Purpose
The Latin American Fellows Program in Aging, Hearing, and Public Health will be held June 29 - July 3, 2020 at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health in Baltimore, Maryland.

The purpose of this one-week program is to provide an overview of public health concepts, methods, and strategies to assist clinicians and researchers in Latin America who are pursuing public health research and projects focused on addressing hearing loss in older adults. Lectures and small group sessions will cover epidemiology, biostatistics, clinical trials, gerontology, intervention design, health policy/economics, and select clinical topics in otolaryngology, audiology, and geriatrics.

Location
The Latin American Fellows Program will take place on the campus of the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health in Baltimore, Maryland.

Costs
Participation in this program is free. The Cochlear Center for Hearing and Public Health will provide complimentary accommodations for participants in a Johns Hopkins University dormitory, and all meals and social events will be covered. Participants will be responsible for arranging their own transportation to Baltimore. However, travel funding may be offered on an as-needed basis.

Lodging/Shuttle Service & Social Events
Participants will be provided a single dormitory room on the Johns Hopkins University campus in north Baltimore. Chartered shuttle service will transport program participants between the Johns Hopkins University dormitory and the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health where this program is being held.

Planned social outings include:
- Maryland Blue Crab dinner
- Baltimore Orioles baseball game
- Baltimore Inner Harbor boat tour

Application Procedures
This program is designed for clinicians (ENTs, audiologists, internists/geriatricians, etc.) and researchers (epidemiologists, gerontologists, etc.) who are interested in understanding and addressing the impact of hearing loss on older adults using public health methodologies.

* Potential candidates are strongly encouraged to develop interdisciplinary collaborations in their home country before applying for the program and to have 2 or more members of the team apply together for the Latin American Fellows program
* Application procedures are detailed at www.jhucochlearcenter.org/FellowsProgram
* Applications are due by January 27, 2020, 11:59 pm (EST)
* Selected participants will be notified by February 25, 2020.

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Applicants will need to provide:
* Completed application form
* Cover letter explaining background and interest in the Latin American Fellows Program
* Curriculum vitae
* Description of ongoing or planned project focused on aging, hearing & public health that would be positively impacted by participating in the program

Important Dates
Application deadline: Jan 27, 2020
11:59pm (EST)
Participant notification: Feb 25, 2020
Program start: Monday 9am
June 29, 2020
Program end: Friday 4pm
July 3, 2020

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