# **KATIE HAWKINS**

## Targeted Rural UnderServed Track

#### Montana

#### Entering Class of 2018

WWAMI

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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 Hamilton! My name is Katie Hawkins and I am a new first year TRUST student placed here in Hamilton, and I could not be more excited. I feel incredibly fortunate to have the opportunity to learn from Dr. Harder -Brouwer and the rest of the healthcare team here at Ravalli Family Medicine/Marcus Daly Memorial Hospital, and to be welcomed into this wonderful community.

I was born and raised in Dillon, MT and, like most Montanans, I harbor a deep love for the outdoors. My interests include hiking, skiing, trail running and painting—landscapes mostly, so you can imagine my delight when I

discovered I was going to be studying in beautiful Hamilton. I am a third generation Bobcat, having recently earned my bachelors degree in Applied Psychology from Montana State University. I've always had an interest in



healthcare and have had many positive experiences working as a CNA during college and later as the manager



of an assisted living facility. I am looking forward to this experience immensely and cannot wait to pursue my passion by serving a small Montana community as a physician.

Thank you for having me, Hamilton.



Katie and her dog, Molly

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