**Shima Shakory**

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**Education**

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| 2015 – Present | University of Toronto **Doctor of Medicine** | Toronto, Ontario |
| 2011 – 2015 | Queen’s University **B. Sc. (Honours) Biology**   * Cumulative GPA: 4.0 (4.0 scale) * Governor General’s Academic Medalist * Arts and Science Undergraduate Society Scholarship * Prince of Wales Prize * Medal in Biology | Kingston, Ontario |
| 2007 – 2011 | Lawrence Park Collegiate Institute   * Ontario Scholar Award * Certificate of Bilingual Studies in French Immersion | Toronto, Ontario |

**Political Affairs**

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| Aug 2017 – Feb 2018 | **Intern and Consultant**, Office on Drugs and Crime, United Nations, Austria   * Wrote about internationally controlled psychotropic substances in the UNODC Psychotropic Substances Technical Report 2017 * Represented Canada in the Expert Group Meeting on providing Technical Guidelines for Increasing Access to Opioids (advanced draft now published) * Presented at the International Narcotics Control Board’s 120th Session in November 2017 * Corresponded with Governments to monitor compliance to international drug treaties and provide technical support regarding drug control and prevention * Wrote alerts and papers concerning controlled substances |

**University Society Affiliations**

***University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario***

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| Jan 2016 – Present | **Voting Member**, Board of Examiners, University of Toronto Faculty of Medicine   * Meet once per month for four hours to review cases of students with academic or professional issues. The board determines the appropriate course(s) of action, which may include remediation or dismissal * Represent the over 1,000 medical students at the University. In my three years on the Board, I have successfully advocated for students in hundreds of cases |
| Sept 2016 – Sept 2017 | **President**, University of Toronto Medical Society   * Represented the over 1,000 medical students at University of Toronto to faculty, staff and external organizations, and implement the Society’s $250,000 budget * Acted as official spokesperson and liaison for the Society to the Faculty of Medicine, and to any other individual or organization as necessary, e.g., the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care met with our program’s leadership, including myself, to discuss the future of medical education * Was responsible for the management and coordination of all 35 Society Executive Council Members, including meeting with Members one-on-one to set goals and organize new events, e.g., worked with VP Education to organize the new CaRMS panel, VP Internal to organize the new Career Fair and Careers Rep, VP Finance to create and pass new funding guidelines * Advocated in the best interest of students, as the only student representative, on the following boards: the Medical Alumni Association Board, the Board of Examiners, the Hospital University Education Committee, Faculty Council * Represented University of Toronto to the Canadian Federation of Medical Students and the American Association of Medical Colleges at monthly teleconference meetings and annual conferences * Met with the Vice Dean and the Associate Dean of Student Affairs monthly on behalf of the Medical Society * Met with Faculty monthly at Council of Presidents Meetings |
| Jan 2016 – Aug 2016 | **President-Elect**, University of Toronto Medical Society   * Assisted the outgoing President in enacting duties * Acted as a voting member of the Medical Society Executive Council, the Medical Alumni Association Board, and the Board of Examiners * Acted as official spokesperson and liaison for the Society to the Faculty of Medicine, and to any other individual or organization as necessary * Met monthly with Faculty at Council of Presidents Meetings * Represented U of T's MD program at monthly CFMS meetings and at the annual CFMS Spring General Meeting * Met with each Vice President portfolio to set goals for the upcoming year * Sit on the Rising Star Selection Committee |