FACTSHEET: Students Employed in Health Promotion (SEIHP)

What is SEIHP?
The WACHPR Students Employed in Health Promotion (SEIHP) program was developed to provide opportunities for Curtin health promotion undergraduate and postgraduate students to further develop their research skills within the field of health promotion and public health. At the same time the program provides WACHPR researchers to access extra assistance to complete projects.

The SEIHP program is organised through Curtin Careers in conjunction with WACHPR staff and is available to both undergraduate and postgraduate students with a good academic record.

Students who participate in SEIHP will be given the opportunity to undertake paid work at the WACHPR providing support on research projects. Opportunities are generally short term working with an individual researcher. There will be no guarantee of hours available. Students will receive a letter acknowledging their work from the WACHPR Director.

Participation in the SEIHP program cannot be used for credit towards a degree nor can it be used as placement hours for Professional Practice in Public Health 383/683.

Where will I be working?
The majority of SEIHP projects will be located at the WACHPR, located within the School of Public Health at Curtin University Bentley campus, Level 4, Building 400.

When can I apply?
SEIHP participants will be recruited twice a year through Curtin Careers announcements on the Health Promotion Students Information and Networking Blackboard site. Formal written applications will be required that address specific selection criteria.

Why participate in SEIHP?
Through participating in SEIHP you will:
- Gain paid work experience in a research centre
- Clarify area may want to work in on graduation
- Assistance from Curtin Careers in application preparation process
- May lead to ongoing paid work at WACHPR
- Networking opportunities
- Great for CV

How do I apply?
1. Await announcement
   Await an announcement from Curtin Careers calling for applications via the Health Promotion Students Information and Networking Blackboard site. This occurs twice a year, prior to the start of each semester.
2. Follow the specific instructions
   Curtin Careers will provide specific application instructions on the Blackboard announcement. Follow these carefully to increase the likelihood of your application being successful.

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