Pre-Professional Advising Newsletter

Pre-Professional Advisors are available to assist you as you plan your activities and coursework during the academic year or look ahead to the summer application season. Current students may schedule a virtual appointment with us through BoilerConnect. Alumni, please call 765-494-3981 to schedule.

Pre-Professional students are not assigned to a specific advisor - you may meet with any one of the three advisors, Amy Terstriep, Cristy Gosney, and Cara Hines-Pham.

Pre-Professional Advisors can help you:

- Explore careers in healthcare and law
- Identify opportunities to gain experience in a healthcare or legal setting
- Understand the professional school application process and timing
- Plan admissions test preparation strategy (MCAT, DAT, OAT, GRE, LSAT, etc.)
- Access resources to research professional schools
- Prepare for professional school interviews
- and more!

Upcoming Events

October

- October 6: **2023 AAMC MCAT Registration Opening webinar**. Learn about updates to the 2023 MCAT testing year, registration process, and MCAT preparation resources. 3pm. Register [here](#).
• October 11: **University of Southern California Pre-Med Academy Information Session** at 12 noon. Register for the information session using [this link](#).

• October 12: **IU McKinney School of Law Advising Appointments** with the Assistant Dean of Enrollment Management. Purdue Center for Career Opportunities (Young Hall) from 2pm-5:45pm. [Sign up for an appointment here](#).

• October 12-13: **AAMC Virtual Medical School Fair**, [More Information and Registration here](#).

• October 15: **Undergraduate Politics & Law Journal at Fairleigh Dickinson University** submission deadline. Submission requirements available on their [website](#).

• October 18: **This is Public Health Graduate School Mini Virtual Fair** from 12-2pm ET including WashU, George Mason, Northeastern, Texas A&M, SDSU, UMiami, and UToldeo [Student Registration](#).

• October 20: **This is Public Health Graduate School Mini Virtual Fair** from 12-2pm ET including Columbia, DMU MPH, Drexel, Harvard, Johns Hopkins, Oregon State, UTHealth, and UC Irvine [Student Registration](#).

• October 22: Application **DUE** for **American Physician Scientist Association (APSA)** mentor program. Planning to apply for MD/PhD or DO/PhD programs? Apply to APSA for a student mentor! [Undergraduate Mentee Application](#).

• October 22: **Digital Law School Forum** with workshops from 2pm-6pm ET and meetings with law school representatives from 3-6pm ET [More Information and Registration](#) (for free) by October 20.

• October 25: **This is Public Health Graduate School Mini Virtual Fair** from 12-2pm ET including BU, MSU MPH, Northwestern, St. Kate's, Maryland, Minnesota, and UNE [Student Registration](#).

• October 25-26: **Registration opens** for January, March-June [2023 MCAT dates](#). Learn more [here](#).

• October 26: **ATEachMoment Fall Virtual Fair** from 1-6:30pm ET, [Athletic Training Virtual Fair Registration](#).

• October 27: **This is Public Health Graduate School Mini Virtual Fair** from 12-2pm ET including Colorado, St. Ambrose, Stony Brook, SUNY Downstate, Temple, UAB, U Hawai'i, Kentucky, and UMass [Student Registration](#).

• October 29: **CLEO Virtual Pre-Law Program** hosted by Loyola, DePaul, and Fordham from 9:00am-4:00pm. For more info and to register see announcement below.
- October 30: Last day to take advantage of the **JCPenney Online Suit Up Event** [Shop Online](#), Text BOILERS to 67292 to get an extra 30% off Suit-Up Coupon!
- October 31: **Legislative Intern Applications due.**
  See announcement below.
- October 31: **Peterson Smith Equine Hospital + Complete Care Internship** application due. More info in announcements below.

**November**

- November 2: **Purdue's Accelerated BSN Information Session** 6pm in JNSN B2
- November 7: **DMD Virtual Information Session** with Temple University: Kornberg School of Dentistry from 4-5pm ET. Register via Zoom [here](#).
- November 16: **AANMC Naturopathic Medical College Virtual Fair.** 12pm-4pm EDT. Register [here](#).
- November 19: **CLEO Virtual Pre-Law Program** hosted by Loyola, DePaul, and Fordham from 9:00am-4:00pm. For more info and to register see announcement below.

