I. STUDENT INFORMATION
A. Student Name: David Schaffer
B. Email: david_schaffer@med.unc.edu
C. Phone/cell number (optional): 
D. Graduating year from UNC Medical School: 2018
E. Check when you took this elective: 
   X Summer between 1st and 2nd year _ 3rd year ___ 4th year ___ Other: 
F. What UNC Department and course did you register for this elective through? 
G. Faculty advisor: Joe Tucker; Irving Hoffman
H. Dates that you completed the elective: June 1 – July 7 Year: 2015
I. From the list below, select the one choice that best describes your motivation for taking this elective:
   ___ interest in global health ___ desire to get experience for CV/job opportunities
   ___ interest in travel ___ family of origin reasons
   ___ interest in helping others ___ other: 
   ___ desire to learn/improve Spanish skills
J. What was the major emphasis of this elective:
   ___ medical Spanish and Latino health
   ___ global health research
   ___ clinical care in an international setting
   ___ community health/development
   ___ Other: 
K. Was this a ___ group experience or X ___ individual experience?

II. ELECTIVE PROGRAM INFORMATION
A. Country where you completed the elective: China
B. City: Guangzhou
C. Name of Program or Hospital where you worked: Guangzhou Dermatology and STI Hospital/UNC project China
D. Website address (if available): globalhealth.unc.edu/unc-project-china
E. From the list below, select the choice that best describes how you first learned about this program:
   ___ referral from a friend/personal contact
   ___ another student who went there
   ___ web site information from:
   ___ other: 
F. Name of program person you worked with and contact information: Joe Tucker, MD jdtucker@med.unc.edu
G. Costs
   Tuition: N/A Roundtrip travel: $2086.41
   Other expenses you incurred, including vaccinations, supplies (please list type and amount):
   Living Expenses: $2985.35, Other: $2000
   
H. Did this program/hospital have a religious affiliation? ___ YES X ___ NO
If yes, with what group: ______________________________

I. Did this program/hospital have an academic affiliation? ___YES ___NO
If yes, with what institution: UNC-CH

III. GLOBAL HEALTH EXPERIENCE CHARACTERISTICS
A. List three educational outcomes you achieved with this elective
   1. Develop qualitative research and writing skills
   2. Engage in a public health project that offered insight cultural/societal factors influencing a unique population
   3. Improve Chinese language skills and observe clinical medicine
B. Was the experience a good use of time for you during medical school? ___X YES ___NO
C. Did you have adequate clinical supervision? ___X YES ___NO
D. Did you have adequate opportunities for hands-on clinical work? ___YES ___NO
E. Would you recommend this elective to other medical students ___YES ___NO

If YES, Why?  Opportunity to work on a very unique public health project in a safe and interesting place

If NO, Why? ____________________________________________

F. Was the program responsive to your needs? ___X YES ___NO

G. Did you have appropriate arrangements for housing, food and safety/health issues? ___X YES ___NO
   Please describe: Guangzhou is a large urban area that is safe and has plenty of resources to ensure a comfortable trip

H. Did you have adequate information about what to expect in advance? ___X YES ___NO
   What would have been helpful: Be sure to research housing options before you go; there are great options and not great options

I. Did you feel that you had adequate support from UNC in setting up this opportunity? ___X YES ___NO

J. Please include any additional information or feedback you would like to include for students engaging in future international rotations:

K. What could the OIA have done differently or better to support you in your international elective? :

Nothing!

THANK YOU!!! THIS INFORMATION WILL HELP FUTURE STUDENTS !!!!

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