PSY 390 Research Opportunity – Fall 2015

Faculty member or graduate student

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Description of research area

The Adjustment and Cultural Transition (ACT) Lab at Purdue studies values, identity, and goals affecting mental health in intercultural contact. This study will examine the role of religion in predicting important mental health outcomes. We will also determine how these associations vary by personal and familial religious affiliation, ethnicity, and gender.

Description of undergraduate participation

You will be assisting in the data collection process, as well as working together to read and summarize relevant literature in the area of psychology of religion. You will participate in regular meetings where we will discuss the foundations of this area of research, as well as generate ideas about what our data suggest are the key components of how faith and mental health are related in the changing religious landscape. Your primary responsibilities will include entering, cleaning, and assisting in the analysis of the data collected as well as reading and summarizing relevant articles for writing academic papers.

Research setting

Data collection will be primarily electronic, so you will be working with computer software in a laboratory setting. There will be opportunities for other forms of data collection going forward.

Number of assistants needed

1-2

Contact information

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Additional comments

Please complete the attached application form.
APPLICATION FORM
ACT LAB RELIGION STUDY

Name:

Year of Study:

Major:

Cumulative GPA:

Cumulative Psychology GPA:

Psychology Courses Completed:

Other courses outside Psychology that might be relevant:

Have you worked in a Psychology Lab before? If so, describe the experience:

Why do you want to do a 390 in psychology?

What interested you about conducting research in the area of psychology of religion?

How many hours of work would like you to do per week in the lab?

Are there any other things we should know about you that are relevant to this position?