I am glad to share, as a medical student in clinical medicine major, why I am applying to this program, from the perspective of personal interest and my career outlook to contribute to a broader world.

Basically, I have trained well in general clinical education, from individual healthcare to disease prevention in the population. Particularly, helping people and saving lives in my final-year clinical clerkship has made me always keep medical ethics and the awe of life in my mind. I appreciate it.

So, why I am veering my career path from saving individuals’ lives as a doctor to healthcare management and medicinal administration? My experience in fighting COVID-19 as a front-line medical volunteer has implied to me that, any decision-making to critical health concerns involves complex interactions among the public and many stakeholders, and thus needs to be supported by evidence-based, professional knowledge from multidisciplinary domains, including human, animal, and environmental health. That is what the One Heath approach tries to address, I am exactly interested in this.

To achieve success in such a long-term career, I have made huge efforts: 1) performed well in academics (GPA: 90.05/100, top 3.31%), 2) contributed to online health platform design with clinical and HEOR perspectives, 3) submitted an original research paper (first author), and 4) acted as a volunteer during the pandemic.