



ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The NIH-Penn Advanced Scholars in Immunology Graduate Program (NIH-Penn ASIGP) represents a distinctive and groundbreaking collaboration between the National Institutes of Health (NIH) and the University of Pennsylvania. Our program offers an unparalleled pre-doctoral training experience in basic and translational immunology, preparing graduates to excel as leaders in the field of biomedical research. As a member of the NIH-Penn ASIGP community, you will receive tailored guidance and mentorship from esteemed immunology faculty members from both institutions. Additionally, you will have access to cutting-edge research facilities and advanced equipment, ensuring that you have the tools necessary to tackle complex scientific questions.

Our program places a strong emphasis on cultivating independent critical thinking and fostering intellectual innovation. We provide students with opportunities to attend seminars, workshops, and conferences, and to collaborate on interdisciplinary research projects with other scholars.

Whether you aspire to a career in academic research, industry, or public service, the NIH-Penn ASIGP will provide you with a rigorous and comprehensive graduate education that will prepare you for success.

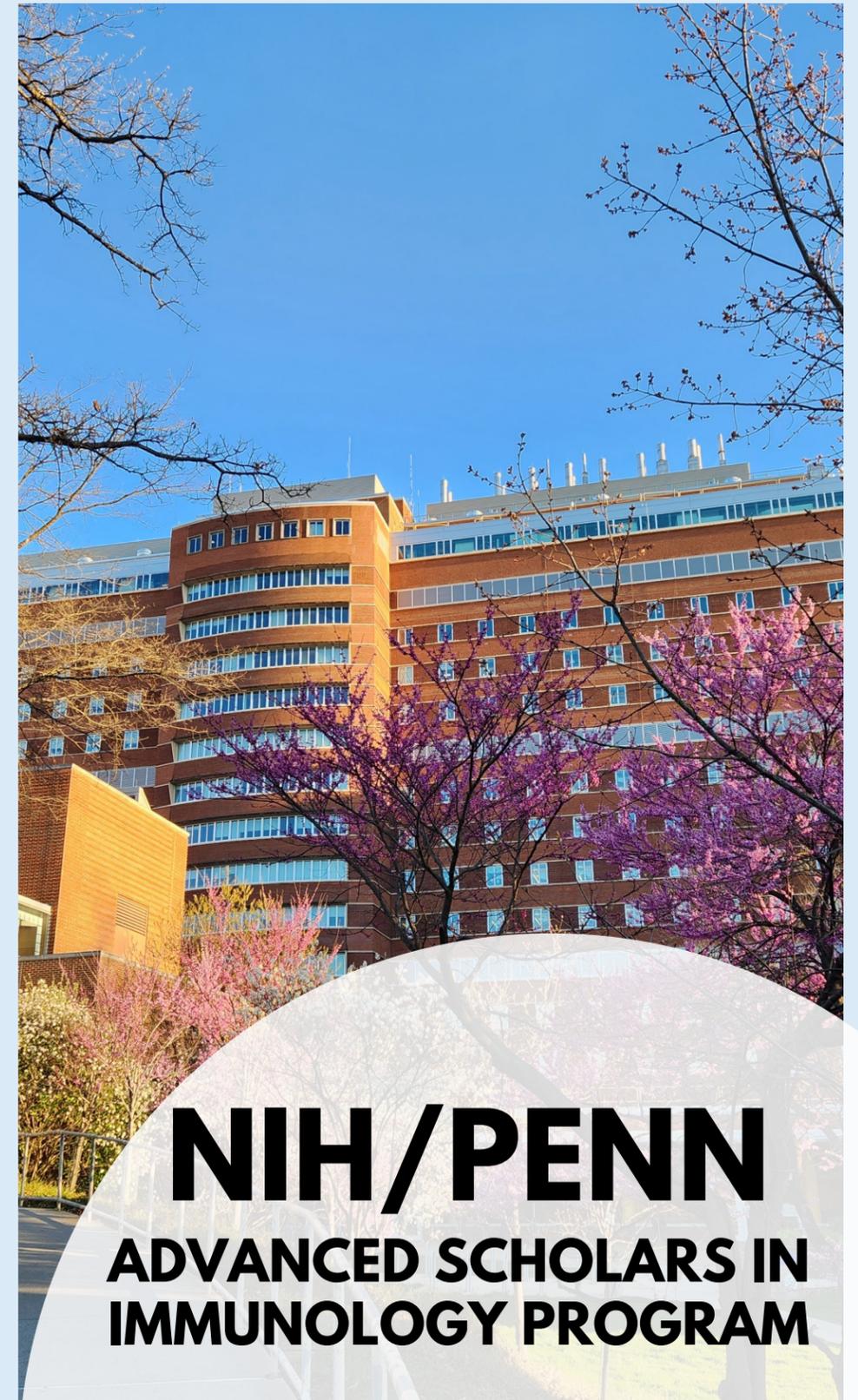
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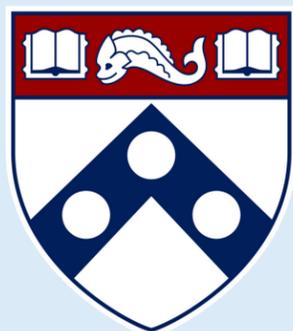
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KEY PROGRAM FEATURES

- Access to over 250 immunology research laboratories for collaboration and interdisciplinary training
- Academic classes, exams, and rotations at the University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine
- Doctoral thesis research conducted in NIH laboratories
- Extensive professional and career development opportunities through NIH training offices
- State-of-the-art core biological facilities and computational biology centers for cutting-edge research.

HOW TO APPLY?

Eligibility: U.S. citizens and permanent residents

Application and Interview Process:

- Applicants will apply to the NIH track at the time of application through the University of Pennsylvania's application system.
- Candidates are selected for interviews soon after the application deadline, Dec. 1.
- 8 applicants will be invited for an interview and visit to the NIH. The other NIH applicants will be automatically considered for interviews on the Penn track.

Financial Support: the NIH is financially responsible for the tuition, stipend, and health insurance. Starting in year 3, the student's tuition, stipend, and health insurance are paid by the NIH mentor.



PRE-MATRICULATION ROTATION AT NIH?

Experience NIH vibrant research environment by applying for Summer Internship Program at <https://www.training.nih.gov/programs/sip> by Dec. 1!

Learn about NIH intramural Research Program opportunities at <https://irp.nih.gov/>