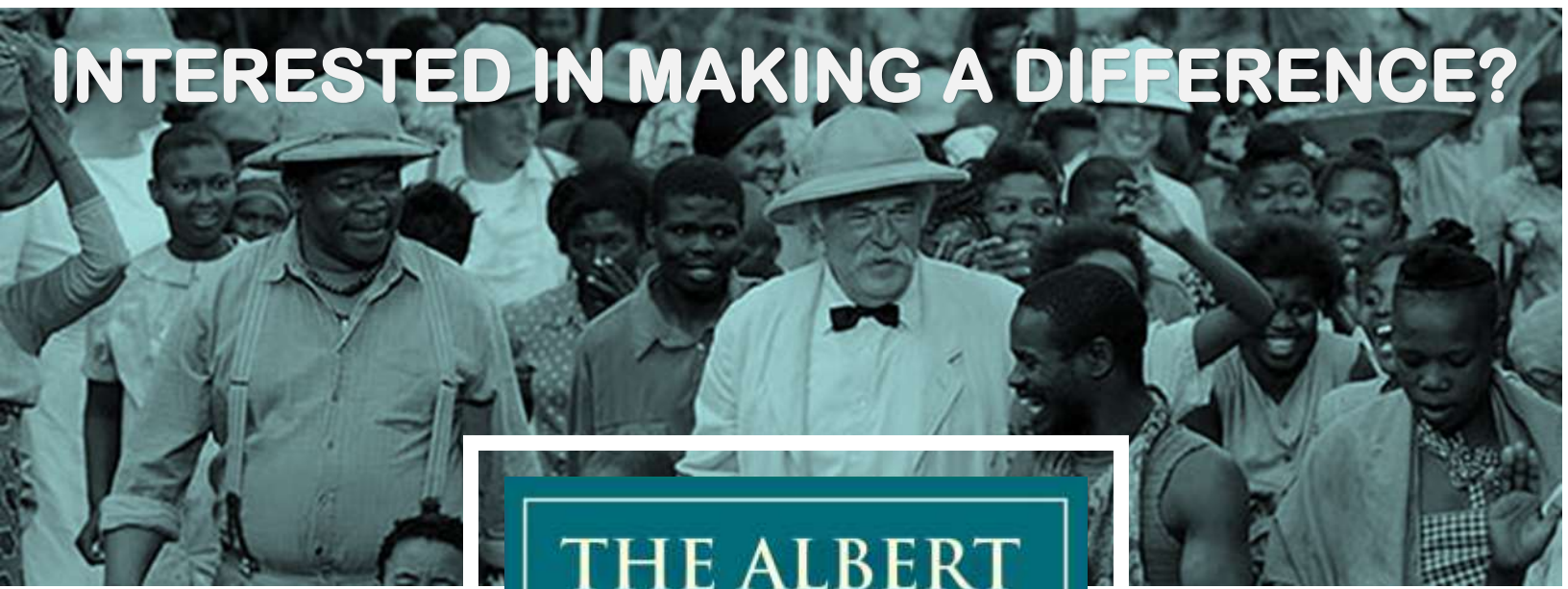


INTERESTED IN MAKING A DIFFERENCE?



DR. ALBERT SCHWEITZER
FOUNDED HIS HOSPITAL IN
LAMBARÉNÉ, AFRICA IN
1913...

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...BUT THERE ARE
LAMBARÉNÉS TO BE FOUND
OR CREATED ALL AROUND
US RIGHT HERE.

DESIGN & IMPLEMENT AN INNOVATIVE 200-HOUR SERVICE PROJECT

to address an underserved community's health and social
needs with guidance of mentors and field experts

PROGRAM ELEMENTS

- 200-hour community service project
- Monetary stipend
- Multidisciplinary meetings with experts
- Intra-professional networking
- Public outreach activities
- Fellows for Life national alumni network
- Professional development
- Mentorship in health and leadership
- Personal leadership opportunities

SCHWEITZER FELLOWS

- 50% are medical and health students
- 50% are students from various other fields
- 100% of the Albert Schweitzer Fellows, no matter their area of study or passion, are committed to addressing unmet health needs of vulnerable populations in the Houston-Galveston Area
- Fellows make a difference for life!

APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED ONLINE EACH YEAR BY FEBRUARY 15

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The Albert Schweitzer Fellowship – Houston Galveston (ASFHG) is dedicated to preparing the next generation of professionals who will serve and empower vulnerable people to live healthier lives and create healthier communities.

WHO WAS ALBERT SCHWEITZER?



As a young man, Albert Schweitzer had already authored three books and made landmark scholarly contributions in the fields of music, religion and philosophy. At the age of 30, aware of the desperate medical needs of Africans, he decided to become a doctor and devote the rest of his life to direct service in Africa. In 1913, Dr. Schweitzer and his wife, Helene, opened a hospital in Lambaréné, Gabon, to in his words, “make my life my argument”. In 1952 he was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize, to which he responded, “Now I have to earn it”. John F. Kennedy described Albert Schweitzer as “one of the most transcendent moral influences of our century”. Albert Einstein stated that “Albert Schweitzer is the only Westerner who has had the same moral effect in this generation comparable to Gandhi”.

HIS LEGACY LIVES ON THROUGH THE ALBERT SCHWEITZER FELLOWSHIP.

What is the Albert Schweitzer Fellowship-Houston Galveston?

ASFHG is a registered 501(c)3 non-profit that offers graduate students the opportunity to design and implement a health-related, 200-hour, year long community project that provides direct service to an underserved population. Students are paired with mentors, field experts and community sites to meet vital local health needs, with an immediate and lasting impact in the Houston-Galveston area.

ALBERT SCHWEITZER FELLOWS

Since 2008 more than 140 Albert Schweitzer Fellows in Houston-Galveston have completed projects in areas such as HIV/AIDS care, homeless support, oral health, nutrition, refugee health, mental health awareness, mobile health clinics, smartphone health apps, family and teen support groups, healthcare education and more. We are expanding the Albert Schweitzer philosophy, training and mentorship to include pharmacy, environmental studies, veterinary science, urban planning, psychology and other disciplines.



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