Early Hands-On Experiences
Over 40 standardized patient experiences starting in fall of Year One
Community outreach through local organizations and student-run clinics
Busy urban and suburban clinics
Service-learning opportunities like Special Olympics
Surgical Cadaver workshops

Real Research Opportunities
Extremitas peer-review student journal
Paid summer research fellowships
student funding available to attend conferences to present work
Proven track record of student research presented at national conferences

State-of-the-Art Facilities
New biomechanics lab with latest motion capture technology, orthotic production and traditional methods
Simulation labs with powered surgical equipment and sawbones for performing procedures
Virtual reality operating room experience
Computerized case simulations for reinforcement of skills

Beautiful Suburban Campus in Southern California
Year-round outdoor learning & playing spaces with WIFI enabled connectivity
45 minutes to the beaches or to the ski slopes
Exclusive housing options available only to WesternU students and opportunities within blocks of campus

The Most Rotation Months Possible
Up to 7 audition rotation months BEFORE residency interviews to optimize face-time with program directors
Southern California hospital rotations in year 3
National rotations in year four

Global Impact
Opportunity to interact with physicians around the world
Global telemedicine experiences

World Class Faculty
Most faculty double boarded in medicine and surgery
Respected leaders in state and national organizations

Student-Focused Learning
Interprofessional education with 8 health care colleges
A remediation program designed to keep students on track for on time graduation rates
College funded subscriptions to board prep programs and online learning communities
Protected time for board prep
Free wellness and accommodative supportive services
Individualized student mentorship
Digital Doctor’s Bag® - an iPad with pre-installed apps to assist you with learning
3-D Anatomy apps that allow virtual dissection
Mock residency interviews, case conferences and journal club to help students to prepare for audition rotations
A unique University department dedicated to offering help in learning skills, providing tutors and wellness strategies