**Announcements**

**Legislative Internship Program**

The Legislative Internship program employs college students as paid interns in Indianapolis during the spring semester each year in these areas: Communication, Information Technology, Policy Analysis, Constituent Services, Graphic & Print Design, and Fiscal Analysis. Visit the websites for application materials and more information on the positions available with [House Republicans](#), [Senate Republicans](#), [House Democrats](#), or [Senate Democrats](#).

**CLEO Virtual Pre-Law Program - Hosted by Loyola, DePaul & Fordham**

Learn how to successfully navigate the law school admission process and underwrite their success in law school by participating in the College Scholars program.

For Freshmen: The Road To Law School seminar aims to provide Freshmen an overview of the key components of the law school application process.

For Sophomores: The Sophomore Super Saturdays seminar aims to help students further develop logical reasoning, reading comprehension and writing skills - the skills needed to become a competitive law school applicant.
For Juniors, Seniors/Post Graduates: Juniors Jumpstart the LSAT seminar aims to help participants understand the importance of systematic and timely preparation for the Law School Admission Test (LSAT).

**Indiana University School of Medicine Admissions Counseling Appointments**

Admissions staff from IUSM offer phone appointments with prospective applicants. This is a great opportunity to ask admissions officers questions you have about preparing for admission to IUSM. Appointments are on several Thursdays a month at 10am, 11am, 2pm and 3pm. Schedule an appointment with an admissions officer here: https://iumedadmissions.as.me/.

**American Medical Student Association Mentorship Program**

The AMSA Mentorship Program, through Wright State University Boonshoft School of Medicine, will lead a series of workshops on the topics of Studying and Classes, Extracurriculars + Gap Year, Letter of Recommendations, Personal Statement/Experiences + AMCAS/AACOMAS application, and Interview Prep. This free Mentorship Program will span from the 2022-2023 school year. We intend on hosting six workshop sessions that include activities, breakout sessions, and guest speakers, from October-December. This will be completely virtual. You will also be paired up with a mentor who will be required to do weekly check-ins with you. If you are interested in participating in this Mentorship Program, please join the GroupMe and sign-up with your information using this link.

**Virtual Shadowing through The University of Colorado School of Medicine**

Free online classes allowing you to peer over the shoulders of physicians as they diagnose and treat a variety of ER illnesses and trauma. Optional certification is available for a modest fee. For more information, visit their website.

**Basic Wilderness First Aid through The University of Colorado School of Medicine**

A 100% online class providing certification and a fascinating introduction to wilderness medicine. Visit their website for more information about how to participate.

**New Purdue Club: Project Icarus**

Are you interested in helping improve healthcare for the homeless? If so, join Project Icarus. Project Icarus aims to improve healthcare for the homeless with an emphasis on raising awareness about melanoma rates in the homeless
population. As a member, you will be involved with volunteering and awareness events, research, and even the creation of a mobile health clinic for homeless and low-income populations. Join the GroupMe to get updates about meetings and committees and follow the club on Instagram (@projecticarusorg): [https://groupme.com/join_group/88690868/eFktFtLh](https://groupme.com/join_group/88690868/eFktFtLh)

**Spring 2023 or Summer 2023 Undergraduate Internship at Peterson Smith Equine Hospital + Complete Care**

Peterson Smith Equine Hospital + Complete Care is a full-service equine practice in Ocala, Florid. They offer comprehensive programs in ambulatory, hospital and reproduction departments to undergraduate students enrolled in, or recently graduated from, and animal sciences, equine education, veterinary technician, or pre-veterinary program. They are now accepting application for Spring 2023 and Summer 2023. Visit their website to [learn more](https://groupme.com/join_group/88690868/eFktFtLh) about the program and how to apply. Applications are due by October 31, 2022.

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