

CHRISTINA NEARY

Targeted Rural Underserved Track

WWAMI
TRUST
UW MEDICINE

Chelan, Washington

Entering Class of 2014

TRUST seeks to provide a continuous connection between rural, small city underserved communities, medical education, and health professionals in our region. Our goal is to create a full-circle pipeline by guiding qualified students through a special curriculum that connects continuity communities in WWAMI to the University of Washington School of Medicine and its network of affiliated residency programs in an effort to help meet the workforce needs of the region.

Hello, Chelan!

I am Christina Neary and am thrilled to be jump-starting my medical career with my First Summer Experience in Chelan! I was born and raised just outside of Seattle and I moved to Fort Collins, CO, after high school to complete my undergraduate degree in Biomedical Sciences. I thoroughly enjoyed my time in this wonderful community, where I explored my passions for health and wellbeing, while also developing teaching and mentorship experience through tutoring and volunteering.

Before returning to Washington, I took a side journey to Jackson, WY where I worked as an AmeriCorps intern at Teton Science Schools. I loved working with youth outside of the classroom while teaching and learning about the natural sciences.

My personal passions are wide and varied, but I especially love anything that keeps me physically active and outside: trail running, cycling, skiing (downhill and Nordic), swimming, free-form dancing (an exciting new endeavor!), hiking, rock climbing . . . and with an adventurous spirit, I'm always up for trying something new!

I can't wait to become a part of the vibrant Chelan community and look forward to meeting you all!



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