

Data and Policy Summer Scholar Program

This seven-week summer program creates a unique learning experience for global students and young professionals, providing an opportunity to connect rigorous data analytics to cutting-edge policy research implementation.



You will learn to:

- **Develop a foundation in policy analysis and the principles of critical thinking essential for careful and credible policy analysis**
- **Use R Programming**
- **Collaborate on a capstone research project that applies skills you've learned to a real-world data set**
- **Engage with policy outside the classroom through career exploration workshops, policy seminars, and mentor group sessions with a wide range of UChicago faculty and staff**



Features & Schedule

- ✓ Summer 2022
- ✓ Seven-week, part-time program
- ✓ No prior experience required
- ✓ Asynchronous virtual lectures, watch at your own time at your own pace
- ✓ Live office hours with faculty and graduate teaching assistant
- ✓ Live policy speaker seminars, career coaching, writing workshops, and more
- ✓ Live community activities



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Learn more about this program, including dates, fees, and application deadlines, at harris.uchicago.edu/DPSS