



ADVISING APPOINTMENTS

The advising staff invites you to schedule an academic advising appointment by calling **970.491.3799**. Office hours for the Summer 2008 term are **7:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.** Summer office hours will be in effect from Monday, May 19 through Friday, August 15, 2008.

Advising Staff

~ Office Location:

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~ Clark B-204

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Important Dates

May 16-17 – Commencement ceremonies

May 19 – Summer Session Begins

August 25 – Fall 2008 Semester Classes Begin

Congratulations to all of our graduating seniors! All your hard work has finally paid off and we want to wish you all the best as you move on to your next great adventure. Congratulations as well to all of our students who will be returning in fall. You made it through another semester. We hope you have a fabulous summer and we look forward to seeing you again in fall if not sooner. Have a fun & safe summer!!

Important Reminder for Students Taking Summer Classes at CSU – Summer drops and withdrawals differ significantly from the fall and spring semesters. Each summer sub-term has its own schedule change period and course withdrawal period. If you register for summer classes at CSU and decide to drop or withdraw from the course, you **must** drop from classes during the scheduled change period. If you do not, you will be charged tuition and fees. Specific dates and tuition assessment for 2008 summer sub-terms can be found at <http://www.summer.colostate.edu/regindex.cfm?dispg=withdraw> OR go to www.summer.colostate.edu and click on "Cancellation-Drops-Withdrawals".

Important Change to Repeat/Delete Policy – Recently we noticed the following change to the repeat/delete policy:

Once a student has graduated from CSU, a student may **NOT** repeat/delete any CSU course taken **PRIOR** to the date of graduation. For more information on CSU's repeat/delete policy visit: <http://www.colostate.edu/Depts/Registrar/records.htm#repeatdelete>.

May 2008 – Special Edition Undergraduate Newsletter

Congratulations to D. Tobiassen Baitinger who was selected as a 2008 National Academic Advising Association (NACADA) Outstanding New Advising Certificate of Merit recipient.

Congratulations to Dr. Ben Clegg, Dr. Karla Gingerich, and Jake Benfield for receiving respectively the College of Natural Sciences Undergraduate Mentoring Award, Teaching Innovation Award, and Graduate Student Teaching award.

Congratulations also to Dr. Silvia Canetto, Dr. Peter Chen, and Dr. Matt Rhodes who were nominated for the Outstanding Honors Academic Adviser Award for 2008.

To learn more about what faculty, staff, students and alumni from the Department of Psychology are up to, be sure to check out the department newsletter at: <http://www.colostate.edu/Depts/Psychology/newsletter.shtml>.

SOAR 2008 – ADVISOR GRATITUDE AWARD



CONGRATULATIONS to Bryan Dik and Karla Gingerich, recipients of this year's Student Organizations and Advisor Recognition (SOAR) Advisor Gratitude Award for their roles as co-advisors for Psi Chi/Psychology Student Alliance. The Advisor Gratitude Award recognizes two Colorado State University student organization advisors for volunteerism and commitment to building meaningful communities. Of the 300 or so student organization advisors on the CSU campus, 28 advisors were nominated and only two awards were given out. The impact and contribution Bryan and Karla make can best be understood by reading the following remarks



made directly by Andrew Stewart, 2008-09 Psi Chi President: "Karla Gingerich and Bryan Dik have been vital to the success of our student organization. Although they will say that they do nothing and the students virtually run the show without them, they overlook the important roles they play in our organization. Karla provides us with a sense that nothing could go wrong. If a problem arises, she is quick to offer advice on how to fix it. Thus, she stabilizes our organization. Bryan's sense of humor and down to earth demeanor reminds us to have fun with what we are planning and implementing. Without his way of breaking tension and lightening the mood, we would all be overly stressed and wouldn't have fun. **Thank you both for your unending support and dedication to us as students and as friends.**"

NEWS FROM THE SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS TUTORIAL HALL

The Science and Mathematics Tutorial Hall will be closed for the summer but will resume operations in fall. Be sure to check the fall newsletter or visit us on-line (<http://www.natsci.colostate.edu/tutoring/index.cfm>) once fall classes start to get the fall tutoring schedule.

