

Psychology Practicum Opportunities: Summer & Fall, 2013

- **Youth Impact - (Fall, Supervised by Maria Parrilla de Kokal & Melinda Russell-Stamp)**
 - Tutor & mentor youth in an after-school program. Assist with designing & implementing a social skills program for youth ages 9-16 whose diversity includes gender, ethnicity, SES, motivation, & educational experience.
- **WSU Counseling Center - (Fall, Supervised by Teri Kay)**
 - Help staff therapist design and lead relaxation training groups.
- **Treehouse Children's Museum - (Summer & Fall, Supervised by Eric Amsel)**
 - Assist museum staff in designing and implementing programs that emphasize literacy.
- **DaVinci Academy - (Fall, Supervised by Eric Amsel)**
 - Tutoring, working with teachers and staff in an alternative high school setting.
- **Teaching Assistant - (Fall, Supervised by Eric Amsel)**
 - Meet weekly with Dr. Amsel to review research on the teaching of psychology. Attend a professor's Psych 1010 class and provide study sessions to those students.
- **Head Start/OWCAP - (Fall, Supervised by Azenett Garza & Maria Parrilla de Kokal)**
 - Practicum students will work together to plan several academic opportunities for 2 classrooms of Ogden pre-school students. These academic interventions will help improve interpersonal skills and to work on preliminary goal-setting to help young children learn some of the necessary skills for academic success. Interventions will also include parental components to vie parents information about helping children become academically successful and prepare for college.
- **OUTreach Resource Center (Summer & Fall, Supervised by Teri Kay)**
 - ORC is a drop-in center for LGBTQ individuals between the ages of 14 & 23, and it is open 3:00-7:30 on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons. Practicum students will serve as volunteers. Activities will include mentoring attendees as well as planning & implementing psychoeducational presentations.
- **Process**
 - Complete and return application form to the Psychology department secretary by Monday, April 1.
 - Interview with faculty (we'll schedule this with you).
 - We let you know.
 - Complete a background check (after you are offered a site). This is for sites that involve work with children and adolescents.

Please note that you need to have a minimum of 18 Psychology credits. You also need to have taken Psych 3010 or 3020, as well as Psych 3000 or 3140.