

Liberty Mutual Insurance Academic Study Scholarship Recipient Study Report  
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It was a great honor to being the recipient of the 2017 Liberty Mutual Insurance Academic Study Scholarship. I would like to report the past semester (January – May 2017)

Past semester's courses included health policy, proposal seminar, independent study, and introduction to global health. My cumulative GPA is currently 3.922/4.0.

Through the introduction to global health, I learned about the leading global health problems, including their causes, global distribution, and disparities. This has led to a deeper understanding of the basic methods used to measure the health of vulnerable populations, such as health care workers from West Africa, and evaluate public health interventions. Since the aim of my Ph.D. study is to evaluate and understand occupational nosocomial infectious disease (hepatitis B) among health care workers in African countries, this course provided me great insight related to global and occupational insight. Independent study enabled me to conduct a research project related to "Understanding stressors among home health care workers". It was great opportunity to learn via hands-on experience to create an online survey, recruit participants, collecting data and analyses data. The Liberty Mutual Insurance Academic Study Scholarship provided funding that supported remaining tuition and campus life fee and enables me to create and print a poster for 2017 National AAOHN Conference. My poster was presented disseminating key findings from my study. The financial support for my journey through nursing school to focus on occupational health and environmental health nursing is greatly appreciated.

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