

School of Pharmacy

Scholarship Profile



Tara Hensley
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Student Bio

Tara is from Casper, Wyoming. She completed her undergraduate education at the University of Wyoming and decided to continue her education at UW because of how much she grew to love the university in her first four years. She also appreciates the small class sizes and the close-knit community that the School of Pharmacy offers.

When asked about her experience at the School of Pharmacy, Tara says "one thing that has really enriched my educational experience is being involved in student organizations. I am an officer in the professional fraternity Phi Delta Chi and I am a member of the student chapter of the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists. In these student organizations, we volunteer in the community, doing activities like cleaning up Optimist Park and participating in an annual health fair, where we perform osteoporosis screening and other wellness checks, and provide education for the public. Being involved has taught me leadership skills and given me a chance to connect with my classmates and members of the surrounding community."

Upon graduating from the University of Wyoming School of Pharmacy, Tara hopes to complete a residency in the hospital or ambulatory care setting and go on to become a clinical pharmacist in one of these areas.

Robert M Meeboer Memorial Scholarship

Robert "Bob" Meeboer received his B.S. degree from the University of Wyoming in 1953 from the school of Pharmacy. He fulfilled his ROTC commitment at Fort Lewis, Washington following graduation, then returned to Wyoming in 1955 and married Jan Lehan of Sheridan, WY whom he had met during college. He then worked in pharmacies in Worland, WY and Roswell, New Mexico before buying a store in Thermopolis, Wyoming and later in Green River, Wyoming. In 1989 he and Jan moved to Las Vegas, NV where he worked in the pharmacy of a large super market before retiring in 1995.

This scholarship, established in 2011 in memory of Robert, is awarded to P3 and P4 students who graduated from a Wyoming high school.

