CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Thursday, November 20th, 2008
School Psychology Program Dinner & Meeting
A317, 5:00—8:30 pm
Required for 1st, 2nd, 3rd Year School Psychology Students and
School Psychology Faculty

Applied Psychology Faculty Meeting
A302, 5:00 - 6:00 pm

Monday, November 24th, 2008
Clinical PsyD Faculty Meeting
A302, 5:00 - 8:30 pm

Monday, December 1st, 2008
Clinical PsyD Faculty Meeting
A302, 10:00—11:30 am

Colloquium
Candidate for Clinical Department Faculty Position: Brian Sharpless
A317, 12:00—1:15 pm
Students to meet with Brian Sharpless at 4:00 pm

Faculty Council Meeting
A302, 4:00—5:30 pm

Tuesday, December 2nd, 2008
Committee On Diversity Meeting
A317, 12:00 - 1:00 pm

Wednesday, December 3rd, 2008
Colloquium
Candidate for Clinical Department Faculty Position: Shireen Rizby
A317, 12:00—1:30 pm
Students to meet with Shireen Rizby at 4:45 pm

Friday, December 5th, 2008
Douglass Development Disabilities Center
“Open House”
3:30—6:00 pm

Please make a note regarding Thanksgiving Week.
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday are regular class days. There
will be no classes and offices will be closed on Thursday and
Friday, November 27th & 28th.
EXTERNSHIPS
The following are externships available in 2009 at New York-Presbyterian Hospital, Payne Whitney Westchester. For dates and a full description, please see copies left in the GSAPP student lounge, or see Arlene Miller in the main Dean's office. Applications being accepted 1/15/09 through 2/2/09.

PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT EXTERNSHIP
NEUROPSYCHOLOGY EXTERNSHIP
PSYCHOLOGY EXTERNSHIP CHILDREN'S DAY HOSPITAL
PSYCHOLOGY EXTERNSHIP WOMEN’S INPATIENT UNIT TREATMENT/RESEARCH
PSYCHOLOGY EXTERNSHIP INPATIENT UNIT-TREATMENT/ASSESSMENT

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JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Spruce Run School, the Pre-K-1 elementary school in Annandale (exit 18 rte 78) in Clinton Township New Jersey will have a mid-year opening for a full time school psychologist. The position would be working as a member of the Child Study Team, and probably with the district behaviorist, so FBA/ABA interest is a plus. Interest in autism is also a plus as the school has a strong autistic program. For those interested, please send or fax letter of interest, copies of certification(s) and copy of resume to: Mrs. Mary McLaughlin, Director of Special Services, Spruce Run School, 27 Belvidere Avenue, Clinton, NJ 08809 Fax: 908-238-0285.

CEC, The Center for Evaluation and Counseling, a non-profit agency located in Sussex/Morris County has a full time opening for a doctoral Psychologist, licensed or licensed eligible, or doctoral candidate. Responsibilities include conducting assessments/therapy of families involved with court and child protective services. Knowledge of child abuse dynamics a plus. Experience/license preferred. If interested, please fax resume/salary to (973) 300-1902.

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ESTHER KATZ ROSEN FELLOWSHIPS FOR RESEARCH AND PROGRAMS ON GIFTEDNESS IN CHILDREN

The American Psychological Foundation (APF) is requesting applications for the Esther Katz Rosen Fellowships. The Rosen Fund was established in 1974 for the advancement and application of knowledge about gifted children. The Rosen Fellowships support activities related to the psychological understanding of gifted and talented children and adolescents. Amount: Up to $25,000 for one year graduate student fellowships. Up to three fellowships will be awarded. Goals: The Fellowships seek to facilitate:

*Scholarly work that seeks to advance our understanding of gifted children, including but not limited to topics such as gifted children’s development, their specific needs, and effective practices in teaching gifted children.

*Promising graduate students who want to conduct research on giftedness in children.

Eligibility: Applicants must be graduate students who have achieved doctoral candidacy. Students may apply before having passed their qualifying exams, but proof of having advanced to doctoral candidacy will be required before funds are released. Students must be in good academic standing at a university in the United States or Canada and must be enrolled in the graduate program during the fellowship year. The home institution of the selected Fellow must provide a tuition waiver.

Proposal Content (Not to exceed 10 pages (1 inch margins, no smaller than 11 point font)): Describe how the project applies to current psychological theory and research in order to understand an important research question about gifted children. Please include:

* A one–paragraph abstract
* Goal: What is the project’s goal? How does it fulfill the goals of the Fellowship program, as well as the goals of its author?* Conceptual framework: What theoretical bases are being used? * Research Design: Provide a one-page specification of the research (ie, participants, instrumentation, procedures, analysis * Impact: What is the potential impact of the project on the field of giftedness in children? * Background: Briefly discuss prior research in the field. * Future Research: Briefly discuss plans for future development of the research program * Timeline: What is the timeline for accomplishing the activities associated with the proposed project? To Apply: Submit a proposal, brief CV, two recommendations (one from a graduate advisor and the other from the department chair or Director of Graduate Studies), and a copy of the IRB approval, if applicable, online at http://forms.apa.org/afp/grants/ by midnight EST on March 2, 2009.