CANDIDATE PROFILE



KATYA PERI

BIOGRAPHY

Katya Peri, a dedicated global health advocate with a Master of Science degree in Anatomy and Cell Biology from McGill University, brings a diverse range of experiences to her candidacy for the Director of Global Health position. With roles spanning from Washington D.C. to Geneva, Katya has actively engaged in various capacities aimed at advancing health equity and raising awareness of critical global health issues.

As a Global Health Advocate at the Children's Environmental Health Network in Washington D.C., Katya led health communication and advocacy efforts, leveraging social media engagement and educational campaigns to highlight environmental health risks. Her tenure as a Global Health Researcher with the World Federation of Public Health Associations in Geneva involved conducting literature searches and contributing to protocols for annual reports on immunization in underserved communities.

Katya's commitment to global health is underscored by her internship experiences in Fiji and Peru, where she collaborated on projects addressing health disparities among Indigenous populations and conducted research on women's education and health.

Currently serving as the Quebec Representative for the International Federation of Medical Students Association (IFMSA) and the Quebec Global Health Representative for the Canadian Federation of Medical Students (CFMS), Katya has demonstrated leadership and advocacy skills on regional and international platforms.

With her passion for global health and proven track record of leadership, Katya is poised to drive impactful change as the Director of Global Health, contributing to the advancement of health equity and addressing global health challenges worldwide.