

* 1. INTRODUCTION

Dear Graduate of the Health Care Ethics Internship Program,

The Santa Clara University Markkula Center for Applied Ethics Health Care Ethics Internship is celebrating its 18 year anniversary. We have prepared a brief survey to learn: (1) what you have done since graduation; (2) the impact of the Internship experience on your personal and professional life; and (3) how we can improve the program to better serve our current and future Interns.

We anticipate that survey completion should take approximately 15 minutes . You are not required to complete the survey; however, your responses will help us to understand program impact and to improve the experience for current and future interns.

Please be candid; specific examples are particularly helpful. We may use your comments for educational and publication purposes.

To protect your confidentiality, we will separate any personal identifiers (i.e., email address) from your survey responses and maintain these separately from your survey responses. Your name or other identifying information (i.e., graduation year) will never be disclosed in any reports for educational or publication purposes.

We thank you for your time, consideration, and commitment to the Internship program. We wish you the best.

If you have questions regarding this survey, please contact Dr. Margaret R. McLean, Associate Director, Markkula Center for Applied Ethics, at mmclean@scu.edu or (408) 554-5319.

If you have any questions about your rights as a participant in this research, or if you feel you have been placed at risk, you can contact the Chair of the Human Subjects Committee, through Office of Research Compliance and Integrity at (408) 554-5591.

I agree to participate in this survey

2. In which year did you participate in the internship?

Choose year:

Please choose year:

3. What year did you graduate from Santa Clara University?

Select graduation year

Graduation year:

If you did not graduate, write "Did not Graduate" here

4. What was your major at Santa Clara University?

(Check all that apply)

- Biology
- Biochemistry
- Bioengineering
- Chemistry
- Public Health
- Business Major (Undergraduate) (e.g. Accounting, Finance, Marketing)
- Other Science Major not listed above (e.g., Physics, Engineering, Math)
- Social Science Major (e.g., Anthropology, Sociology, Political Science)
- Humanities Major (e.g., Modern Languages, Art, Dance, Music, Philosophy)
- Other Major or Degree (i.e, Masters) at Santa Clara University--Please Describe:

5. Did you participate in the Applied Ethics Pathway?

- Yes
- No
- Not Applicable--I Graduated from SCU before June, 2013

6. Education: Have you started or completed an additional educational certification, degree, or licensure since graduating from Santa Clara University? (Select all that apply)

- Not Applicable--I have not obtained an additional certificate, degree, or license since SCU graduation
- Certificate
- Bachelors
- Masters
- PhD
- MD
- JD
- License
- Other (please specify)

7. If you marked yes to any items in 6 above, what was your major area of study for that certification, degree, or licensure?

8. Since graduation from SCU have you obtained
(check all that apply)

- A Job
- An Internship
- Not applicable--I have not obtained a job or internship since graduation
- Other (please specify)

9. If you marked yes to any item in 8 above, please describe your current or most recent job title, internship title, field/organization and location (e.g., Job/internship Title, Field/Organization, City, State, Country).

10. What field have you entered?

(Check all that apply)

- Bioengineering
- Biotechnology
- Business
- Bioethics
- Dentistry
- Education – K-12
- Education – Post Secondary (including: college, university, vocational)
- Government
- Health Care Administration
- Law
- Medicine
- Medical Research
- Not for Profit
- Nursing
- Physical Therapy
- Public Health
- Social Work
- Other (please specify)

Evaluation of the Internship Experience--Academic and Clinical Rotation Components

Instructions: When questions in the following sections refer to the SCU Health Care Ethics Internship, they indicate the combination of the academic/classroom component (“Reflection Sessions”) **AND** Clinical Rotations. Questions that refer to only the academic/classroom component OR only to clinical rotations will be explicitly identified as such.

11. I participated in the SCU Health Care Ethics Internship because I wanted to:

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	Not Applicable
Meet SCU graduation requirements	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Learn about health care	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Learn about ethics	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Gain experience in a clinical environment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Discern a future professional vocation (e.g., preferred health care role for a career)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Develop my ethical decision-making skills	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Prepare for an advanced degree in a clinical field (e.g., MD, RN, Social Work, Psychology)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Prepare for an advanced degree in a non-clinical field (e.g., public health, business)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Build my resume	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Prepare for a job	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Other (please describe)

