Molecular Medicine PhD Program

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Case Western Reserve University

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Why is the Molecular Medicine PhD Program Unique?

• Focus is on translational research in which students train
  in a collaborative environment that applies basic
  research for the understanding, prevention, and
  treatment of human diseases

• Coursework begins with the study of human physiology
  and disease and continues to integrate clinical correlates
  throughout the curriculum

• Exposure to clinical research literature, methods, and
  statistics

• Opportunity to work with both a Research Thesis
  Advisor and a Clinical Mentor

• Coursework includes an independent study “Clinical
  Experience” developed with the Clinical Mentor to
  participate in clinical case and research presentations,
  and other clinical activities connected to the student’s
  disease focus

• Students can choose rotation and thesis labs from a
  diverse environment of Faculty and research
  Departments at Cleveland Clinic and Case Western
  Reserve University

• Support, including tuition, stipend, core textbooks and
  laptop provided by the prestigious Howard Hughes
  Medical Institute