FIELD PLACEMENT/INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Project Facilitator Intern Position available with the Latino-Hispanic Community Inclusion Team

Overview: The Project Facilitator serves an important role in the development and implementation of two training modules which will be designed to improve understanding about the child welfare system and the multiple Latino-Hispanic cultures within Larimer County. The Project Facilitator must have solid skills in communication, research and problem solving, and also demonstrate good judgment. The person filling this internship must be able to work in a team setting, be a self-starter and work with considerable independence. This position requires some experience with Hispanic/Latino families, particularly from high need neighborhoods. It is preferred the person filling this position possess some basic level of cultural competency and bilingual/bi-literate skills in English/Spanish.

For more information about this position and how to apply contact: Marilyn Thayer, Director - Community Organizing to Reach Empowerment (CORE) Center, (970) 484-2580.

EMPLOYMENT/VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Career Counseling with Judy Brobst, Career Center Liaison, College of Natural Sciences

In order to meet with Judy during the summer (May 19 – August 22), students will need to schedule an appointment by contacting Judy at judy.brobst@colostate.edu or 970-491-1190.

Services offered: Internships & volunteer experiences, resume development, choosing/changing majors, graduate school, on-line assessments, job search skills, etc.

For Graduating Female Seniors – The Rose Transition Home, a newly opened 6 bed facility for women who have recently completed an drug/alcohol treatment program, has the following 2 positions available (women only):

- **Live In Residential Manager** – Duties include – Facilitate weekly “house meetings,” oversee some daily activities of home – e.g. make sure residents are home by curfew, up in the mornings, complete daily chores. This position includes room and board and \$500/mo. Outside employment is possible.
- **Psych. Tech** – Duties include – Assist patients in daily activities including assisting with counseling activities, transporting patients to and from AA meetings, health club sessions, and other regularly scheduled activities. Assist the director where needed. \$12 per hour, approx 20 hours/week.

These would be great positions for a psychology graduate student or for someone recently out of a psychology, counseling or social work program or nearing completion of such a program. These positions could be combined with a salary negotiated. The facility is located 7 miles from Boulder. **For more information call: Marcie Chambers 720-352-1623 or email resume to mchambers101@gmail.com.** Transitional Living Home web site: www.RoseTransitionHome.com.

PSI CHI & PSA NEWS

Psi Chi and The Psychology Student Alliance have elected new officers for the 2008-2009 year. Congratulations to:

Andrew Stewart – Psi Chi President

Ava Carey – Psychology Student Alliance President

Liz Keneski – Psi Chi Vice President

Ryan Baumann – Psychology Student Alliance Vice President

Calvin McGill – Treasurer

Cassidy McIntosh – Secretary

Kendall Evans – Community Service Chair

Wendy Christensen – Fundraising Chair

Psi Chi has also accepted 20 new inductees this semester. They are:

Michelle Blesener

Danielle Keller

Jessie Savre

Kelly Taylor

Cara Cook

Mary Lee

Nicole Scott

Ashley White

Tawny Dela Cruz

Lauren Millard

Sarah Shelton

Jessie Youngblood

Kyla Dvorak

Amanda Pala

Jessica Smeins

Dimitri Zaugg

Sarah Huff

Christine Parker

Alexandra Stephan

Alisha Zellner

SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

Congratulations to the following scholarship recipients:

Andrew Stewart – The Myron Brown Ludlow Scholarship & The Maurice Davies Award

Jeremiah Lujan – The Gloria and Frank Grimaldi Memorial Scholarship

Hanan Shorosh – The Dr. Frank Vattano Psychology Undergraduate Scholarship

Jennifer Goodrich – The Dr. A. Wayne Viney Psychology Undergraduate Scholarship