12. Which clinical rotations did you participate in?

- Chaplaincy/Spiritual Care Services
- Emergency Room
- Family Medicine Residency (FMR)
- Hospice
- Intensive Care Unit (ICU)
- Intermediate Care Telemetry Unit (ICTU)
- Internal Medicine
- Interventional Radiology
- Medical Surgical-Oncology Unit
- Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU)
- Ortho-Neuro Spine Unit
- Oncology
- Outpatient Behavioral Health
- Outpatient Geriatrics
- Outpatient Radiation Oncology
- Outpatient Pediatrics (not Pediatric Center for Life)
- Palliative Care (in-patient or out-patient)
- Pediatric Center for Life
- Physical Therapy/Rehabilitation Services (in-patient or out-patient)
- Progressive Care Unit (PCU)
- Senior and Memory Care
- Skilled Nursing
- Social Work
- Sub-Acute Care
- Transitional Care Center (TCC)
- Wound Care Clinic

Other (please specify rotation)

13. How important were each of the following academic/classroom program elements to developing your knowledge and understanding of ethics related questions in health care?

	Not at all Important	Somewhat Important	Important	Very Important	Extremely Important
Reflection sessions	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Written reflection assignments	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Clinical rotations	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Interactions with SCU Internship Staff	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Other/open comment

14. How valuable were your activities during your clinical rotations for your professional growth?

- Of little to no value to me
- Somewhat valuable to me
- Mostly valuable to me
- Extremely valuable to me
- This question is not relevant to my clinical rotation experience

15. For each item below, please rate your level of agreement with the statement

Strongly Disagree Disagree Neutral Agree Strongly Agree Not Applicable

During my clinical rotations, I regularly observed positive examples of collaborative teamwork among professionals

If you rated this as Disagree or Strongly Disagree, please describe your experience. If you reported strongly disagree, did the internship (academic or clinical rotation) provide opportunities to discuss these experiences?

During my clinical rotations, I regularly observed examples of respectful, collaborative, productive, and compassionate health care professional-patient relationships

If you rated this as Disagree or Strongly Disagree, please describe your experience. If you reported strongly disagree, did the internship (academic or clinical rotation) provide opportunities to discuss these experiences?

16. How well were you supervised during your clinical rotations?

- I was mostly on my own, generally left unsupervised
- I occasionally received supervision
- I often received supervision
- I often received helpful supervision
- I always received helpful supervision
- I don't know/remember

17. How well were you mentored or provided guidance during your clinical rotations?

- I was mostly on my own/generally felt unmentored or not guided
- I occasionally received mentorship or guidance
- I often received mentorship or guidance
- I always received mentorship or guidance
- I don't know/remember

18. Overall, how pleased were you with the SCU Health Care Ethics Internship Program experience (i.e., academic and clinical rotation components)?

- I was quite disappointed in the internship experience
- It was ok, but not great
- I was mostly pleased with the internship experience
- I was very pleased with the internship experience

19. Did the SCU Health Care Ethics Internship help you to determine your

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not applicable to me
post-graduation plans	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
career or vocational path	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

20. Over the year, did participation in the Internship Program (academic and clinical components) increase your professional capabilities ?

- It did not help me to develop professional capabilities
- I progressed somewhat in professional capabilities during this internship
- I progressed quite a bit in my professional capabilities during this internship
- I progressed very much in my professional capabilities during this internship
- Question not relevant to my internship experience

21. Educational Impact: If you started or completed a graduate degree since graduating from Santa Clara University, please answer the question below. If not, please choose "not applicable" and proceed the next question

I believe that my participation in the SCU Health Care Ethics Internship Program:
(Check all that apply)

- Assisted with my admission to a graduate program in a clinical field (e.g., Nursing/Medicine/Social Work)
- Assisted with my admission to a graduate program in a non-clinical field (e.g., JD/MPH/PhD)
- Equipped me with tools for identifying ethics-related questions that I encountered as a graduate student (clinical or non-clinical)
- Helped me find the courage to speak up in my graduate program when faced with ethics-related questions
- Enabled me to advise others in my graduate program facing ethics-related questions
- Provided the opportunity for me to be recognized in graduate school for my ability to address ethics-related questions
- Not applicable**--I have not entered, started, or completed a graduate program since graduating from SCU

22. Career Impact: If you have obtained a job or internship (full or part time) since graduating from Santa Clara University, please answer the question below. If not, please choose “not applicable” and proceed to the next question.

