

**ENROLL
FOR
SPRING
2025**

BRAND NEW COURSE FOR BGS STUDENTS!

IMUN 5900

Community Engaged Approaches to Asthma Research & Education

A New Academically Based Community Service (ABCS) Course for BGS Students

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Through formal instruction at Penn and hands-on experience at the Andrew Hamilton Middle School, graduate students will gain expertise in community engaged approaches to biomedical research by teaching middle school students about the science of *one of the most significant public health threats to Philadelphia: asthma.*

This is a for-credit course that is open to all current BGS (PhD and MD/PhD) students

**BACKGROUND CLEARANCES AND
MANDATED REPORTER TRAINING
REQUIRED TO WORK WITH PHILADELPHIA
SCHOOL DISTRICT STUDENTS**

FORMAL INSTRUCTION

1/14/25 - 2/18/25



On-Campus Lecture
Tuesday/Thursday
10:15am-11:45am

HANDS-ON EXPERIENCE

2/20/25 - 5/13/25

Learning teams of (1-3) BGS students and (3-4) 6th-graders will be maintained throughout course. BGS students will guide their learning team through **pre-designed lesson plans** and a student-led **final project.**



Lesson Plan Review
Tuesday
10:15am-11:45am



Co-Teaching
Thursday
10:00am -12:00pm

Scan code for
tentative syllabus &
additional details!

