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of MEDICINE



**Pursue Your**

**MD**

**at a World-Class  
Medical School**

**Excellence. Innovation. Global Impact.**

Join Commonwealth University College of Medicine (CUCOM) and earn your MD while building a career that makes a real difference in global healthcare. Our innovative, competency-based curriculum prepares you for successful licensing exams and a fulfilling medical career worldwide.



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Commonwealth University College of Medicine is approved by the Ministry of education, sustainable development, innovation, science, technology and vocational training, Saint Lucia.

***4-Year & 5-Year MD Pathway***



# Why Choose **CU-COM**?

A forward-thinking medical education designed for global success.

## **Competency-Based Medical Education (CBME)**

An outcome-focused curriculum that integrates knowledge, skills, attitudes, and professional competencies to prepare graduates for global medical practice.

# What Sets **CU-COM** Apart



### **Global Pathways**

Structured preparation for USMLE, FMGE/NExT, PLAB, MCCQE to help you practice medicine anywhere in the world.



### **Early Clinical Exposure**

Clinical exposure begins from MD Year 1, allowing students to develop patient-centered skills, clinical reasoning, and professional confidence from the start.



### **Community-Focused Care**

The CU-CONNECT program connects you with St Lucia families for a meaningful healthcare experience.

### **CU-ELITE**

#### **Our Future-ready Academic Model**

Experiential, Learner-centered, Innovative, Technology-enhanced Ecosystem where curiosity and critical thinking drive continuous and lifelong discovery.

### **CU-HEARTS**

CU-HEARTS Center (Healthcare Education with Advanced Research & Training in Simulation) is the heart of Commonwealth University offering unparalleled simulation based training for clinical skills and patient safety.

### **A Unique Dual Degree Pathway**

Pursue MD + BHSM (Bachelor of Humanistic & Socialistic Medicine) for Healthcare Providers - A Joint Initiative by the Department of Education, International Chair in Bioethics, Melbourne, Australia and Commonwealth University College of Bioethics and Health Professions Education (CUCBHPE).

# Core **Strengths**

### **Interprofessional Integration**

Interprofessional competencies integrated within CBME from MD 1.

### **Longitudinal Mentorship**

Dedicated faculty mentor guides your academic, research and personal development.

### **Population Health Research Training**

In collaboration with the Foundation for Healthcare Technologies Society (FHTS), students participate in a structured 4-year longitudinal research training program developing research, analytical, and scholarly skills while addressing real-world health challenges.

# Your Curriculum & Global Pathways

Rigorous academics + practical skills + structured pathways to licensing success.

## Program Structure

- ✓ Premed: 4 semesters foundational science
- ✓ MD Year 1–2: Basic sciences + clinical intro
- ✓ MD Year 3–4: Clinical rotations & specialized training
- ✓ Integrated research, ethics, and community engagement throughout
- ✓ Continuous assessment & skill development

## Teaching & Learning Methods

- ✓ Case-based & problem-based learning
- ✓ Simulation-based clinical training
- ✓ Digital learning platforms & AI-supported tools
- ✓ Portfolio-based reflective learning (SCRIBE ePortfolio)
- ✓ Virtual patient scenarios (Body Interact)
- ✓ Art Based Learning
- ✓ Team Based Learning via InteDashboard
- ✓ Gamification & Game Based Learning

## Global Medical Licensing Pathways

### India (FMGE / NExT Pathway)



**MD (CUCOM)** → NEET Qualification → FMGE / NExT → Internship (if applicable) → Medical Registration → Clinical Practice / Postgraduate Training

### United States (USMLE Pathway)



**MD (CUCOM)** → USMLE Step 1 → USMLE Step 2 CK → Clinical Experience → Residency Match → Medical Practice in USA

### United Kingdom (PLAB Pathway)



**MD (CUCOM)** → PLAB 1 → PLAB 2 → GMC Registration → Clinical Practice in UK

### Canada



**MD (CUCOM)** → MCCQE Exams → Residency Pathway → Practice in Canada

### Australia



**MD (CUCOM)** → AMC Exams → Registration → Clinical Practice / Residency

### Germany



**MD (CUCOM)** → German Language Certification (B2/C1) → Licensing Exam / Recognition → Clinical Practice



CUCOM offers you globally competitive learning experience in partnership with



The world's leading higher education Learning Management System.



A premier secure testing and data-driven assessment platform.



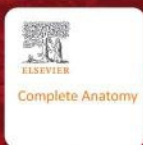
A comprehensive academic integrity and assessment ecosystem.



A dedicated, seamless all-in-one platform specifically designed to facilitate Team-Based Learning (TBL).



Enabling anytime, anywhere access to trusted medical knowledge and rich learning resources.



Advanced 3D anatomy platform that's designed to foster collaborative and deeper learning.



**Institutional Review Board (IRB) approved by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)**

# Begin Your Medical Career

Apply now to join a world-class medical community in beautiful Saint Lucia.

## The CUCOM Experience

**English-Speaking** Caribbean Island Location  
**Safe & Welcoming** Vibrant Student Community

**Modern Amenities** Campus Housing & Recreation  
**24/7 Support** Mentorship & Wellness Programs

## Admissions Process

**Step 1:** Choose program (4 or 5 year MD)

**Step 2:** Submit documents + exam scores

**Step 3:** Interview assessment

**Step 4:** Acceptance & enrollment

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## Special Advantage for Indian Students



Commonwealth University is Incorporated in Saint Lucia under Companies Act, Cap. 13.01 of the Revised Laws of Saint Lucia.

- ✓ NMC CBME-aligned curriculum
- ✓ FMGE/NEXT preparation built-in
- ✓ Comparable to Indian medical education
- ✓ Dedicated Indian student support