FAST FACTS
• UConn is a top 25 U.S. public university. The UConn School of Pharmacy is among the top 20% in the nation and #1 in New England (U.S. News & World Report 2020)
• 305 students enrolled across all of the School of Pharmacy’s professional programs from 10 states and 2 countries (2020)
• 117 UConn undergraduate students are enrolled in the B.S. in Pharmacy Studies major on all UConn campuses (2020)
• Careers: approximately 40% of each Pharm.D. class goes into a paid residency or fellowship after earning the Pharm.D. degree, 30% go into community or independent pharmacy. The remaining go into industry, or pursue other types of pharmacy careers.
• 94% of the class passed the North American Pharmacist Licensure Examination (NAPLEX) on first attempt. (2020)

DEGREES OFFERED
• Bachelor of Science (BS) in Pharmacy Studies
• Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.)
• Ph.D. in Pharmaceutical Sciences: Medicinal Chemistry, Pharmaceutics, or Pharmacology & Toxicology
• Dual Degrees and joint Graduate School Programs: Pharm.D./MBA; Pharm.D./MPH; Pharm.D./Ph.D.

41 FACULTY MEMBERS

PHARM.D. ENRICHMENT & SPECIALTY TRACKS
• Pre-professional pharmacy learning community
• Independent or faculty research
• LEADERS Track, Pediatric Track, Pharmaceutical Sciences Track Urban Service Track, Honors, University Scholar, Dual and Joint Majors
• Over 80 specialized advanced pharmacy rotations

“Specialty Tracks allow students to fully explore fast growing jobs areas in pharmacy: pediatrics, urban service, leadership, and pharmaceutical sciences. Honors students can customize their exploration even further.”
– Philip Hritcko, Dean and Clinical Professor

CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS
Over 18 pharmacy related organizations in addition to UConn clubs and activities.

TUITION
• Connecticut residents in-state tuition 4 years to the B.S. and then 2 additional to the Pharm.D.
• New England residents (except RI) New England Regional tuition discount through senior year/2nd professional year. Out of state tuition in professional years 3 and 4.
• Out of state tuition applies to all other applicants.

SCHOLARSHIPS
Scholarships are available to students in the professional program.

PHARMACY EDUCATION ACCOLADES
• Fully reaccredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE) in 2021.
• Lawrence C. Weaver Transformative Community Service Award for its commitment to addressing unmet community needs through education, practice and research. (American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy AACP 2021)
• Award of Excellence in Experiential Education (AACP 2021)
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STATE & NATIONAL INITIATIVES
• The UConn Health Outcomes, Policy and Evidence Synthesis Group (HOPES), an evidence-based practice center for the Federal Government’s Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ).
• Performance Improvement for Safe Medication Management (PRISM) Collaborative, promotes safe and effective medication use through education, community-based research collaborations, health care policy, and team-based care delivery.
• National Institute for Pharmaceutical Technology and Education (NIPTE), founding member and organization base for the Center for Pharmaceutical Processing Research (CPPR).

“We know based on our rates of job placement at graduation, residency match, and fellowship placement that our curriculum prepares our students well for the pharmacy job market.”
– Kathryn Wheeler, Associate Dean of Academic Affairs; Associate Clinical Professor of Pharmacy Practice

MEDIA
Faculty has garnered numerous national industry awards, contributed publications to premier medical journals worldwide, and has been featured as an expert source in national media including NPR, The Boston Globe, the Hartford Business Journal, NBC-TV, National Geographic, and WIRED.

GLOBAL PHARM.D. OPPORTUNITIES
• Traditional Chinese Medicine in Beijing, China (summer)
• Taipei Medical University in Taiwan (rotation)
• Hillside Health Care International in Belize (rotation)

STUDENT SERVICE AND ENGAGEMENT
More than 14,000 hours of student service learning are contributed annually. Students conduct regular patient consultations at migrant farm worker clinics, Covenant Soup Kitchen, South Park Inn homeless shelter, and community health centers. Additionally, students run drug take-back events, health fairs, senior center, and school programs.

RESEARCH AND SCHOLARSHIP
UConn School of Pharmacy faculty brought in $8,510,980 in grant funding (FY 2020) to conduct groundbreaking research, including from the US Food and Drug Administration, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, the Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and the National Institutes of Health, and more. Our faculty and students, both undergraduate and graduate, are recipients of many prestigious industry awards.

“UConn Pharmacy provides the opportunity to solve real-world challenges through research that makes a difference in the lives of patients, increases the productivity of clinicians, and advances the profession”
– Marie Smith, Dr. Henry A. Palmer Endowed Professor of Community Pharmacy Practice

CONTINUING PHARMACY EDUCATION
Nearly 40,000 participants in more than 135 online and live program continuing education offerings annually.

GIVING
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