INTENSIVE GLOBAL BIOETHICS TRAINING PROGRAM

A month-long program in international research ethics held each June, combining coursework and applied, skill-oriented learning.
Program participants are enrolled in two different non-credit, week-long intensive courses: Foundations of Bioethics and Introduction to Research Ethics (with options to substitute other courses). Courses are taught by Berman Institute faculty from the Johns Hopkins University’s world-renowned schools of Medicine, Public Health, Nursing, and Arts & Sciences.

In addition to formal coursework, program participants will interact with a diverse group of international trainees participating in the program. GBTP activities further include structured meetings with bioethics personnel at the US National Institutes of Health, US Food & Drug Administration, and the US Office for Human Research Protections.

Program participants will interact with key personnel from JHU Institutional Review Boards (IRBs), participate in special seminars, mock IRB sessions, expert-led case discussions, student-led presentations, and individual or small group meetings with Berman Institute faculty to provide mentorship and guidance related to educational, career, and research goals.