

Pre-Professional Advising Newsletter - 1 April 2022



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Pre-Professional Advisors are available to assist you as you plan your spring semester 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

- April 1: University of Pittsburgh's Physician Scientist Training Program virtual information session. 4:00pm ET. [Register here](#). [Zoom link](#).
- April 1: Virtual Coffee with Keck Graduate Institute Dean of Admissions and Financial Aid, Sofia Toro. 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM PDT. [Visit their website](#) to register.
- April 2: TMDSAS Workshop: "Leveraging Your Experiences as a Non-Traditional or Military Applicant" 10:00 AM CDT. [Watch Live Here](#).
- April 4-10: National Public Health Week 2022! [Click here](#) to learn more. ASPPH is also hosting a series of events that week. [Visit the website](#) to learn more.
- April 4: CLEOinc. Achieving Success in the Application Process (ASAP) [application](#) deadline.
- April 5: Free Virtual Naturopathic Medical College Fair hosted by AANMC. 12:00 – 4:00 PM EDT. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- April 5: Harvard Law School [Junior Deferral Program](#) virtual [information session](#).
- April 6: What Pre-Optometry Students Should Know about Southern California College of Optometry Admissions. 5:30-6:30 PT. Click [here](#) to learn more and RSVP.
- April 9: PA Program Virtual Fair. View a list of attending programs [here](#). 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM. [Register here](#).
- April 9: Kent State College of Podiatric Medicine [Open House](#). 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM.
- April 9: "Latinos in the Health Professions" virtual event hosted by Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science. 10:00 AM – 12:30 PM CDT. [Register here](#).
- April 11: TMDSAS Veterinary Workshop. 1:00 PM CDT. [Watch Live Here](#).
- April 11: Hanover College Doctor of Physical Therapy virtual Open House. 7:00 PM Eastern on [Zoom](#).
- April 11: Create Your Finals Game Plan workshop hosted by Purdue's Academic Success Center. 5:30 PM Eastern. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- April 11-18: Purdue [Spring Undergraduate Research Conference](#).
- April 12: TMDSAS Dental Workshop. 1:00 PM CDT. [Watch Live Here](#).
- April 14: TMDSAS Medical Workshop. 1:00 PM CDT. [Watch Live Here](#).

- April 14: [APTA Doctor of Physical Therapy \(DPT\) Education Virtual Fair](#). 10:00 AM – 8:00 PM EST.
- April 14: IU Center for Bioethics' Silvers Annual Lecture on Holocaust, Genocide, & Contemporary Bioethics. 5:00 PM Eastern at IUPUI Campus Center Theater or via [Zoom](#).
- April 15: Virtual Coffee with Keck Graduate Institute Dean of Admissions and Financial Aid, Sofia Toro. 10:00 – 11:00 AM PDT [Register here](#).
- April 15: [HPREP application](#) deadline. Read more in "Announcements" below.
- April 15: [RISE Summer Academy](#) application deadline. Read more in "Announcements" below.
- April 16: Hanover College Doctor of Physical Therapy In-Person Lab Immersion Shadow. Interested students can [register here](#).
- April 16: National Latino Law Student Association's Hybrid [Law School Fair](#) for Pre-Law students. 12:30 PM – 3:00 PM. \$21 registration fee.
- April 19: TMD SAS Panel with Dental Schools. 1:00 PM CDT. [Watch Live Here](#).
- April 19: Create Your Finals Game Plan. Hosted by Purdue's Academic Success Center. 7:30 PM Eastern. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.
- April 19: Free AAMC Virtual Medical School Fair. To see the list of 70+ programs attending and register, [click here](#). 11:00 AM - 8:00 PM Eastern.
- April 20: TMD SAS Panel with Medical Schools. 1:00 PM CDT. [Watch Live Here](#).
- April 21: TMD SAS Panel with Veterinary Schools. 1:00 PM CDT. [Watch Live](#).
- April 21: [Celebrate Purdue's Thinkers, Creators, & Experimenters](#)
- April 22: Eye-CARE Camp [application](#) deadline. Read more in "Announcements" below.
- April 25: TMD SAS "Ask Us Anything About Applying" Webinar. 1:00 PM CDT. [Watch Live Here](#)
- April 25: Hanover College Doctor of Physical Therapy virtual Open House. 7:00 PM Eastern on [Zoom](#).
- April 26: AACP [How to Pay for Pharmacy School](#) webinar. 4:00 PM EDT.
- April 29: Illinois College of Optometry (ICO) [Focus on Your Future Summer Program](#) application deadline.

- April 30: PreProBono Fellowship Application Due. For more about the program and how to apply, [visit their website](#).

