# **DANIELLE GUYER**

# Targeted Rural UnderServed Track

### Montana

# Entering Class of 2017

WWAMI

UW MEDICINE

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.



#### Greetings Hardin!

My name is Danielle Guyer and I am thrilled to be matched with the Hardin community for my TRUST site during my four years in medical school. I will be working with Dr. Morissette and Dr. Quanbeck at Hardin Clinic, as well as, Dr. Gentry and Dr. Mark at Bighorn Valley CHC. I am looking forward to meeting you and am excited to learn alongside your community during my time there.

I was born In Evanston, WY. My family then moved to Colorado and further South to Ganado, AZ. My brother, Chris, and I loved the freedom we had roaming around the Navajo reservation. He and I were fortunate to have such exposure to Navajo traditions, ideologies, and culture. In 2002 we moved back to Montana to be closer to family in eastern Montana. I attended Seattle University where I pursued a degree in International Studies and Biology.

After graduation, I focused on a career in biomedical research at the Benaroya Research Institute in Seattle. After two years at the institute I decided to move home. While I enjoyed doing research, I missed the pace of life in Montana. In Billings, I started working at St. Vincent Hospital. I realized healthcare offered me the opportunity to utilize my science background, while allowing me to serve my community; I had found my passion.

I enjoy spending time outside in the nature that makes our state breathtaking. I am an avid reader, recently starting a series of autobiographies. To be chosen as a TRUST Scholar as a University of Washington medical student is a privilege, as I will be given the chance to practice medicine and serve communities in the state I am proud to call home. I will be coming on the 17th of July to spend two weeks in your community and I welcome all you have to share with me.

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Danielle and her brother, Chris





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