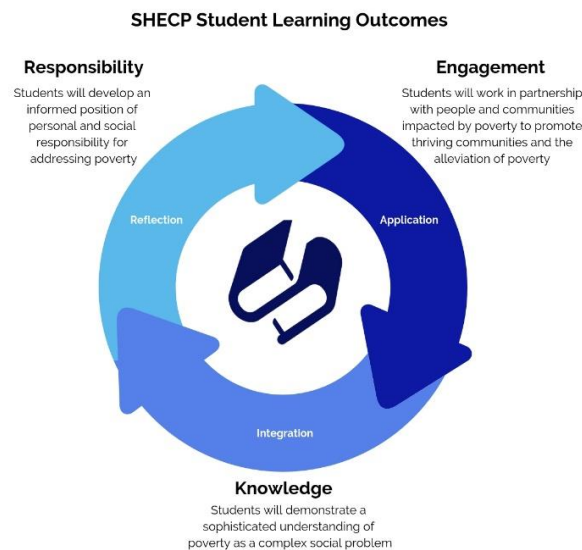


Practicing Equity at the Intersection of Race and Poverty: SHECP Summer 2021

Description: In education, economy, healthcare, and law enforcement historic patterns of racism regularly trigger devastating and irreparable consequences for communities of color, most especially Black communities. SHECP has steadfastly invested in raising awareness among undergraduates about poverty—its causes and consequences—through its partnerships with member schools and its support of transformational experiential learning opportunities. It is imperative that we recognize that systems of power designed to privilege White communities remain vibrant. As actors in pursuit of economic justice, SHECP recognizes its responsibility to move forward with a commitment to educating toward equity and human dignity in a way that explicitly recognizes the ways in which race intersects with poverty.

Our 2021 program theme, **Practicing Equity at the Intersection of Race and Poverty**, examines the relationship between race and poverty as a way to better understand and equip us to act against systemic and individual culpabilities that reflect a long history of racial oppression.

Objectives: Participants in the 2021 SHECP summer program will find in their studies and through their work assignments a reciprocal relationship between **knowledge, engagement, and responsibility**. It is not enough to simply learn about poverty. SHECP embraces the principle that knowledge about and engagement with poverty and its interventions is a lifelong commitment that reflects the personal responsibility that we all hold toward being part of well-informed and compassionate solutions. This multidimensional experience will build on your previous practices within the field of poverty studies and move you toward action and continuing commitment to this work. As you complete the academic program and the internship, you will be equipped to evaluate **ways of knowing** about poverty, **opportunities for doing something** about poverty, and **options for integrating** your consciousness and action with your vocational options.



Expectations of Participation: As articulated in your Intern Handbook, your participation in the SHECP Summer 2021 program includes the following:

- Fulfillment of responsibilities to your community partner as detailed in your CLA
- Completion of LearnDash modules related to the academic program
- Attendance at and participation in your Professional Learning Community
- Attendance at Opening/Closing Conferences
- Attendance at SHECP Keynote Events
- Completion of a final presentation

In the event that your participation and/or completion of these requirements is interrupted or delayed, please contact the Academic Director, Dr. Stephanie Rolph via email rolphsc@shepherdconsortium.org.

Learning Modules and Assignments:

MODULE	ASSIGNMENTS	DUE DATE
1. Preparing for Your Matching Conversation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Read intern handbook – Take handbook quiz – Schedule a phone call 	Completed
2. Community Learning Agreement (CLA)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Complete CLA in partnership with your Internship Director and Supervisor(s) 	May 10
3. Poverty Interventions and Professional Practice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Social Change Wheel and Quiz – Connecting Career w/ Social Change – Assignment – File Upload – Identifying Where the Work Is Job Search - Form 	May 18
4. Practicing Equity at the Intersection of Race and Poverty	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Watch Keynote 1 – Read Brookings Institute Report – Read Ten Tips for Putting Intersectionality in Practice – Intersectionality in Practice - Video Upload – Geography of Poverty Project – Notes Upload 	June 1
5. Keynotes and Related Materials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Register and read related materials for each keynote prior to event (dates reflect Wednesday before each keynote) – Reflect with your cohorts – Take notes – Notes Upload 	June 9 June 23 July 21
6. Self-Assessments of Learning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Complete Pre-Program Self-Assessment - Form – Complete Mid-Point Self-Assessment - Form – Complete Final Self-Assessment - Form 	June 3 July 8 July 30
7. Reflecting on Your SHECP Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Reread The Opportunity Agenda’s “Ten Tips” - Review your notes/reflections from the summer - Upload video for final presentation 	July 27

Schedule by Week (Monday – Sunday):

May 3 – May 9

- Learning Modules Open
- Work on your Community Learning Agreement, due on **May 10**

May 10 – May 16:

- **CLA due on Monday, May 10**
- Begin *Poverty Interventions and Professional Practice* module due **Tuesday, May 18**

May 17 – May 23

- Complete *Poverty Interventions and Professional Practice* module due **Tuesday, May 18**
- Begin *Practicing Equity at the Intersection of Race and Poverty* module, due **Tuesday, June 1**

May 24 - May 30

- Continue *Practicing Equity at the Intersection of Race and Poverty* module, due **Tuesday, June 1**
- Register for Opening Conference on **Friday, June 4**

May 31 – June 6

- Complete *Practicing Equity at the Intersection of Race and Poverty* module, due **Tuesday, June 1**
- Complete Pre-Program Self-Assessment, due **Thursday, June 3**
- Begin *Keynotes and Related Materials* module for Keynote 2, due **Wednesday, June 9**
- Attend Opening Conference, **Thursday, June 3**

June 7 – June 13

- Internship begins on **Monday, June 7**
- Complete *Keynotes and Related Materials* module for Keynote 2, due **Wednesday, June 9**
- **Attend Keynote 2 on Thursday, June 10** - When Black Women Thrive: Inclusion and Equity for a Just Economy

June 14 – June 20

- Meet with your Professional Learning Community on **Wednesday, June 16**
- Begin *Keynotes and Related Materials* module for Keynote 3, due **Wednesday, June 23**

June 21 – June 27

- Meet with your Professional Learning Community on **Wednesday, June 23**
- Complete *Keynotes and Related Materials* module for Keynote 3, due **Wednesday, June 23**
- **Attend Keynote 3 on Thursday, June 24** – Accountability for Cancer Care through Undoing Racism and Equity (ACCURE)

June 28 – July 4

- Meet with your Professional Learning Community on **Wednesday, June 30**
- Review *Reflecting on Your SHECP Experience Module* to prepare for Final Presentation, due **Sunday, July 27**

July 5 – July 11

- Meet with your Professional Learning Community on **Wednesday, July 7**
- Complete Mid-Point Self-Assessment, due **Thursday, July 8**

July 12 – July 18

- Meet with your Professional Learning Community on **Wednesday, July 14**
- Begin work on *Keynotes and Related Materials* module for Keynote 4, due **Wednesday, July 21**

July 19 – July 25

- Meet with your Professional Learning Community on **Wednesday, July 21**
- Complete *Keynotes and Related Materials* module for Keynote 4, due **Wednesday, July 21**
- **Attend Keynote 4 on Thursday, July 22** – History, Housing and Heat: The Impact of Climate Change on Low-Income Communities of Color
- **Begin work on Final Presentation, due on Tuesday, July 27**

July 26 – July 30

- Internship ends on **Thursday, July 29**
- Complete and upload Final Presentation, due on **Tuesday, July 27**
- Attend Closing Conference on **Friday, July 30**