



**UNIVERSIDAD MAYOR DE SAN SIMÓN**  
**“Dr. AURELIO MELEAN” MEDICAL SCHOOL**  
**MASTER’S DEGREE IN CONTROL OF ILLNESSES AND TROPICAL**  
**MEDICINE**  
**COCHABAMBA – BOLIVIA**

**GENERAL OBJECTIVE OF THE MASTERS COURSE.**

The Master in Public Health graduate will be able to analyze, discuss and propose solutions for priority public health problems in low and middle income settings. The graduate will be able to analyze the influence and impact of international and national policies on the health system, and will be able to manage different systems (services, networks or health programs) and optimize use of financial resources. Graduates will also be able to develop their clinical practice in tropical environments and do health research. They will be able to use evidence as a basis for decision making for management and disease control, and identify and respect social and cultural aspects of each region.

**STRENGTHS FOR EXCHANGE**

**FOR STUDENTS WE OFFER:**

Five weeks module: “CONCEPTION AND DESIGN OF DISEASE CONTROL PROGRAMS”

At finish the module the student will be able to:

- A. To analyze health problems and possible interventions in countries low and middle income in a systematic way based in the evidence
- B. To select the most appropriate control measures taking into account the resources available in the context of countries low-middle income
- C. To develop the structure and processes of a disease control program
- D. To assess a disease management program
- E. To rate the operational and economic constraints upon the disease control program in the context of countries low and middle income

**WE SUPPORT TEACHER EXCHANGE:**

Send senior academics in:

- Advanced Epidemiology
- Parasitic diseases

**WE SUPPORT PEDAGOGICAL STAFF EXCHANGE:**

Send senior academics in: Tools and methods to improve students assessment

**NEEDS FOR EXCHANGE**

**FOR STUDENTS WE ARE INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE ABOUT:**

- Health Policy
- Health economics

**FOR TEACHING WE WELCOME EXPERTS SPECIALIZED IN:**

- International Health
- Health policy
- Health economy

Note. - For the exchange of students and teachers, we need a good level of Spanish



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