

Doctoral Internship Admissions, Support and Initial Placement Data

Internship Program Admission

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Briefly describe in narrative form important information to assist potential applicant in assessing their likely fit with your program. This description must be consistent with the program's policies on intern selection and practicum and academic preparation requirements:			
A number of sources of information are used to assess candidates for internships, including the written application, letters of recommendation, and a statement of professional goals. Previous training experiences in college/university counseling centers are preferred, but other comparable experiences with emerging adult clients will be considered if the applicant has a strong desire to work in a university counseling center setting. Zoom/Skype interviews are also a part of the application process, and are scheduled by invitation. We invite approximately 30 applicants to interview with us each year. Selections are made without discrimination based on race, ethnicity, national origin, religion, gender, gender identity, age, ability, sexual/affective orientation, or veteran status. Interns who match with Clemson University CAPS Psychology Internship program must successfully complete a criminal background check in accordance with university policy.			
Does the program require that applicants have a minimum number of hours of the following at the time of application? If yes, indicate how many:			
Total Direct Contact Intervention Hours		Y	Amount: 450
Total Direct Contact Assessment Hours	N		N/A
Describe any other required minimum criteria used to screen applicants:			
Applicants for the internship should be doctoral candidates from APA-Accredited Counseling or Clinical Psychology graduate programs. Each applicant should have completed all pre-internship requirements for their university prior to the start date of internship. Generally, it is expected that an intern will have completed all required courses (at least three years of graduate study), will have passed their doctoral candidacy-qualifying exam (comprehensive exams), have successfully proposed their dissertation or research project prior to the start of internship, and completed at least 450 face to face clinical intervention hours.			

Financial and Other Benefit Support for Training Year 2019-2020		
Annual Stipend/Salary for Full-time Interns	\$24,072	
Annual Stipend/Salary for Half-time Interns	N/A	
Program provide access to medical insurance for intern	Yes	
If access to medical insurance is provided:		
Trainee contribution to cost required?	Yes	
Coverage of family member(s) available?	Yes	

Coverage to legally married partner available?	Yes	
Coverage to domestic partner available?		No
Hours of Annual Paid Personal time Off (PTO and/or Vacation)	9.37 per month (112 annually)	
Hours of Annual Paid Sick Leave	9.37 per month (112 annually)	
In the event of medical conditions and/or family needs that require extended leave, does the program allow reasonable unpaid leave to intern/residents in excess of personal time off and sick leave?	Yes	
Other Benefits (please describe): Dissertation release time. Thirteen (13) university holidays. \$500 toward professional conference/workshop attendance costs.		
Initial Post-Internship Positions (Provide an Aggregated Tally of the 3 Preceding Cohorts)		
		2016-2018
Total # of interns who were in the 3 cohorts	9	
Total # of interns who did not seek employment because they returned to their doctoral program/are completing doctoral degree	0	
	PD	EP
Community Mental Health Center		1
Federally Qualified Health Center		
Independent Primary Care Facility/Clinic		
University Counseling Center	2	2
Veterans Affairs Medical Center		
Military Health Center		
Academic Health Center		
Other Medical Center or Hospital		
Psychiatric Hospital		
Academic University/Department		
Community College or Other Teaching Setting		
Independent Research Institution		
Correctional Facility		
School District/System		
Independent Practice Setting	2	
Not Currently Employed		
Changed to Another Field		1
Other (Eating Disorder Clinic)		1
Unknown		
Note: "PD"=Post-doctoral residency position; "EP"=Employed Position. Each individual represented in this table should be counted only one time. For former trainees working in more than one setting, select the setting that represents their primary position.		