

## Wayne State University-American Psychological Association (WSU-APA) Summer Scholars Program

Wayne State University (WSU) is pleased to announce that it has received funding from the American Psychological Association (APA) for an innovative program aimed at providing in-depth and meaningful research and professional development experiences to 4 undergraduates during Summer 2016. The program is aimed at first-generation college students, students from economically disadvantaged backgrounds, or students from groups that have been traditionally underrepresented in psychology. WSU-APA Summer Scholars will participate in intensive research experiences and receive mentoring from WSU psychology faculty members. Students will be paid a stipend of \$3,840 for their time and parking costs will be covered.

Students from any university are welcome to apply. In addition, students are eligible for the program if they:

- 1) Are a first-generation college student, from an economically disadvantaged background, or from a group under-represented in the field of psychology (including but not limited to racial/ethnic minorities),
- 2) Have a minimum GPA of 3.0 in undergraduate courses,
- 3) Have a minimum grade of 3.0 in a college-level Introduction to Psychology course,
- 4) Are currently pursuing an Associate's or Bachelor's Degree,
- 5) Have had little to no research experience at this point in their undergraduate careers, and
- 6) Are able to devote 40 hours per week on Summer Scholar activities from May 23-July 22, 2016.

To apply for one of the WSU-APA Summer Scholars positions, please complete the online application at [https://waynestate.az1.qualtrics.com/SE/?SID=SV\\_aWDxcgKEOu1OXtP](https://waynestate.az1.qualtrics.com/SE/?SID=SV_aWDxcgKEOu1OXtP) by March 15, 2016. Note that you will be asked to identify up to 4 mentors from the following list. More information about their research programs can be found at <http://clas.wayne.edu/Psychology/Directory>. If you have further questions about the WSU-APA Summer Scholars program, please email [WSUAPAScholars@wayne.edu](mailto:WSUAPAScholars@wayne.edu).

### Potential Faculty Mentors for the WSU-APA Summer Scholars Program

Faculty Name	Area of Psychology	Research Interests
Antonia Abbey, Ph.D.	Social/Health Psychology	Violence against women; etiology of sexual aggression; recovery from sexual assault; heavy episodic drinking in young adults
Boris Baltes, Ph.D.	Industrial/Organizational Psychology	Effects of stereotypes on workplace outcomes; age and workplace issues; work-family balance
Marjorie Beeghly, Ph.D.	Developmental Psychology	parent-child interactions, co-parenting, infancy and early childhood, child cognitive and social emotional outcomes, observational research, developmental assessments
Tim Bogg, Ph.D.	Personality/Health Psychology	Personality, motivation, and health-related behaviors; personality-informed interventions for improved health status
Susanne Brummelte, Ph.D.	Behavioral and Cognitive Neuroscience	Developmental neuroscience; early adversity; brain development; neonatal pain; developmental stress and antidepressant exposure; behavioral neuroscience
Annmarie Cano, Ph.D.	Clinical/Health Psychology	Couples; chronic pain; emotional expression and regulation; couple-based interventions for chronic illness; mindfulness
Lara Jones, Ph.D.	Cognitive; Social/Personality	Verbal analogy; working memory; creativity; semantic priming; narcissism and self esteem as predictors of self-related memories
Mark Lumley, Ph.D.	Clinical/Health Psychology	Intervention development; clinical trials of psychosocial interventions; stress and trauma; emotional processes (awareness, expression); chronic pain; health psychology; psychosomatic medicine
Noa Ofen, Ph.D.	Behavioral and Cognitive Neuroscience/ Developmental Psychology	Cognitive development; brain development; episodic memory; associative memory; hippocampus; brain structure and function; neuroimaging; children; adolescents
Valerie Simon, Ph.D.	Clinical/Developmental Psychology	Child maltreatment; adverse child experiences; adolescent development; romantic and sexual relationships; emotion regulation
Christopher Trentacosta, Ph.D.	Clinical/Developmental Psychology	Families; emotion; behavior problems; poverty; resilience