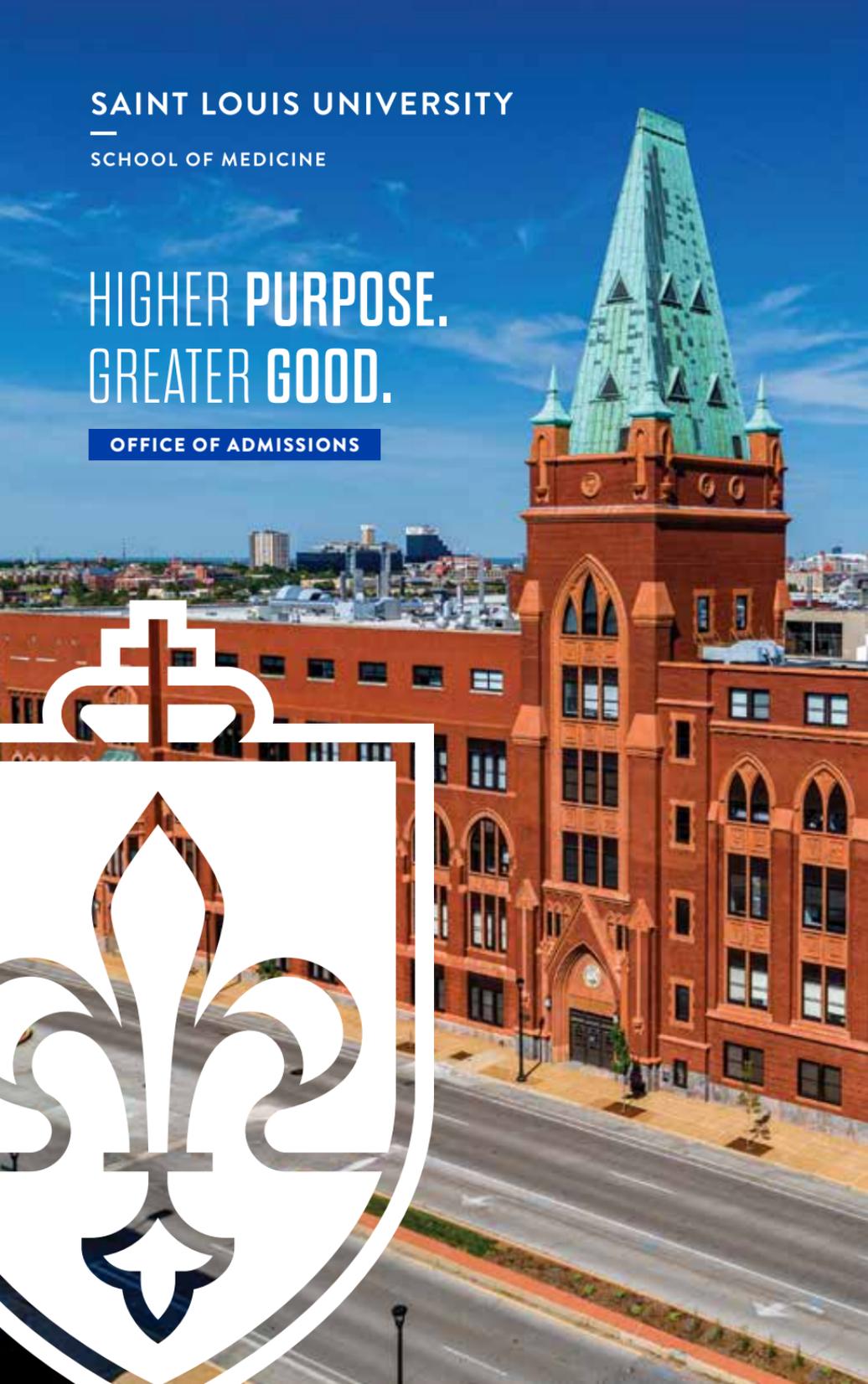


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SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

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## Committed to health innovation. Inspired by the Jesuit tradition.

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Saint Louis University School of Medicine is guided by more than 175 years of tradition. Grounded in Jesuit values. Inspired by the future of medical education and research. We train physicians and scientists for our region and the nation.

Established in 1836, the School of Medicine awarded the first medical degree west of the Mississippi, and ever since then, we have focused on what lies ahead – educating future physicians, conducting medical research, providing health services nationally and internationally, and serving our community with advanced, equitable healthcare.

Led by our experienced faculty, the School is a pioneer in organ transplantation, chronic disease prevention, cardiovascular disease, neurosciences, vaccine research, and beyond. We are committed to recruiting a diverse group of students motivated to lead the way in their fields and passionate about serving others.



# Our Mission and Values

The mission of Saint Louis University School of Medicine (SLU SOM) is the pursuit of excellence in education, research, clinical care and community engagement through professional development, collaboration and social justice.

# Core Values

## Cura Personalis

Care for the whole person, rooted in the Ignatian principle that we are created to do good in the world, embracing the humanity in all.

## Scholarship

Delivering transformative education and creating new knowledge.

## Discovery

Research, scientific inquiry, and the application of that knowledge.

## Equity

Striving for justice, fairness, and diversity in our education, research and service to the community.

