Understanding our Fellowship Programs

Non-resident Fellowships
Non-resident fellowships at the D K Kim international Center provide contributors with the opportunity to participate in research, policy analysis and advisement relevant to the development and harmonization of regulatory practices globally. Non-resident fellows are experienced scholars and researchers whose contributions will deepen the expertise of the Center and the University. They have a record of professional achievement, a commitment to global development and a desire to understand and contribute to policy change. Expectations for non-resident fellows vary according to their strengths and interests. Typically, their contributions range from publishing scholarly work related to regulatory and quality issues, establishment of new models and facilities for medical product development, and participation in the educational and outreach activities of the Center and its affiliates. Fellows are not paid a salary or stipend for the duration of their appointment, that will be reviewed every 1-3 years.

Visiting Scholars
The D K Kim International Center and the Department of Regulatory and Quality Sciences provide visiting scholars from other countries or states with the opportunity to conduct research and acquire specialized knowledge related to regulatory and quality sciences. Visiting scholars contribute to policy analysis and scholarly exchange side-by side with faculty in the Center and Department. They are expected to give a seminar during their tenure, participate in events developed by the Center, and interact with other visitors, graduate students and faculty. They are actively encouraged to produce publishable work as part of their affiliation.

Applying to the Center

Non-resident Scholars
Decisions regarding appointment of non-resident scholars will be made on a rolling basis without formal application, based on the invitation of the Center. Individuals will be asked to provide a resume or cv and related material in order to maintain records of the appointment. For more information, please contact Dr. EunJoo Pacifici at pacific@usc.edu.

Visiting Scholars
Visiting scholars can make application on a rolling basis. Positions are subject to availability. Individuals are expected to have primary affiliations with universities anywhere in the world. Preference is given to institutions with current Memoranda of Understanding with the School of Pharmacy at the University. Fellows are expected to have their own salary and funds for research. The Center will provide office space, library and other facilities, and formal acknowledgement as a member of our community of scholars. If you are interested in applying for a position, we would request the following information to be sent to the Director of the D K Kim International Center c/o Debbie Schroyer, schroyer@usc.edu:

- Your current cv
- A description of research intent. This should include your research in the past, how you will fund and conduct your intended project, the dates in which you wish to reside in Los Angeles and work at the Center, and a list of the faculty with whom you wish to interact.
- A list of 3 references and their contact information.