





Faculty Member Contact Information

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1 Funded, 2-3 Unfunded URCA Assistant

	This position is ONLY open to students who have declared a major in this discipline.	M
X	This project deals with social justice issues.	
	This project deals with sustainability (green) issues.	
X	This project deals with human health and wellness issues.	
	This project deals with community outreach.	
	This mentor's project is interdisciplinary in nature.	I

Are you willing to work with students from outside of your discipline? If yes, which other disciplines?

- I am open to taking students outside of my discipline, but only those in similar fields.

How many hours per week will your student(s) be required to work in this position?

(Minimum is 6 hours per week; typical is 9)

- 9

Will it be possible for your student(s) to earn course credit?

- Yes; Up to 3 credit hours of PSYC 491

Location of research/creative activities:

- AH 0122

Brief description of the nature of the research/creative activity?

My research examines gender role attitudes including masculinity and sexism and developmentally among emerging adults. I am predominantly interested in how gender-based attitudes impact the lives of individuals, including their mental health, and interpersonal processes. This lab will explore these areas using quantitative research through secondary research and survey methods. I am currently collecting data on college students' perspectives of the election, their levels of anxiety/depression, and how their gender role attitudes play into these concepts.

Brief description of student responsibilities?

Duties will vary based on student availability and interest in projects. In my current project, students may conduct peer reviewed literature searches, organize and clean datasets (using SPSS), assist with running analyses, and help with writing conference proposals.

URCA Assistant positions are designed to provide students with *research or creative activities* experience. As such, there should be measurable, appropriate outcome goals. What exactly should your student(s) have learned by the end of this experience?

Students will learn how to clean and organize datasets. They will also gain experience using SPSS and possibly learn how to run analyses such as correlations or regressions. Students will also gain knowledge of how to conduct a literature review as well as to hone their writing skills.

Requirements of Students

If the position(s) require students to be available at certain times each week (as opposed to them being able to set their own hours) please indicate all required days and times:

- N/A

If the location of the research/creative activities involves off campus work, must students provide their own transportation?

- N/A

Must students have taken any prerequisite classes? Please list classes and preferred grades:

- I prefer students to have taken and pass PSYC 220 and 221.

Other requirements or notes to applicants:

- None

