

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA BERKELEY



AMSA

AMERICAN MEDICAL STUDENT ASSOCIATION

4th General Meeting  
"What is..." Global health?

# UC Berkeley Pre-Health Conference

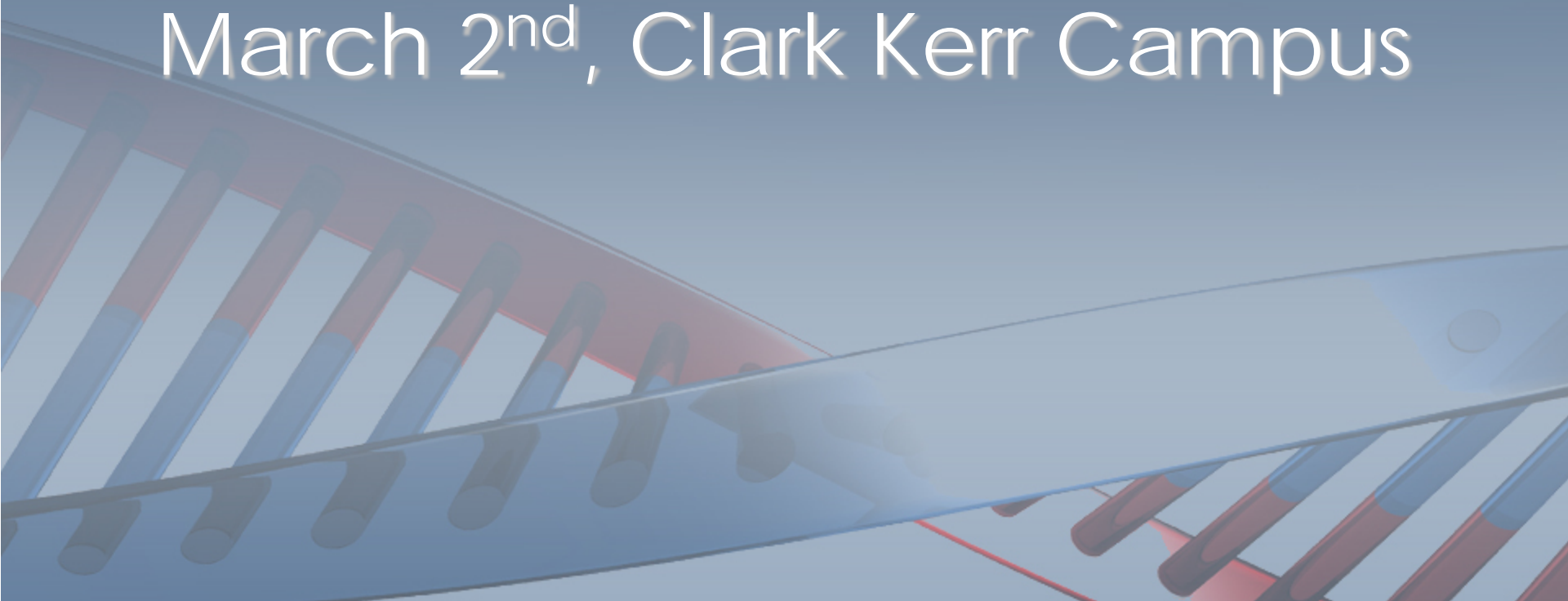
Hosted by AMSA

- Saturday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> from 8:30 am -4:30 pm  
Clark Kerr Campus
- Workshops, panels, guest speakers, keynote speech by our physician mentor Dr. Armstrong, suture clinic and more!
- \$5 early bird registration ends **\*THIS\* Saturday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>!**
  - Tickets are selling out fast!
- Tickets on sale now: <http://ucbphc2013.eventbrite.com/>

# UC Berkeley AMSA 6<sup>th</sup> Pre-Health Conference

"Inspiring the Healthcare Leaders of Tomorrow"

March 2<sup>nd</sup>, Clark Kerr Campus



# UC Berkeley AMSA – Conference 6 “El Seis”

American Medical Student Association

## PRE-HEALTH CONFERENCE

INSPIRING THE HEALTHCARE LEADERS OF TOMORROW

MARCH 2, 2013

10 AM – 4 PM | CLARK KERR CONFERENCE CENTER



### Highlights

- MD, MPH, Joint Degree, and Medical student panels
- Lunch time fair with representatives from different schools and organizations
- Research in medicine talk by Mozzi Etemadi, named Top 30 under 30 scientist by *Forbes Magazine*

### Featuring workshops on

- Personal statement, interview, AMCAS, and MCAT
- Global health, healthcare reform, post-bacc and special masters programs



REGISTER AT

<http://ucbphc2013.eventbrite.com>



ASUC Sponsored  
More info: [amsa.berkeley.edu](http://amsa.berkeley.edu)



Food!

