PSYCH NEWSLETTER

WSU DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY



Psych students,

Soon fall 2024 enrollment will open! Now is a good time to check that all of your holds that prevent your from enrolling are taken care of, your shopping cart is filled with courses that you want to enroll in for fall, and that your shopping cart is validated. Validating your shopping cart checks that you meet the pre-requisites for the courses in your shopping cart.

As a reminder your <u>psych peer mentors</u> are an excellent resource if you need help enrolling in your courses. You can find them throughout the week in Johnson Tower 201.

Recruitment for the next psych peer mentors is happening now! If you are interested in applying check out page four of this newsletter. The deadline to apply is April 7!

Also make sure you save the date for the <u>Becoming</u>

<u>Competitive for Graduate School</u> and <u>How to Improve Your</u>

<u>Study Habits</u> presentations happening this month!

Those of you interested in a career in clinical psychology or are just curious about the graduate school process are also encouraged to save the date for Midwestern University's Graduate School Info Session on Tuesday, April 23!

NEWSLETTER HIGHLIGHTS

How to Improve Your Study Habits Presentation

Becoming Competitive for Graduate School Presentation

Psych Peer Mentor Application

Midwestern Clinical Psychology Graduate Program Info Session

Career Highlight: Music Therapy

Missed any of the past newsletters? You can find all spring 2024 newsletters here: psychology.wsu.edu/undergrad /newsletters

Important Dates

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Deadlines

Find the Academic Calendar: registrar.wsu.edu/academic-calendar/



Asian Pacific Islander Desi American Heritage Month at WSU

Monday, April 1-Tuesday, April 30

Arab American Heritage Month Monday, April 1-Tuesday, April 30

Sexual Assault Awareness Month Monday, April 1-Tuesday, April 30

Deadline to register for May 2024 commencement Wednesday, April 3

Priority registration begins for Fall *Monday, April 8*

Deadline to withdraw from a course *Friday, April 12*

National Day of Silence Friday, April 12

Deadline for term withdrawal from WSU Friday, April 26

Deadline to apply for May 2024 graduation with \$75 late fee Friday, April 26



Students! We want to hear from you!

Were you accepted to a graduate or professional program?

Were you accepted to a summer research program?

Did you earn a scholarship?

Have you won any awards?

If you would like to be featured on this page of the newsletter please reach out to Cassandra Hernandez at cjhernandez@wsu.edu.

Become a Peer Mentor for the Psych Department

- Peer mentors learn about resources available to students at WSU and guide current and incoming students in the program to resources and experiences that will help them to be successful. As a mentor, you will develop leadership skills, work closely with a faculty member (Dr. Blythe Duell), and learn about the range of experiences available to WSU Psychology students. If you are selected as a peer mentor, you will receive 3 credits of Psych 499 for your successful completion of the program (2 in the fall and 1 in the spring).
- If you are interested in this opportunity, please apply at the link below by April 7.
- Scan the QR Code for more information and a link to the application.



PSYCH PEER MENTORS

BECOMING COMPETITIVE FOR GRADUATE SCHOOL

ZOOM AND IN PERSON!

Join us to learn about some of the many ways you can supplement your resume and make yourself a strong candidate for graduate programs!

THURSDAY,
APRIL 18TH AT
9:00 AM

JOHNSON TOWER 235C

Zoom Meeting ID: 937 8639 2784 Passcode: 429349









SUMMER UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH EDUCATION PROGRAM (SUREP)

MAY 21 - JUNE 25, 2024

Tues, Wed, Thurs 5 - 7 pm EST



Learn from experts in the field about their current research & trajectory



Explore how to design a research question to inform viable research project



Create psychology graduate school application materials with graduate students & faculty

Deadlines: April 1 (Priority);
April 15 (Regular)



Scan to apply!



For more information visit this link

Questions? <u>Email</u> SUREP Coordinators



VIRTUAL PSYCHOLOGY GRADUATE SCHOOL FAIRS



Event Hours: 11am - 3pm Eastern

Review <u>Testimonials</u> about prior Virtual Fairs.

Presented By:



Psychology Grad School Virtual Fair | April 30, 2024

Prospective Students Meet Psychology Schools Real-time

The Virtual Fair is free to interested students.