Announcements

AccessLex Resources for Pre-Law Students

Recordings of Pre-Law webinars on topics such as Student Debt and the LexScholars Initiative are available from AccessLex on their website. [Click here](#) to view recorded webinars. Additionally, you can find information about upcoming webinars on topics such as Applying to Law School, Choosing a Law School, and Loan Repayment [here](#).

Harvard Law School Junior Deferral Program

Students who know they want to go to law school but have an interest in exploring other professional, educational, or service opportunities first should consider applying to the [Harvard Law School Junior Deferral Program](#). Through the program, students apply (free of cost) to HLS as a college junior. If admitted, students must commit to defer their offer of admission for a minimum of two years once they've completed their undergraduate degree. They can then use this deferral period to explore their interests and gain hands-on work experience before returning to the law school classroom. A [virtual information session](#) will be held on April 5, 2022. The deadline to apply is July 1, 2022.

LexScholars by AccessLex

The 2022 application cycle for [LexScholars by AccessLex®](#) is now open. LexScholars is a diversity pipeline initiative premised on helping aspiring law students from underrepresented racial, ethnic and socioeconomic backgrounds get into law school. It is primarily focused on students with the potential to succeed in law school who feel their test scores might hold them back from admission. Acceptance into LexScholars is offered on a first-come, first-selected basis so, apply as soon as possible! Visit [their website](#) to learn more about the program design, eligibility, application process and to see a list of FAQs.

RISE Summer Academy

The RISE Summer Academy is a six-week intensive program for American Indians / Alaskan Natives that provides in-depth training and Indigenous learning opportunities to prepare scholars for the medical school application

process. Program dates are June 5 - July 17, 2022. Application deadline is April 15. To apply, [click here](#). For more information, please [see the flyer](#) or [visit the website](#).

2022 AIAN Medical School Application Workshop

The Northwest Native American Center of Excellence is excited to announce the 2022 American Indian/Alaska Native Medical School Application Workshop in collaboration with Oregon Health and Sciences University, Washington State University, University of Washington, and U.C. Davis School of Medicine. The workshop will be held virtually on Friday, May 6, 2022.

This workshop will comprehensively review the medical school admissions process, including: 1) practical tips for writing your personal statement and a 1:1 live feedback session, 2) requesting letters of recommendation, 3) mock medical school interviews in MMI and traditional formats, and 4) helpful tips for navigating the application process. Apply for the workshop by April 6 [here](#).

SUNY Eye-CARE Summer Camp

During a three-day summer camp (June 27 – 29, 2022), Eye-CARE prepares prospective applicants for the rigors of the optometry school application process and health professions programs broadly. SUNY's Eye-CARE simultaneously exposes participants to the dynamic future of the profession. A selective group of eligible participants will be sponsored to complete a FREE Kaplan "Live Online" OAT prep course preceding the 3-day camp! Eligibility and further details can be found [on their website](#). Deadline to apply is April 22, 2022.

SUNY CSTEP Internship and Summer Academic Programs

For eligible NYS residents, these programs offer great opportunities for pre-health students to get hands-on experience and explore one potential health profession while getting professional development opportunities as well through workshops and activities. These programs will be held June 13 – 24, 2022. [Apply Here](#).

National Public Health Week

During [National Public Health Week](#), April 4-10, ASPPH's This Is Public Health will be hosting opportunities to Explore Public Health. Topics include applying to public health programs, a chat with public health professionals, and how to

gain exposure to public health careers. To see the week's agenda and register for events, [visit the website](#).

Health Professions Readiness & Enrichment Program (HPREP)

Campbell University is hosting The Ransdell Family Health Professions Readiness & Enrichment Program (HPREP). This is an interdisciplinary, preparatory, and professional development program for prospective students interested in Pharmacy, Osteopathic Medicine, Physical Therapy, Physician Assistant, Pharmaceutical Sciences, Clinical Research, Public Health, and Biomedical Sciences. HPREP is free and will be held online on May 18, May 25, and June 1, 2022. Participation in all three dates is required. An [information session](#) will be held on March 31st and the deadline to [apply](#) is April 15th. [Click here](#) to learn more and apply.

AAMC Virtual Medical School Fair

On April 19th, 2022, The Association of American Medical Colleges is hosting a free, virtual Medical School Fair from 11:00 AM - 8:00 PM Eastern. You can attend information sessions led by admissions officers, current medical students, and other experts from the U.S. and Canada. Registrants will also receive a 15% discount on a one-year MSAR subscription. Some attendees have even been offered interviews based on their conversations during the fair! To see the list of 70+ programs attending and register, [click here](#).

Health Mock Interviews

If you are going to apply in 2022 for a healthcare program that begins in 2023, or you are a current applicant to a healthcare program, you may use BoilerConnect to schedule a virtual health mock interview appointment with Pre-Professional Advising's Graduate Assistant Jaelyn Kelly.

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