

**Boston University Chobanian & Avedisian School of Medicine & American Heart Association
2025 BU AHA SURE Scholars Program Schedule**

Week 1 June 2nd – June 6th				
Date	Time	Location	Topic	Facilitators
Mon	10– 11 AM	Evans 115	Orientation	Emelia Benjamin & Teresa Acosta
	11 – 12 PM	Flour Bakery	AHA SURE Meet & Greet	Emelia Benjamin & Teresa Acosta
Tues	<i>No session scheduled, please use this time to work on your research and/or connect with your project mentor</i>			
Wed	1 – 2 PM	Zoom	What to Expect from a Mentor & How to Be a Good Mentee - MCW	MCW Zoom Link
Thurs	2 – 3 PM	ESR (112 A)	Educational Resources & Enhancement at CASOM	Paige Curran
Fri	10 – 11 AM	Evans 115	End-of-the-Week Check-In	Teresa Acosta

Week 2 June 9th – June 13th				
Date	Time	Location	Topic	Facilitators
Mon	12 – 1 PM	Zoom	AI: Tools & Pitfalls for Authors	Amy V. Ries
Tues	1 – 2 PM	Evans 118	Medical Errors	Julien Dedier
	2 – 3 PM	Evans 118	Data Visualization in Academic Writing	Lisa Sullivan
Wed	12 – 1 PM	Evans 118	Writing an Abstract - Dissemination	Kaku So-Armah
	1 – 2 PM	Zoom	AHA Professional Membership - Denise Levy	Vanderbilt Zoom Link
Thurs	1 – 2 PM	Evans 118	Press Releases During the BMC Professional Communication Week	Sabrina Assoumou
	2 – 3 PM	Evans 118	Community Engaged Research	Miriam Komaromy & Daneiris Heredia-Perez
Fri	10 – 11 AM	Evans 115	End-of-the-Week Check-In	Teresa Acosta

Week 3 June 16th – June 20th				
Date	Time	Location	Topic	Facilitators
Mon	12 – 1 PM	Evans 118	Lunch with Program Directors & ESS Scholars	ESS Scholars
	5 – 6:30 PM	Flour Bakery	Program Mixer	Emelia Benjamin & Teresa Acosta
Tues	12 – 1 PM	ESR	Book Club: Where Biology Ends and Bias Begins	Shoumita Dasgupta
Wed	2 – 3 PM	Evans 115	Correctional Health	Ricardo Cruz
Thurs	No Session: Holiday Observed			
Fri	10 – 11 AM	Evans 115	End-of-the-Week Check-In	Emelia Benjamin & Teresa Acosta

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Week 4 June 23rd – June 27th				
Date	Time	Location	Topic	Facilitators
Mon	<i>No session scheduled, please use this time to work on your research and/or connect with your project mentor</i>			
Tues	1 – 2 PM	Evans 118	Strategies for More Effective Time Management	Lauren Kearney
Wed	1 – 2 PM	Zoom	AHA Session: Resilience & Medicine (BU Seminar)	Michelle Albert
Thurs	10 – 11 AM	Evans 115	End-of-the-Week Check-In	Teresa Acosta
	2 – 5 PM	Evans 115	ESS Final Presentations	ESS Directors & Teresa Acosta
Fri	<i>No session scheduled, please use this time to work on your research and/or connect with your project mentor</i>			

Week 5 June 30th – July 4th				
Date	Time	Location	Topic	Facilitators
Mon	<i>No session scheduled, please use this time to work on your research and/or connect with your project mentor</i>			
Tues	<i>No session scheduled, please use this time to work on your research and/or connect with your project mentor</i>			
Wed	1 – 2 PM	Zoom	AHA Advocacy - Julie Howell	Vanderbilt Zoom Link
Thurs	<i>No session scheduled, please use this time to work on your research and/or connect with your project mentor</i>			
Fri	No Session: Holiday Observed			

Week 6 July 7th – July 11th				
Date	Time	Location	Topic	Facilitators
Mon	<i>No session scheduled, please use this time to work on your research and/or connect with your project mentor</i>			
Tues	<i>No session scheduled, please use this time to work on your research and/or connect with your project mentor</i>			
Wed	<i>No session scheduled, please use this time to work on your research and/or connect with your project mentor</i>			
Thurs	<i>No session scheduled, please use this time to work on your research and/or connect with your project mentor</i>			
Fri	9 – 11 AM	Evans 115	End-of-the-Week Check-In	Emelia Benjamin & Teresa Acosta

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Week 7 July 14 th – July 18 th				
Date	Time	Location	Topic	Facilitators
Mon	<i>No session scheduled, please use this time to work on your research and/or connect with your project mentor</i>			
Tues	<i>No session scheduled, please use this time to work on your research and/or connect with your project mentor</i>			
Wed	9 – 10 AM	AHA Boston	AHA SURE Scholars Breakfast	Emelia Benjamin & Teresa Acosta
Thurs	5 – 6:30 PM	Flour Bakery	Program Mixer	Emelia Benjamin & Teresa Acosta
Fri	10 – 11 AM	Evans 115	End-of-the-Week Check-In	Teresa Acosta
	12 – 1:30 PM	Talbot Green	GMS Garden Party	Teresa Acosta & Natalie Jean

Week 8 July 21 st – July 25 th				
Date	Time	Location	Topic	Facilitators
Mon	<i>No session scheduled, please use this time to work on your research and/or connect with your project mentor</i>			
Tues	<i>No session scheduled, please use this time to work on your research and/or connect with your project mentor</i>			
Wed	1 – 2 PM	Zoom	AHA Health Strategies - Bruce Inverso	Vanderbilt Zoom Link
	6 – 8 PM	Emelia's House	Celebratory Dinner	AHA SURE Mentors, Emelia Benjamin & Teresa Acosta
Thurs	2 – 4:00 PM	Evans 115	Final Presentation Trial Runs	Emelia Benjamin & Teresa Acosta
Fri	<i>No session scheduled, please use this time to work on your research and/or connect with your project mentor</i>			

Week 9 July 28 th – August 1 st				
Date	Time	Location	Topic	Facilitators
Mon	4 – 5 PM	Evans 115	End-of-the-Week Check-In	Emelia Benjamin & Teresa Acosta
	5 – 6:30 PM	Flour Bakery	End-of-the-Program Celebration	Emelia Benjamin & Teresa Acosta
Tues	<i>No session scheduled, please use this time to work on your research and/or connect with your project mentor</i>			
Wed	11:20 – 11:50 AM	Zoom	Final Research Project Presentation	AHA SURE Scholars
Thurs	All Day	Zoom	Final Research Project Presentation	AHA SURE Scholars
Fri	<i>No session scheduled, please use this time to work on your research and/or connect with your project mentor</i>			