

**Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health
Department of Global Health and Population
Research Internship Opportunity**

Project Title: Population health research in Dodoma, Tanzania

Country/Countries in which the work would take place: Tanzania

Brief description of project/research:

Harvard Chan, the Africa Academy for Public Health (AAPH) and the University of Dodoma (UDOM) have recently established a demographic surveillance site (DSS) in Dodoma. This project is being rolled out in Spring 2016, and baseline data collection will take place throughout the summer. The DSS will collect data on household demographics and health outcomes, providing valuable data to inform programs and policies.

Brief description of work for potential intern(s):

An intern with the Dodoma DSS will help coordinate and oversee baseline data collection within the DSS, working closely with colleagues at UDOM. Specific activities may include review of questionnaires and survey materials, data management, household visits, interviews, and other tasks. There will be an opportunity to have input into survey questionnaires, and to develop a small quantitative or qualitative study that can be conducted as part of the baseline data collection. Particular areas of interest for this project are in maternal and child health and nutrition. A successful intern in Dodoma will be a self-starter with interest and knowledge of cohort studies and longitudinal data.

Minimum expected duration of internship(s):

10 weeks; including preparation and completion of reports.

List any available funds: (travel costs, student stipend, housing, etc.)?

Number of internships available: 1

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