Pharmacology Clifton 2026

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[Clifton] I actually started off as an intern after my freshman year of college. Ended up working here	Young man with shoulder length, wavy blonde hair wearing scrubs pipetting liquid into a centrifuge test tube
with Doctor Goeders, who at the time was the head of the Department of Pharmacology.	Same young man at a computer with an older, gray haired man pointing out data on screen
And then came back two summers later to do the SUPER program, where I was again working with Doctor Goeders doing a similar type of research. And that ultimately is what led me kind of to go into the department itself and then also chose this as a school overall. I like the department. I like the professors that they had and just kind of the overall, academic integrity, rigor and coursework that they offered and knew that, it felt like home, basically. And it was a place I could come to feel comfortable and do some great work.	Same young man, now older with short hair standing on a balcony overlooking a stairwell with a large L S U Health Shreveport logo on the wall behind him.
My name is Clifton Hacker, and I'm graduating from LSU Health Shreveport with my PhD in Pharmacology, Toxicology and Neuroscience.	Same man on camera Text: Clifton Haacker, P H D Pharmacology, Toxicology, & Neuroscience

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I recently just got a job at Z S Associates. It's located in New York City. I will be part of their strategy, insights and planning division, specializing in emerging pharma. So we'll be working with anything from small to mid-sized biotech companies. Along their clinical stage, pipelines, trying to get drugs basically from these trials into market. The department does a great job of getting you through your basic classic, course works, and then moving you on into a different, into your specific lab. That's kind of where you get more of, like, the hands on training. And so from there, you kind of work with your P I and you and your mentor, you lay out a project, for the next few years, and that is kind of where you start to develop, like, your own thinking, your own, problem solving troubleshooting abilities. We have some amazing faculty that do some really interesting and, really exciting science. And so if you can just find a P I that you connect with and you enjoy the work. I think this can be a great place for you to come and to join.	Clifton on camera
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