Pharmabridge at University of Colorado Skaggs School of Pharmacy

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About Us….

- Anschutz Medical Campus
  - World's only completely new education, research and patient care facility
  - One of the largest academic health center in US
  - Three hospitals on campus – University Hospital, Children’s Hospital, VA Hospital (opening soon)

- University of Colorado Skaggs School of Pharmacy
  - Established in 1911
  - Academic Programs
    - 3 PharmD Programs
    - PhD Programs
  - Residencies/Fellowships
  - Practitioner Development

Our Guests

- Started Pharmabridge in 2015
- Hosted 6 visitors
  - Nigeria – 5
  - Ghana – 1
- Experience
  - Pharmacists at teaching hospitals
  - Pharmacist, Population Council Nigeria
  - Assistant Director of Pharmacy at a teaching hospital
  - Head of Department/Senior Pharmacist Federal High Court
  - Assoc. Professor Department of Clinical Pharmacy & Pharmacy Administration

Overview of Program Provided

- 1 month program
- Itinerary Includes
  - Site visits to various pharmacy settings
  - Classes
  - Research retreat
  - Social activities
- Logistics
  - Welcome packet sent to visitors
  - Housing is provided
  - Transportation is visitor’s responsibility
  - Faculty and student volunteers to assist with transportation and social activities

Pharmabridge Itinerary

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Our Experience

- Bilateral learning
- Cultural awareness
- Long-term colleagues and friends
- Collaborations – research and clinical exchanges
- Opportunities for students – networking and rotations
- Advancing pharmacy practice and education worldwide
Key to Success

- Ensure outcomes and objectives of host and visitor align – Win-Win
- Consider resources needed prior to exploring hosting opportunities
- Integrate social activities throughout visit
- Incorporate opportunities for reflection and sharing during and after visit (both host and visitor)
- Determine plans for follow up and future collaborations
- Assessment is key for successes – feedback from visitors, faculty and other volunteers

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