.

Advocacy
Creating policy-related information, tools, events, and partnerships to support global health institutions and the sustained growth of members’ programs and activities.

Capacity Building
Utilizing the capabilities in academic institutions to help build capacity across disciplines in low-income communities and institutions.

Education
Developing interdisciplinary educational curricula, and resources. CUGH is a resource center for information, materials, and services that support global health education, research, and service activities.

Enabling Systems
Facilitating inter-university information exchanges and developing global operational tools and resources that will strengthen university-based global health programs.

Communications and Information Resources
A global health information hub (cugh.org) has been created for the academic community, policymakers, the private sector, NGOs, and the public. Information about educational materials, forums, best practices, policy updates, training modules, funding, research opportunities, and other relevant content across disciplines is available on the site.

Membership
CUGH now accepts both individuals and institutions as members. To learn about CUGH membership, please visit CUGH.org/join or contact membership@cugh.org.