



Pre-Professional Advising Newsletter

New this semester -- PPA Drop In Service! For those quick questions (about 10 minutes), stop by the Center for Career Opportunities (Young Hall room 132) Monday-Friday between 11am-1pm to see a PPA advisor.

Need to see us for a more involved matter? Schedule an appointment with a pre-professional advisor through [BoilerConnect](#).

Upcoming Events

- March 12: University of San Francisco School of Law webinar. [Register online](#). 4-5pm PST.
- March 19: AAMC presents "2020 AAMC Fee Assistance Program" webinar. [Register online](#). 2pm ET.
- March 24: Georgetown School of Medicine Virtual Admissions Session. [Register online](#). 7pm ET.
- March 24: Naturopathic Medical College Virtual Fair. [Learn more](#). 10am-8pm ET.
- March 31: Veterinary Medical Admissions Virtual Fair. [Learn more](#). 10am -4pm ET.
- April 7: Physician Assistant Virtual Fair. [Learn more](#). 9am-9pm ET.
- April 7: Psychology Grad School Virtual Fair. [Learn more](#). 11am-3pm ET.
- April 15: AAVMC presents "The Road to Veterinary School" webinar. [Register online](#). 1pm ET.
- April 21: AAMC presents "Navigating the 2021 AMCAS Application Cycle for Applicants" webinar. [Register online](#). 2pm ET.
- April 23: Diversity Healthcare Virtual Fair. [Learn more](#). 11am-4pm ET.
- April 29: AAVMC presents "VMCAS 2021 Application Overview" webinar. [Register online](#). 1pm ET.

Announcements

IU Robert H. McKinney School of Law Admissions Appointments

Sign up to meet individually with Assistant Dean of Enrollment Management, Julie Smith, when she visits campus on Tuesday, March 24. [Sign up here](#).

University of Illinois College of Law Admissions Appointments

Assistant Dean for Admissions & Financial Aid, Rebecca Ray, is looking forward to meeting Purdue students. Prospective law students can [sign up here](#) for 30 minute appointments on Tuesday, March 24. This is a great chance to learn more about applying to Illinois Law.

LSAC Implements New March 2020 LSAT Policies

LSAC is extending the date-change deadline and waiving date-change fees for the March 2020 LSAT. Any test taker currently registered for the March 2020 LSAT may switch to the April 2020, June 2020, or July 2020 test by 11:59 pm ET on Friday, March 20 at no additional charge. For more information about these policy changes or any other Coronavirus issues, please refer to LSAC's [Coronavirus resource page](#).

Join the Pre-Professional Advising Ambassador Team!

Pre-Professional Advising seeks volunteer Ambassadors to represent Purdue, its students and staff, and our office during the 2020-2021 academic year. Ambassadors can be from any major, any year, and any pre-health or pre-law focus. We're looking for enthusiastic students who love talking to and meeting new people! If you've completed at least 1 semester at Purdue with a minimum 3.0 GPA, you can apply by 5:00pm, Monday, March 30. [See the PPA website to apply](#).

PPA Letter Service

Pre-Professional Advising offers a letter service for applicants to medical or dental school. We collect recommendation letters and submit a letter packet to the application service. We maintain the letters on file for five years should you need to reapply. If you are applying to medical or dental school in summer of 2020 to begin a program in fall 2021, now is the time to sign up for the letter service. To sign up, complete the [2020 Pre-Professional Advising Letter Service Survey](#). Once you have completed the survey, we will send you a confirmation email that includes a handout to give to your letter writers.

If you are an applicant to another health field such as physician assistant, physical therapy, occupational therapy, podiatry, optometry, etc. we cannot collect or submit letters of evaluation on your behalf. Follow the directions in your application portal to enter names of letter writers who will submit their letters directly to the portal. Pre-Professional Advising has created a handout, *Requesting Letters of Evaluation*, to help

guide you through the process of requesting letters and a handout you can give to your letter writers, *Pre-Health Letter of Evaluation Writer's Guide*. Email preprofessional@purdue.edu or schedule an appointment with us for a copy of these guides.

Summer Opportunities

Respite Family Camp Seeks Volunteers

Taylor Bug Kisses Foundation is hosting a Respite Family Camp in Lawton, MI from June 1-4, 2020 and is seeking camp counselors. To learn more about Smith-Magenis Syndrome, the foundation, or the event visit <https://www.taylorbugkisses.com/upcomingevents.htm>.

University of Louisville School of Dentistry "Pre-Dental Bridge to Dentistry"

This two-day workshop offers 3rd and 4th year undergraduate pre-dental students an opportunity to experience dentistry as a profession. It will introduce participants to basic concepts of the profession and provide hands-on experiences with dental techniques. Program dates are May 14-15, 2020. To learn more and apply [visit the website](#).

IU McKinney Summer Law & Leadership Program

The Summer Law & Leadership Program is a one-week experience designed to introduce undergraduate students from historically underrepresented backgrounds to law school. The program takes place June 1-6, 2020. Housing is available to participants who live outside of 30 miles of Indianapolis. Application is due April 3. [Visit the website for more information](#).

Law Office of Monica Doerr Hiring for Summer and Fall Semester

Law office in West Lafayette, IN focusing in the areas of elder law and estate planning seeks student with interest in a legal career for position beginning in May 2020 (summer) or August 2020 (fall). Duties will include file management, document drafting, client contact, answering phones, office administrative work and calendaring. Strong communication skills, organizational skills, and attention to detail required. \$10.50/hr. Please send a cover letter, resume, and transcript by email to monica@doerrlawoffice.com. Please put Applicant in the subject line.

Stanford Law Scholars Institute

The Stanford Law Scholars Institute is a leadership and pipeline programs for undergraduates taking place June 20- July 3, 2020. Topics covered during the Institute

include the law school application process, introduction to legal studies, organizational and leadership Skills, financing a legal education, and law careers. [Learn more and apply online.](#)

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