## Collaboration

Partnership across Saint Louis University, SSM Health and the wider community.

# Our Curriculum

SLU SOM curriculum is divided into three pillars:

## Basic Science

## Health System Sciences

## Clinical Medicine

Each pillar is thoughtfully curated to provide the education future physicians need to deliver holistic care. This curriculum uses active learning along with hands-on opportunities in our clinical skills and simulation centers.

We are committed to advancing health care for individuals and our community; the principles of social determinants of health and health equity are integrated into our education. We have numerous opportunities that bring students in contact with community agencies, research and projects that enhance their learning and future as clinicians.

Additional resources available to SLU SOM students include medical distinctions, learning communities, learning services and wellness programming.



# Facilities

As a School of Medicine student, you will spend time learning from patients and faculty at SSM Saint Louis University Hospital, SSM Cardinal Glennon Children's Hospital, SSM St. Mary's Hospital, and the John Cochran Veterans Affairs Hospital. You will also have access to our state-of-the-art classrooms and research facilities.



## SSM Saint Louis University Hospital

SSM Health Saint Louis University Hospital, which opened in September 2020, houses sophisticated technology and design that supports and elevates the academic medical partnership with the School of Medicine.



## Edward A. Doisy Research Center

The innovative Edward A. Doisy Research Center, which features 80 labs spanning eight floors, represents a natural next step in the evolution of the University's long-standing research tradition, all with the goal of making our world a healthier place.

# Degree Programs Offered

**M.D.**

Doctor of Medicine

**M.D./Ph.D.**

Doctor of Medicine  
Doctor of Philosophy

**M.D./M.P.H.**

Doctor of Medicine  
Master of Public Health

**M.D./M.B.A.**

Doctor of Medicine  
Master of Business Administration

# Course Requirements for Medical School Admission

SUBJECT	SEMESTER HOURS
General Biology or Zoology	8*
General Chemistry	8*
Organic Chemistry	8*
Physics	8*
English	6
Other Humanities and Behavioral Sciences	12
MCAT is required	

\*A laboratory course is required in these sciences.

# School of Medicine Curriculum

## Year 1: Pre-Clerkship

**SCHEDULE KEY** MFM: Molecular Foundations of Medicine  
 MIM: Medical Information Management  
 GI: Gastrointestinal  
 ENDR: Endocrine and Reproductive

JULY	AUGUST	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MARCH	APRIL	MAY		
Orientation	MFM	Normal Structure and Function: Anatomy, Physiology, Histology, Embryology, Neuroanatomy			BREAK	Intro to Pathology	BREAK	Immunology, Pharmacology, and Therapeutics	Brain & Behavior	Cardiovascular	Pulmonary	Hematology
	MIM					Epidemiology & Biostatistics		Foundations of Patient Safety				
	Clinical Interviewing/Communication			Clinical Diagnosis								
	Healthcare Ethics			Healthcare Ethics								
	Medicine & Society			Medicine & Society								
	Leadership in the Business of Medicine			Leadership in the Business of Medicine								
	Personal & Professional Development			Personal & Professional Development								
						Bench to Bedside						

## Year 2: Pre-Clerkship and Clerkship

JULY	AUGUST	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MARCH	APRIL	MAY
	Renal	GI	ENDR	Skin, Bone and Joint	Step 1 Dedicated	BREAK	Clinical Orientation	Clerkships		
Clinical Diagnosis & Preceptorship										
Healthcare Ethics										
Medicine & Society										
Fundamentals of Quality Improvement										
Leadership in the Business of Medicine										
Personal and Professional Development										
Bench to Bedside										
								CLERKSHIPS: Family Community Medicine, Neurology, Psychiatry, Internal Medicine, Surgery, Obstetrics and Gynecology, Pediatrics		
								Personal and Professional Development		

## Year 3: Clerkship and Pre-Internship

JULY	AUGUST	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MARCH	APRIL	MAY
Personal and Professional Development					BREAK	Step 2 Study				
Clerkships						Electives				

**REQUIRED COURSES:** Emergency Medicine Clerkship, Ambulatory Internal Medicine Clerkship, and Acting Internship

## Year 4: Pre-Internship, Residency Match, and Medical School Graduation

JULY	AUGUST	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	
Electives				Protected Interview Period	BREAK	Electives			Capstone: Residency Prep	Electives	Graduation

# Contact Saint Louis University School of Medicine

If you are interested in attending Saint Louis University School of Medicine and want to learn more about our programs, faculty, facilities and more, contact us today.

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## DID YOU KNOW...

**SLU School of Medicine**  
offers more than 48 graduate medical programs.

In July 2022, SLUCare Physician Group became the academic medical group of SSM Health, strengthening the partnership between SSM Health and SLU SOM.

## Saint Louis University School of Medicine Masters of Science Program (M.S.M.S.)

is a rigorous 1-year masters degree that mirrors the structure of the first year of medical school and prepares students for application to medical school as well as entry to other health professional schools such as nursing, physician assistant, and dentistry programs.

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## WHAT IS MATCH DAY IN MEDICAL SCHOOL?

Match Day is the process of securing a residency placement.

The Match is an incredibly important part of a future physician's journey and one to be celebrated.



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