

# Samuel Alatorre-Hinojosa

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## EDUCATION

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<b>Doctor of Medicine</b> University of Calgary	Class of 2025
<b>Master of Public Health in Public Health Policy</b> University of Ottawa	2020 – 2021
<b>Bachelor of Health Sciences in Biomedical Sciences</b> University of Calgary	2016 – 2020

## LEADERSHIP AND ADVOCACY EXPERIENCE

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### **CFMS Executive VP and Liaison to the College of Family Physicians of Canada (CFPC)** 2023 – present

- Represented CFMS and medical student perspectives in discussions with the CFPC regarding their Outcomes of Training Project, Curriculum Renewal, and FM Residency Training
- Attended the [CFPC 2023 Family Medicine Education Design Retreat](#) to learn about FM curriculum redesign across Canada, network with leaders in FM education, and contribute student perspectives at decision-making tables
- Leveraged my policy and governance background to co-chair CFMS' Governance Committee
- Led a team of 4-6 medical students through an internal review of CFMS governance documents (bylaws, policies, 30+ terms of reference for CFMS positions, and our organizational structure) to improve CFMS efficiency, accountability, transparency, and strategic direction
- Committed 75+ hours of work to conduct a review of CFMS' decision to remove the Vice President of Communications from the CFMS Board in 2022, which required me to:
  - Recruit and lead a team of 3-5 medical students
  - Develop a work plan with key timelines and deliverables
  - Conduct a stakeholder analysis to identify key partners whose input was necessary to evaluate the appropriateness of CFMS' decision
  - Lead and document interviews with key partners and
  - Synthesize a [final report](#) with best practice recommendations for the CFMS Board and Med Student Councils across Canada to vote on during our SGM (April, 2024)

### **CFMS Western Regional Director (WRD)** 2023 – present

Role Description: to connect, support, and represent students from UBC, UofA, UofC, UofS, and UofM at various medical education tables and with groups including UGME, CMA, AFMC, CaRMS, CFPC, and government.

*Provincial Day of Action (Edmonton, AB – 2024)*

- Supported the 2024 med-student led and primary care-focused Provincial Day of Action (PDoA) as a presenter during the PDoA training weekend
- [Presented](#) a historical overview of the ongoing primary care crisis in Alberta, highlighting advocacy efforts and strides to-date, while also emphasizing key advocacy points and tips/tricks to support medical students in their meetings with government officials

*Western Deans Conference (Saskatoon, SK – 2023)*

- Drafted a student delegation workplan outlining our meeting schedule and key tasks and deliverables
- Organized three meetings with 20+ students from western schools to prepare our advocacy priorities, discussion questions, and key recommendations for UGME leadership regarding the conference topic: 'Innovation in Medical Education'
- Supported the Western Deans planning committee with the design of student-faculty breakout sessions
- [Presented](#) an overview of student priorities and recommendations to 50+ UGME staff, faculty, and leadership from across Western Canada
- Collaborated on the writing of a conference report and transition document to support incoming WRDs

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## *Other CFMS Responsibilities*

- Supported local initiatives and advocacy efforts in Western schools by connecting them with financial resources, offering advocacy perspective, and supporting event promotion and logistics
- Co-chaired monthly roundtables with VP Externals from schools across Canada to promote knowledge sharing, networking, and horizontal innovation across Canadian medical schools
- Designed and presented a “Welcome to CFMS” slide deck to incoming first-year classes to connect new students with CFMS leadership opportunities, conferences, scholarships, awards, discounts, and more

## **VP of National External Affairs**

2022 – 2023

### Calgary Medical Students Association

- Served as the CFMS expert for UofC med students, connecting them with national networks, funding, conferences, leadership opportunities, scholarships, awards, and more!
- Liaised concerns and questions between UofC students and the CFMS Board
- Managed the VP External budget which involved reviewing student applications for funding to attend professional development and research conferences
- Co-organized the 2024 Clubs and Advocacy Fair for students in the Class of 2026 to learn about student-run clubs and volunteer organizations, and connect with organizations including the AMA and ACFP

## **VOLUNTEERING AND MENTORSHIP**

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### **Presenter and Peer Mentor – Discovery Days in Health Sciences**

2022, 2023

#### Canadian Medical Hall of Fame

- Co-led four BLS and Procedural Skills workshops to teach High School students about the basics of med vitals, blood pressure measurement, intubation/airway management, and surgical knot tying
- Prepared a [BLS presentation/trivia](#) to enhance learning and engagement in our workshop
- Moderated end-of-workshop Q&A’s and career mentorship chats

### **Volunteer Advocate and Youth Representative**

2023

#### Heart & Stroke, Heart on the Hill, Ottawa, ON

- Advocated to federal officials for the adoption of healthier public policy to address Canada’s youth vaping epidemic and rising obesity rates during Heart & Stroke’s annual “Heart on The Hill” event

## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

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### **Policy Analyst and Stakeholder Engagement Liaison**

2021

#### Public Health Agency of Canada, FPT Relations, Special Advisory Committee on COVID-19, Ottawa, ON

- Provided research and analytical support by preparing meeting summaries, policy scans, and annotated agendas for team leaders
- Collected and synthesized emerging information related to intergovernmental public health policy issues
- Provided administrative support to the SAC Secretariat by taking minutes of weekly intergovernmental meetings and tracking F/P/T responses to discussion items requiring time-sensitive follow-up
- Organized and indexed meeting summaries and minutes by date and topic in relevant folders
- Coordinated and led the development of a OneDrive resource hub to improve team communication and facilitate access to information

### **Policy Analyst and Advocacy Specialist**

2021

#### Heart & Stroke Foundation, Ottawa, ON

- Conducted a literature review on tobacco taxation to inform H&S policy recommendations and the writing of their report to the federal government on their proposed federal vaping taxation framework
- Drafted policy recommendations for senior management meetings
- Synthesized an evidence scan of North American regulations of vaping flavours to inform H&S policy recommendations and their report to Health Canada in response to their vaping flavour regulations
- Represented H&S in meetings with advocacy partners (Health Canada, Physicians for a Smoke-Free Canada, Canadian Cancer Society), liaising H&S feedback and recommendations with our Policy team