I believe that my participation in the Health Care Ethics Internship Program had the following impact:
(check all that apply)

- Helped me to obtain a job in a health care related field (Made me marketable for a job in health care)
- Helped me to obtain a job in a field not related to health care (Made me marketable for a non-health care related job)
- Influenced an employer's decision to hire me
- Equipped me with tools for identifying ethics-related questions I encountered in the workplace
- Equipped me with tools for making ethics-related decisions in my workplace
- Helped me to find the courage to speak up in my work environment when faced with ethics related questions
- Enabled me to advise others in my work environment who were facing ethics-related questions
- Has given me the opportunity to be recognized in my work environment for my ability to address ethics-related ethics related questions
- Not Applicable**--I have not obtained a job or internship since graduating from SCU

23. Ethics in Everyday Life: I believe that my participation in the SCU Health Care Ethics Internship Program had the following impact:
(check all that Apply)

- Equipped me with tools for identifying ethics-related questions in everyday life.
- Equipped me with tools for making decisions regarding ethics-related questions in my everyday life.
- Helped me to find the courage to speak up when faced with ethics-related questions in my everyday life.
- Enabled me to advise others who are facing ethics-related questions in everyday life.
- Has given me the opportunity to be recognized in my everyday life for my for my ability to address ethics-related ethics related questions.
- Helped me to develop my understanding of my personal faith/spirituality.
- Helped me to become a person of competence, conscience, and compassion.

24. Participation in the SCU Health Care Ethics Internship Program inspired me to engage in the following bioethics related activities since graduation from SCU:

(check all that apply):

- Seeking out further information about ethics
- Reading journal articles about ethics
- Attending ethics related lectures and/or conferences
- Giving lectures and/or presentations on ethics-related topics
- Pursuing an advanced degree or certificate in bioethics
- Pursuing an advanced degree or certificate in ethics
- Choosing a career directly related to bioethics
- Choosing a career directly related to ethics
- Participating in work activities directly related to business ethics (e.g., ethics, legal ethics, compliance and business integrity)
- Participating on a clinical ethics committee
- Participating as a member of an ethics committee of a professional organization
- Participating on an Institutional Review Board (e.g., as a member, staff, or subject matter expert)
- Other (please specify)

25. Based on my experience with the SCU Health Care Ethics Internship Program (check all that apply)

- I would recommend this program to a current SCU student.
- I would recommend this program as a reason to attend SCU.
- The SCU Health Care Ethics internship is a unique and special undergraduate experience.
- A greater number of SCU students should have access to this opportunity (currently a maximum of 18 are able to participate out of 50+ applicants).
- Every interested and qualified SCU student should be able to participate.
- This program makes SCU stand out from other colleges and universities.
- This program should be replicated at other colleges and universities.

26. Tell the story (i.e., describe the context) of one ethics related question/concern/decision that you observed during your clinical rotations.

27. Describe an important or valuable experience you had during the internship (academic and/or clinical rotation) that influenced your learning experience and/or professional growth/development.

28. Please list 3 things that could improve the SCU Health Care Ethics Internship Program experience:

Personal Demographics

The following questions are optional. Completion of these questions will help us to improve the SCU Health Care Ethics Internship for all students.

29. With which gender identity do you most identify?

- a. Male
- b. Female
- c. Gender Variant/Non-Conforming
- d. Not Listed Above
- e. Decline to State

30. Are you of Hispanic, Latinx, or of Spanish origin?"

- Yes
- No
- Decline to State

31. How would you describe yourself (check all that apply):

- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian
- Black or African American
- Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander
- White
- Decline to State

32. In what ZIP code is your home located? (enter 5-digit ZIP code; for example, 00544 or 94305; if living outside the U.S enter 00000 and answer next question)

33. Country of Residence if living outside of the United States

34. Are you a first-generation college student (neither of your parents or guardians graduated from a 4-year college or university)?

- Yes
- No
- Decline to State

35. Were you the recipient of a Pell Grant and/or Cal Grant as part of your undergraduate financial aid package?

- Yes
- No
- Decline to State

36. If you would like a copy of the results of this survey, please include your email address here:

37. If you would be willing to be contacted for a short conversation to discuss your experience in the internship, please provide your name, email and phone number:

Thank you for your time and support of the SCU Health Care Ethics Internship. If you have any questions, please contact Dr. Margaret McLean, Associate Director, Markkula Center for Applied Ethics, at MMclean@SCU.edu or (408) 554-5319.

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If you wish to share any additional thoughts or find out more about what is happening with the program, we invite you to contact the current program manager, Ryvenna Lewis at rlewis@scu.edu.