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### Lunchtime Schedule

- 11:50 Lunch-buffet line (Inspiration Hall, Room 201)
- 12:05-12:15 Lunch Table Discussion Intro, Martin Teintze, PhD
- 12:15-12:30 Lunch Table Discussions
- 12:30-12:45 Lunch Table Discussions
- 12:45-1:00 Lunch Table Discussions

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Pre-Med Summit Breakout Sessions

Diversity in Medicine, Danielle Ishem, Director of Workforce Development (CEDI), UWSOM

Learn about diversity initiatives in the UW School of Medicine and find out about enrichment programs, including the Summer Health Professions Education Program (SHPEP), which helps prepare freshmen and sophomores from underrepresented and/or disadvantaged backgrounds for a career in the health professions. This session is offered in Sessions 2 and 4 in Room 321.

MD PhD Program, Martin Teintze, PhD, MSU

This session will cover some of the following along with questions you may have:
- How are MD/PhD programs structured?
- Describe the typical curriculum of an MD/PhD student, using the UW program as an example (with handout).
- How does the admissions process differ, and what does it take to get admitted into an MD/PhD program?
- What are the financial implications of doing an MD/PhD vs. MD?
- What are the career options and typical choices of MD/PhD graduates?
- Compare programs at other schools (e.g. Oregon, Colorado); describe MSTP programs.

This session is offered in Sessions 1 and 3 in Room 321.

Mock Admissions Committee Meeting (For Advisors Only)

This session is for Advisors only and will span two breakout sessions. Advisors will have a chance to go over the UW SOM application and discuss with the Admissions Director and members of the MT Admissions Committee. This is a two-part session for Advisors Only in Session 2 and during lunch in Room 149.

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