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## What fueled your decision to apply to the I2CRP program?

During my gap years, I volunteered in the DC community alongside physicians who cared for the homeless through street-based medicine. As a medical student, I view community outreach as a way to address barriers to care and to be of service to those who are most vulnerable. I applied to I2CRP because of the unique curriculum that could allow me to further pursue my interests in providing competent and comprehensive patient care with an emphasis on communities most in need.

## How has your participation in I2CRP impacted your experiences as a medical student?

Participating in the I2CRP program has been a cornerstone of my education as a rising second-year medical student. From the outset, I was drawn to the program's mission of addressing healthcare disparities and serving medically underserved populations. It has been a pleasure to work under the guidance of dedicated mentors, Dr. Mary Lee Magee and Dr. Mark Ryan, who are passionate about creating space for student voices and promoting actionable opportunities for community engagement.

## What are some of the highlights of your participation in the I2CRP program?

I feel fortunate to have the opportunity to engage with others who are passionate about recognizing history and promoting community healing through understanding. A standout moment was listening to the capstone projects of the graduating I2CRP class of 2024 and witnessing their culmination of knowledge, inspiring me to explore avenues for making a meaningful impact.