Learn more at **Psychology Grad School Virtual Fair (careereco.com)**



APA Psychology Graduate School Fair

April 17, 2024 12 - 4 PM ET

WWW.CAREERECO.COM/EVENTS/APA



Learn more at:

American Psychological Association (APA) Psychology Graduate School Fair (careereco.com)



Midwestern University

Clinical Psychology Information Session

Tuesday, April 23rd @ 3:30pm Location: JT 235-C

To learn more about Midwestern University, please visit our website at: https://www.midwestern.edu/academics/degrees-and-programs.xml

Questions?
Please contact Beka Godsil at rgodsi@midwestern.edu





Join the Psychology
Department on Friday
April 26, 2024 for the
Undegraduate Research
Symposium!

3:00 - 4:00 p.m. at TODD 230: Dr. Leslie Leve will present her research on:

An Intervention for Females Involved in the Juvenile Justice System: Mechanisms of Action and Intergenerational Transmission 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. at CUE Atrium: Undergraduate and postbaccalaureate research poster presentations.

Keynote Speaker Dr. Leslie Leve

Leslie Leve, PhD, is the Lorry Lokey chair in education at the University of Oregon. She also holds a visiting scholar appointment at the University of Cambridge, UK. With more than 230 publications, Leslie's research focuses on child, adolescent, and family well-being using longitudinal studies and intervention designs. She is particularly interested in community-based research with underserved populations and families involved in service systems, including K-12 schools, foster care, juvenile justice, and adoption settings.



WSU Athletics is looking for tutors for Summer Bridge 2024.
The program runs from June 17th-July 26th.

Use this link to learn more about the position and to applyhttps://wsu.joinhandshake.com/stu/jobs/8782647?ref=non-splitview-web-app&search_id=25023014-ef69-4342-b493fbbee5c5992f

Questions about this position can be directed to Marie Lund-Hansen, marie.lund-hansen@wsu.edu

Find other jobs available on Handshake using this link: ascc.wsu.edu/resources/handshake-student-employment-portal



IF YOU'RE READING THIS WSU



Consider submitting a letter for IYRT WSU to share your story!



Email @ifyourereadingthiswsu@gmail.com with questions

APPLY FOR ADMISSION TO PSYCH

- Students currently enrolled in Psych 311 are able to apply for admission to Psych <u>before</u> the semester ends (you do not need to wait for your grade to be posted)
- Apply using this link: <u>psychology.wsu.edu/psychology-major-certification-request</u>
- Once spring grades post you will be admitted as long as you:
 - Earn a C- or higher in Psych 311
 - Have a 2.5 or higher cumulative WSU GPA
 - 30 completed credit hours
- You are not notified when you are admitted to psych. Check your academic requirements in myWSU to verify that you have been admitted to psych
- Once admitted to your primary major you may reach out to your minor/additional major advisor to request to have your minor/additional major added to your plan



Why not take one or two of these psych courses this summer?

- A chance to take a course not taught in Pullman
- Get ahead or catch up on credits
- Take an online course
- Complete one or more of your graduation requirements

Psych 105	Psych 350
Psych 110	Psych 361
Psych 210	Psych 363
Psych 230	Psych 372
Psych 265	Psych 384
Psych 311	Psych 401
Psych 312	Psych 412
Psych 320	Psych 440
Psych 321	
Psych 324	Psych 464
Psych 328	Psych 470
Psych 333	Psych 490
Psych 348	Psych 491

summer.wsu.edu

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MUSIC THERAPY



Music therapy is the clinical and evidence-based use of music interventions to accomplish individualized goals within a therapeutic relationship. Music therapy is an established health profession in which music is used within a therapeutic relationship to address physical, emotional, cognitive, and social needs of individuals.

CAREER OPTIONS

FOR MORE INFO VISIT

Board Certified Music Therapist

Director of Music Therapy

Music Therapist

GRADUATE PROGRAMS



www.onetonline.org
www.bls.gov
www.apa.org
www.musictherapy.org

MINOR/ADDITIONAL MAJOR IDEAS

Music

Comparative Ethnic Studies

Human Development

Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies

Learn about other careers in psychology at psychology.wsu.edu/undergrad/careers-in-psych