

Wednesday January 20, 5:30-6:30pm

## Global Health: Africa

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Working with an international advisory board, Dr. Petroze was instrumental in the development of the Surgeons Overseas Assessment of Surgical Need (SOSAS) study, which has been used to assess neglected surgical disease at the population level in Rwanda, Sierra Leone, Uganda, and Nepal. Learn more about Dr. Petroze [here](#).



Elizabeth DeVos MD, MPH is the Director of UF College of Medicine Education Programs and an Associate Professor in the Department of Emergency Medicine at UF COM-Jacksonville. After completing an EM residency at UFHealth Jacksonville, Dr. DeVos completed an International Emergency Medicine Fellowship and a Master of Public Health degree at the George Washington University in Washington, D.C. Dr. DeVos teaches clinical emergency medicine at the bedside here in Florida and abroad. She participates in emergency care systems development and training in countries including Paraguay, Ghana, Rwanda, Ethiopia, Kenya and India. She also oversees the UF College of Medicine Local/Global Health Equity pathway and seminar series and student exchanges and electives related to global health and global health research.

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