ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Medical Humanities program prepares students to become interdisciplinary thinkers with the flexibility to adapt in a world that is rapidly growing more complex, diverse and globally focused.

The program features a broad-based general education core for the first two years, followed by two years during which students will then tailor their education through one of two emphases – Interdisciplinary Studies or Health Care Communication.

Students who complete the program will explore humanities disciplines including history, literature, the fine arts and ethics.

During the program, students will have opportunities to complete internships and independent studies. A senior capstone experience will allow students to complete a project in which they apply their skills and knowledge.

GRADUATE OPPORTUNITIES

Through a partnership with Washington University School of Medicine in St. Louis (WUSM), students may apply for admission to graduate-level occupational therapy programs.

- Integrated “3+2” bachelor’s degree and Master of Science (M.S.) in Occupational Therapy
- Integrated “3+3” bachelor’s degree and Clinical Doctorate of Occupational Therapy (OTD)

Students interested in pursuing graduate study in these programs should discuss their plans with their advisors and take admission criteria and prerequisites into account when declaring a major and planning courses.

STLCOP BY THE NUMBERS

- 1,309 Total Enrollment
- 30 States Represented
- 15 Countries Represented
- 59% Female
- 41% Male
- 7,531 Number of Living Alumni
- 48 States Represented
- 13 Countries Represented
- 15+ Countries Where Students Travel for Service and Practice Experiences
- 94% Students Who Receive Financial Aid
- 9 Acres in the Heart of Central West End
- 30,000 Square Feet of Lab Space
- 60+ Student Organizations
STUDENT OUTCOMES

Students who complete the B.A. in Medical Humanities will be prepared to seek employment as policy analysts, researchers, junior executives in governmental and nongovernmental organizations or in the private sector where employers seek graduates who have “learned how to learn.”

Graduates also will be prepared to apply for admission to graduate and professional programs in fields such as education, law, business, and many graduate programs in the humanities and social sciences.

Graduates of the program will:

- Demonstrate the knowledge, skills and values to effectively engage people from a variety of cultures and walks of life
- Address meaningful questions by incorporating, conducting and communicating appropriate disciplinary research
- Interpret research findings and communicate them to a variety of audiences
- Demonstrate the ability to analyze problems in an interdisciplinary way of taking into account multiple perspectives
- Be creative and nimble thinkers who can adapt to a variety of rapidly changing situations

Liberal Arts Through a Health Care Lens

The College offers a wide variety of options for students to fully explore their interests and embrace their artistic talents. From music to drama and creative writing, the College provides numerous ways for students to explore the liberal arts with the goal of educating well-rounded individuals who are prepared to provide empathetic and expert care for patients.

NEXT STEPS

To learn more about St. Louis College of Pharmacy’s Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Medical Humanities or to schedule a visit, contact the Office of Admissions at admissions@stlcop.edu or 314.446.8328.