**Global Health**  
**Mini-Elective**  
**Spring 2015**

**Course Dates:**  
January 15, 22, February 12, 19  
Thursday evenings, 6:00-7:00 PM

**Maximum Students:**  
30—(20 Medical; 10 Graduate)

**Class Year:**  
MS1 and MS2  
(This mini-elective will be open to medical students as well as other graduate students in the Health Sciences Schools)

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