

**STUDENT INTERNSHIP APPLICATION
DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY**

The deadline to apply for internships is **April 12, 2019.**

In addition to completing this application, you must also submit an updated resume and a copy of your academic transcript (a printout of an unofficial transcript from YourConnection is fine).

Name: _____

Phone number: _____

Make sure this is a phone number you check regularly, that can receive voicemail messages

E-mail address: _____

Major: _____ Minor: _____

Semester that you'd like to do an internship: _____

Total number of credit hours completed as of the end of the Spring 2019 semester: _____

Current overall GPA: _____

If you are unsure, check using Your Connection. Please note that inaccuracy in reporting your GPA could delay or invalidate your application

Psych-only GPA: _____

Note that because Fredonia is in a rural area, not every student can be matched with an internship locally. Some internships will require a drive to areas such as Buffalo or Jamestown. How likely is it that you will you have consistent access to a reliable vehicle during the semester of internship?

- Definitely yes
- Not sure
- Definitely not

Do you have access to a reliable vehicle right now?

- Yes
- No

In order to do an internship in the Fall semester, you are required to attend a once a week seminar class (PSY479) every TUESDAY from 4pm-4:50pm in Fall 2019. Are you available to attend this seminar?

- Yes
- No

The following is a list of courses required for each type of internships. Please review them.

Child/Adolescent Development

PSY 349 – Child Psychology OR EDU 225 – Child Development

PSY 364 – Cognitive Development OR PSY 365 – Social Development

Recommended but not required: PSY 379 – Child Psychopathology, EDU 250 – Introduction to the Exceptional Learner, SOC 364 – Juvenile Delinquency

Clinical Psychology/Counseling Psychology

PSY 447 – Introduction to Counseling

PSY 356 – Abnormal Psychology OR PSY 379 - Child Psychopathology

Recommended but not required: PSY 391 - Multicultural Counseling

Forensic Psychology

PSY 356 – Abnormal Psychology

PSY 447 – Introduction to Counseling

Recommended but not required: **PSY 391- Multicultural Counseling, SOC 316 – Minority Groups, CRMJ 100 – Introduction to Criminal Justice, PSY 380 - Psychology of Incarceration, PSY 358 – Psychology and the Law**

Geropsychology

PSY 366 – Psychology of Adulthood

PSY 364 – Cognitive Development OR PSY 365 – Social Development

Recommended but not required: PSY 317 – Psychological Assessment, PSY 447 – Introduction to Counseling

Health Psychology

PSY 247 – Health Psychology

PSY 447 – Introduction to Counseling

Recommended but not required: BIO 110 – Human Biology, PSY 351 – Physiological Psychology, PSY 361 – Cognitive Neuroscience

Organizational Psychology

PSY 345 – Social Psychology

PSY 347 – Organizational Psychology

Recommended but not required: PSY 355 – Group Dynamics, PSY 317 – Tests and Measurements

School Counseling

PSY 447 – Introduction to Counseling

PSY 364 – Cognitive Development OR PSY 365 – Social Development OR PSY 349 Child Psychology

Recommended but not required: PSY 391 - Multicultural Counseling

School Psychology

PSY 447 – Introduction to Counseling

PSY 364 – Cognitive Development OR PSY 365 – Social Development OR PSY 349 Child Psychology

Recommended but not required: PSY 317 - Tests and Measurements, PSY 391 – Multicultural Counseling, PSY 379 - Child Psychopathology

Sport Psychology

PSY 237 – Sport Psychology

PSY 345 – Social Psychology

Recommended but not required: PSY 447 – Introduction to Counseling, PSY 355 – Group Dynamics,
PSY 247 – Health Psychology

Using the list of internship types provided above, rank order your top three choices for your preferred internship type: (Note that it is not always possible to accommodate student preferences, due to limitations in sites and the competitive nature of internships)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

If you do not have all of the required courses for the types of internship you listed as your top choices, please indicate which courses you are missing:

We will attempt to match all applicants with their preferred internship focus; however, it is not always possible to do this. If there were no internships available in your first, second, or third choices, how interested would you be in exploring the possibility of an internship with a different focus?

- Not interested. Please only consider me for internships in the areas I indicated above.
- Possibly interested in one or more areas
- Very interested, no matter what area

Describe the kind of internship you are interested in (for example, the types of clients you'd like to work with or the types of tasks you would be most interested in doing):

What do you want to be doing five years from now? *Focus particularly on your professional life. This will help the coordinator when trying to find you an internship placement.*

What are your main motivations for wanting to complete an internship? (Check your top three)

- Credit hours or course needed for degree
- Intellectual curiosity
- Desire to know whether face-to-face helping (in general) is a good fit for me
- Gain real-world perspective on a specific career of interest
- Increase your competitiveness for graduate school admissions
- Increase your competitiveness for specific career fields (e.g., those you indicated above)
- Increase your competitiveness for future jobs (in general; not restricted to particular domains)
- Other _____

To complete an internship, you will be required to do 120 hours of supervised experience at your site in that semester. This will require a commitment of about 10-12 hours per week (not including commuting time to/from your internship site). Please carefully consider your class schedule, employment, personal life, and other extracurricular commitments will allow you to dedicate the necessary time to this experience. While some sites are open on evening/weekends, the vast majority will be open only during weekday business hours. For the semester you would like to do an internship: which days during the week would you be available to go to an internship for 6-8 hour blocks of time? Please check all that apply:

- Monday
- Tuesday
- Wednesday
- Thursday
- Friday

To finish your application:

- Complete this form and submit it either via email (lisa.denton@fredonia.edu) or by putting in Dr. Denton's mailbox in the Psychology office mailroom (next to the main Psychology office on the third floor of Thompson).
- Submit an updated resume (the Career Development Office on campus can help you prepare this) either via email or as a hard copy attached to this application.
- Submit a copy (unofficial is fine) of your academic transcript, either via email or as a hard copy attached to this application.

Dr.Denton will review applications at the end of the Spring 2019 semester and will be in contact with you as soon as possible.