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# **Vanessa Kerry, MD, MSc**

**Founder and CEO of Global Health Service Corps**

## **Presentation and Recruitment Drive for the Global Health Service Partnership**

**Tuesday, October 16, 2012**

**12:00 noon - 1:00 PM**

**Neuroscience Research Building  
(NRB) 132 - Auditorium**

*Lunch will be provided.*

**Please RSVP to Erin Simmer at [esimmer@mednet.ucla.edu](mailto:esimmer@mednet.ucla.edu).**

Dr. Kerry will give a presentation as part of a recruitment drive for the Global Health Service Partnership, a new program with the Peace Corps and Global Health Service Corps that is now accepting applications from qualified doctors and nurses. The GHSP Peace Corps Volunteers will serve one-year assignments as faculty members of medical and nursing schools. The program will launch in Malawi, Tanzania and Uganda in July 2013. Dr. Kerry will provide detailed information about these opportunities and answer questions during her presentation.

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Vanessa Kerry, MD, MSc, is the founder and CEO of Global Health Service Corps, a non-profit that partners with the Peace Corps to build capacity of developing country health systems by deploying health professionals as educators. She is also a physician at Massachusetts General Hospital and serves as the Associate Director of Partnerships and Global Initiatives at the hospital's Center for Global Health. Academically, she spearheads the program in Global Public Policy and Social Change in the Department of Global Health and Social Medicine at Harvard Medical School.

The Global Health Service Partnership (GHSP) announces the inaugural season for applications from qualified doctors and nurses, a new program in partnership with the Peace Corps and Global Health Service Corps. The GHSP Peace Corps Volunteers will serve one-year assignments as faculty members of medical and nursing schools. The program will launch in Malawi, Tanzania and Uganda in July 2013.

We are seeking board eligible or board certified physicians to serve as medical educators for a minimum of one year at one of our partner sites. Experience in clinical education is encouraged. Eligible clinical specialties include: Internal Medicine, Pediatrics, General Surgery, Anesthesia, Psychiatry, Obstetrics and Gynecology, and Family Medicine.

Volunteers serving through the program will be Peace Corps Response volunteers receiving monthly living stipends, transportation to and from their country of service, comprehensive medical care, vacation days, and readjustment allowance. The Global Health Service Corps will dedicate funds to help finance loan repayment stipends up to \$30K for eligible volunteers. Applications will be open through December 1, 2012. The first cohort will be named in February 2013 for a July 2013 deployment.

**Link to website:** <http://www.globalhealthservicecorps.org/>

**Link to application information:** <http://globalhealthservicecorps.org/joint-program/apply2/>

**Link to MD job description:**

[http://globalhealthservicecorps.org/images/uploads/md\\_job\\_description\\_july\\_2012.pdf](http://globalhealthservicecorps.org/images/uploads/md_job_description_july_2012.pdf)

**Link to RN Job description:**

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