Psych Students,

Good luck with your finals this week! This is the last newsletter of fall 2022. We will resume sending the newsletter the first week of spring 2022 (January 9). You should still continue to check your WSU email during the break.

Here are some of the highlights for the week:

- Final grades will post on Wednesday, December 21. Here is how to look at final grades: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7lvj27DGjOI&feature=youtu.be](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7lvj27DGjOI&feature=youtu.be)

- Graduating Seniors make sure that you have done your exit survey: [https://psychology.wsu.edu/undergrad/senior-exit-survey/](https://psychology.wsu.edu/undergrad/senior-exit-survey/)

- Applications for the undergraduate research awards are open now! Applicants do not need to be currently engaged in research; however, applicants do need to identify a faculty research mentor and be able to write a short description of the research they intend to start in Fall 2023. Open to all majors. See page 3 to apply.

- The Office of the Dean of Students is looking for student volunteers to serve on their community standards boards. See page 4 for details.

Happy Reading!

Missed any of the past newsletters?
You can find all fall 2022 newsletters here:
[https://psychology.wsu.edu/undergrad/newsletters/](https://psychology.wsu.edu/undergrad/newsletters/)

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Mark Your Calendar
You will find important dates and deadlines here

- Finals Week  
  *December 12-16*

- Fall 2022 Commencement  
  *Saturday, December 10*

- Final grades available  
  *Wednesday, December 21*

- Spring 2023 Semester begins  
  *Monday, January 9*

Finals Week Resources

- Tutoring, [https://ascc.wsu.edu/channels/tutoring/](https://ascc.wsu.edu/channels/tutoring/)

- Mental health resources, [https://cougarhealth.wsu.edu/mental-health/](https://cougarhealth.wsu.edu/mental-health/)


- Undergrad writing center, [https://writingprogram.wsu.edu/undergraduate-writing-center/](https://writingprogram.wsu.edu/undergraduate-writing-center/)

- Math Learning Center, [http://math.wsu.edu/mlc/](http://math.wsu.edu/mlc/)

- Not sure when your final is? [https://registrar.schedule.wsu.edu/exams/final-exams/fall/](https://registrar.schedule.wsu.edu/exams/final-exams/fall/)
Apply for Admission to Psychology

Admission to a major is the process that officially designates students chosen field of study and the degree they will receive.

Admission to a major is a university requirement for graduation that can be completed for Psych majors once they have satisfied the following:

• completed a minimum of 30 semester credit hours (sophomore standing)
• completed Psych 311 with a c- or better
• earned a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher

If you have completed the criteria above, please complete the certification request form at the following link: https://psychology.wsu.edu/psychology-major-certification-request/

If you have completed the criteria noted above, but are not sure if you have been admitted to the psych major please check to see if you have been before completing the request form. You can check by running an academic requirement report or a what-if report. Not sure how to run a what-if or academic advisement report? What-if instructions: https://s3.wp.wsu.edu/uploads/sites/514/2021/07/What-If-Report-Directions.pdf. Academic requirements instructions: https://s3.wp.wsu.edu/uploads/sites/514/2021/07/viewing-academic-progress-report.pdf. If you are not admitted to Psych, there will be a notice under the Psychology requirements that states certification/admission to the major has not been completed.

If Psych is not your primary major, feel free to consult with you primary major advisor about their respective admission to major requirements and process.
Undergraduate Research Awards are available to students in all majors on all campuses. The application requires a personal statement and brief description of intended or current research, scholarship, or creative activity.

For more information and to access the online application form, visit the awards page at UndergraduateResearch.wsu.edu

Application due: Jan. 20, 2023

Faculty-Mentor Endorsement due: Jan. 27, 2023

Successful 2023-24 recipients are required to present their research at WSU’s annual Showcase for Undergraduate Research and Creative Activity in March 2024.
Volunteers needed. Apply now!

The Office of the Dean of Students seeks students, faculty, and staff from all WSU locations to serve as hearing board members, chairs, and student conduct advisors. No prior experience is necessary, and we will provide training. Most hearings occur virtually.

**Board Member**
As a board member, you will support students by helping to determine the outcome of student conduct matters through a framework of fairness, impartiality, community values, and equity.

- Open to students, faculty, and staff.
- Choose to serve on the Conduct and Appeals Boards or Academic Integrity Hearing Board.
- Volunteer 2–8 hours every month with flexible scheduling.

**More about boards**

**Board Chair**
We also seek chairpersons for all three hearing board types. The chair facilitates hearings, leads deliberations, ensures all board members can express views, maintains an environment for unbiased conversation, and composes decision letters.

- Available to faculty, staff, and students
- No additional experience required
- Volunteer 1-2 additional hours each month

If interested, fill out the [board member application](mailto:standards.boards@wsu.edu) and reach out to standards.boards@wsu.edu.

**Why Join a Board**

“Being a student representative in the hearing board enriches me educationally and professionally.”

—Nouf Alqahtani
WSU Student
Academic Integrity Board
SHOUT OUTS! Section

Need help registering? Come see the Psych mentors! 
https://psychology.wsu.edu/undergrad/mentoring-program/

Need Psych Tutoring?

Seeking students to feature in this section
Were you published? Did you win an award or scholarship? Were you featured in the news? Were you accepted to a grad or professional program? Did you land a job or internship?
We want to hear from you.
Please email your submissions to cjhernandez@wsu.edu.
Enjoy your winter break!