Celebrities!

Pre-digested  
info!

# UC Berkeley AMSA – Free stuff (2012)

- Pre-med Survival Guide
  - Lots of answers
  - Debunks myths
- Notepad, folio, materials
- MCAT Prep auction (\$1k)



Dr. Gordon Fung  
Cardiology, UCSF



UCB AMSA 2012

- **Good food (!!)**
  - Breakfast – coffee, etc.
  - Lunch fair – catered



# UC Berkeley AMSA – Events (2013)



Dr. John Armstrong (2013)  
(OB) / GYN Napa, CA



Dr. Susan Phillips (2012)  
Pediatrics, UCSD

- Keynote speech (10:00 → 11:00)

# UC Berkeley AMSA – Events (2013)



- Workshops / Panels (11:00 → 12:00)
  - MCAT
  - Physician Panel
  - Research in Medicine\*
  - Healthcare Reform

# UC Berkeley AMSA – Events (2013)



- Lunch Fair (12:30 → 1:00 → 2:30)
  - Representatives from many schools
    - MD, DO, MPH, etc.
  - Kaplan (sponsors) mock interviews



# UC Berkeley AMSA – Events (2013)



Med Student Panel



Financing Med School

(Don't do this!!!)

- More workshops (**3x**)
  - (1:00 → 2:00 → 3:00 → 4:00)
- Popular ones can get crowded
  - There are repeats, plan ahead!\*

\*eventbrite website

## Recommendations

- Dress appropriately, comfortably
  - Meeting important people
  - (cold in morning / rooms get warm)
- Don't fall into trap of taking too many notes!
  - *“Miss the forest for the trees”*
  - **Names, e-mails, topics**
- Parking is a pain – take BART
  - Get there early (*mingle, food :3*)

**This is an amazing bang-for-the-buck! Go!**

# Upcoming Volunteer Opportunities

## **Berkeley Project (3/9 Sat.)**

- Signup now! 2/3 full!
- Specify “Team AMSA”
- Don’t sign up for 3/2 date (that’s the same day as AMSA conference!)
- [www.berkeleyproject.org](http://www.berkeleyproject.org)

Email [donghanyao@gmail.com](mailto:donghanyao@gmail.com) to sign up for all events!

# Service Trip

When: Mon., May 6<sup>th</sup> (first day of dead week) 9am-2pm

- Work with St. Anthony Foundation, in San Francisco, whose mission is to feed, heal, shelter, clothe, lift the spirits of those in need, and create a society in which all persons flourish.
- Participate in workshops in the morning, volunteer in the afternoon, grab lunch with the community members in the dinning hall, and finally wrap up the day with a key note speaker. There are several volunteer activities including working in the dinning hall, delivering meals to home bound seniors, working in a clothing drive, and spending time with members in a senior center.
- It will be first come first serve so please sign up only if you are 100% sure that you can attend: <http://www.wejoinin.com/sheets/wgqic>



# Kaplan practice test

- **Register for a Free Practice Test for the GRE, LSAT, or MCAT Saturday, March 9th at 10am at UC Berkeley**

Taking a practice test lets you experience what the exam is really like before you experience the real thing. By attending Kaplan's practice test, you'll receive:

A detailed score report and performance analysis immediately following the exam

- Complete explanations to every question on the test
- Strategies demonstrated by an expert Kaplan faculty member
- Register for the **March 9th practice test** by clicking the link below. All tests begin at 10am (GRE & LSAT will be held in Boalt Hall; MCAT will be held in 102 Moffitt) [bit.ly/calpracticetest2013](http://bit.ly/calpracticetest2013)
  - Be sure to select "Pre-Med AMSA" when signing up!



# AMSA's 5<sup>th</sup> General Meeting

- Presentation by the Career Center