Penn Dental Medicine Student Exchange Program

The School of Dental Medicine provides exchange opportunities for international students who wish to broaden their understanding of the practice of dentistry in the United States. The goal of these programs is to produce future leaders in oral health who are prepared to interact globally. The objectives are:

- To expand students’ knowledge base in oral health programs and health care systems of other countries.
- To develop a global perspective and approach to dental education and clinical practice.
- To cultivate intercultural competencies and sensitivity to other cultures among students, faculty and staff.
- To compare and contrast dental education and practice in the US with those of other countries.

Please have the below form completed by the Dean or Faculty in charge of student electives and upload this signed form with the International Student Shadowing Application.

I certify that the above student is in good standing with our school and has completed accurately all forms required by the UPENN School of Dental Medicine. Therefore, they are granted permission to undertake their elective at the University of Pennsylvania, School of Dental Medicine.

Name of School Dean or Designated Official (Please Print): ____________________________________________

Position: ______________________________________________________________________________________

Signature: ____________________________ Date: ____________________________