

# Department of Animal Science Advising Center

## ANS & ANM Winter Newsletter #3

If you find yourself having trouble figuring out your schedule, are not sure what classes to take, or need general advice, come on in and meet with a Peer Advisor. They are experts in scheduling, resolving class conflicts, and giving good advice.

The Animal Science Advising Center is open M-F 9am - 12pm and 1-4pm in 1202 Meyer.

You can email us at [asac@ucdavis.edu](mailto:asac@ucdavis.edu) or call us at 530-754-7915.

For more information about Animal Science Advising, be sure to visit our website at [animalscience.ucdavis.edu/asac](http://animalscience.ucdavis.edu/asac), like our Facebook page: [UCD Animal Science Advising Center](#), and follow our Instagram: [UCDASAC!](#)

In this week's Newsletter:

- A. Announcements | Upcoming Events
- B. Internships | Jobs
- C. Scholarships | Fellowships

**Spring Passtimes will be posted on Schedule Builder on Monday, January 29<sup>th</sup>. Pass 1 will begin on Monday, February 5<sup>th</sup> and end on Friday, February 16<sup>th</sup>.**

**Reminder: You may still register for a course if you do not have the prerequisites as long as you fill out the Prerequisite Petition with an explanation and supporting documents.**

### A. Announcements / Upcoming Events

#### **1. University of Edinburgh Vet School Information Session: Thursday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018**

- Representatives from the University of Edinburgh, School of Veterinary Medicine in Scotland will be holding an information session on Thursday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018, 12-1pm in Meyer Room 2154.
- Please RSVP to [asac@ucdavis.edu](mailto:asac@ucdavis.edu) and include your name, student ID number, and your dietary restrictions, as lunch will be provided.

#### **2. Picnic Day Survey**

- Survey link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/9WGY8Q6>.
- Interested in doing something fun and different before and for Picnic Day? The Animal Science Department is planning to enter a float in the Picnic Day parade and is seeking feedback on the level of student interest, enthusiasm and commitment.
- The survey will close **Tuesday, January 30<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 5pm.**
- If you have any question, please contact Russ Hovey ([rchovey@ucdavis.edu](mailto:rchovey@ucdavis.edu)).

#### **3. Wildland Studies Information Session: Thursday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018**

- Wildland Studies offers 18 programs in 16 different countries for environmentally focused students.
- Applications are open for the following programs:
  - Spring 2018: South Africa, Costa Rica, and Panama
  - Summer 2018: Iceland, Banff, Belize, Big Sur, Yellowstone, and Channel Islands
  - Fall 2018: Argentina, New Zealand, Peru, and Nepal
  - Winter 2019: Thailand and Indonesia, Chile, and Ecuador
- The application can be found here: <http://www.wildlandsstudies.com/index.php/enrollment-instructions>.

#### 4. Bodega Marine Lab Summer Courses Information Session: Thursday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018

- Information Session: Thursday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018, 4:45-6:30pm in Meyer Hall 1138 (Foster Room).
- Pizza and refreshments will be available.
- Course options:
  - ETX/NUT 127: Environmental Stress and Embryo Development ("Effects of Coastal Pollution on Marine Organisms"), 10 units
  - BIS 124 & EVE 114: Coastal Marine Research & Experimental Invertebrate Biology, 9 units
- The programs will run June 25<sup>th</sup> – August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2018.

#### 5. Campus Prep: GRE Prep Course, Starting Monday, February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018

- This comprehensive course consists of 18 hours of live prep.
- The course costs \$295 (\$225 for those who qualify for need-based aid from Campus Prep).
- The course will run Mondays, 6-9pm in Young Hall, starting February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018 and ending March 19<sup>th</sup>, 2018.
- Course testimonials and the application to join are found on [campusprep.org](http://campusprep.org).
- Please send any questions to [admin@campusprep.org](mailto:admin@campusprep.org).

#### 6. Kaplan Free Prep Week

- Link for more information: <http://welcome.kaptest.com/prepforthewin?user=JU40TR&test=GRE>.
- Attend as many free live prep sessions as you want, including:
  - Take a free practice test
  - Participate in a Bootcamp
  - For pre-med students: attend sessions about The Kidney, Acids & Bases, Molecular Genetics, etc.
  - For pre-grad students: attend sessions about Picking Numbers, Advanced Stats, Short Verbal, etc.
- Enter to win prizes such as gift cards to Amazon, Target, or Starbucks.

#### 7. Winter 2018 Workshops: Study Skills, Success Coaching, Pre-Grad & Pre-Professional Advising

- Winter 2018 calendars are attached for the following programs:
  - EOP Workshops in Success Strategies, Application Preparation, and many others.
  - Pre-Grad/Pre-Professional Workshops hosted by the Student Academic Success Center
  - Study Skills Workshops hosted by the Student Academic Success Center

#### 8. 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Cattle Improvement Symposium: Saturday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2018

- The FARM Club at the UC Davis School of Veterinary Medicine is hosting this event, which will be located in Valley Hall and run 8am-5pm.
- This year there will be beef and dairy tracks for interested students and producers, but students are welcome to attend the talks in either track.
- Topics include low stress cattle handling, embryo transfer and IVF, calf pneumonia, beef cattle nutrition, and much more.
- The cost is \$45/person and includes meals.
- You can register at this website: <https://goo.gl/mbtAC8>. Please sign up as a "beef producer" or "dairy producer" depending on which wet-lab you would like to attend.
- For more information, contact Sydney Westbrook at [sbwestbrook@ucdavis.edu](mailto:sbwestbrook@ucdavis.edu).

#### 9. Transfer Pre-Health Meetings: "Building connections with Faculty... Fast": Thursday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018

- Health Professions Advising is hosting this meeting in order to help students learn how to quickly build relationships with faculty for letters of recommendation.
- This event will be held on Thursday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018 at 5:10pm in 1342 Storer Hall.
- For more information, please contact [healthprofessionsadvising@ucdavis.edu](mailto:healthprofessionsadvising@ucdavis.edu).

## 10. Pre-Vet Student Supporting Diversity Events

- Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup>, 4pm in Geidt 1002: Movie and snacks
- Tuesday, January 30<sup>th</sup>, 6:30-8pm in Hunt 100: Second General Meeting; Guest speaker: Dr. Cissell, a veterinarian specializing in radiology.

## 11. Physician Assistant vs. Nurse Practitioner Information Session: Tuesday, January 30<sup>th</sup>, 2018

- The Nursing Club and the Physician Assistant Club are offering an information session to discuss the differences between being a Nurse Practitioner and being a Physician Assistant.
- The meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 30<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 7:10pm in Wellman 126.

## 12. ANG 105: Horse Genetics is Now Offered Winter of Odd Years

- This course will next be offered in Winter 2019, followed by Winter 2021.
- If you would like to readjust your specialization courses, please make an appointment with either a Peer Advisor or a Staff Advisor.

## B. Internships / Jobs

### 1. Beware: Employment Scams Target Students!

- The UC Davis Internship and Career Center is writing to alert students that NO employer or internship supervisor should EVER have you use your personal bank account as part of your position.
- Although the vast majority of AJL (Aggie Job Link) postings are legitimate, you should know that con artists seem to be preying on students nationwide at the start of each quarter.
- In addition to the ICC's screening, it is important for YOU to evaluate a position before you accept it. If an organization asks for your personal banking information or asks you to conduct banking for them through your personal account please contact the ICC immediately at [ajlhelp@ucdavis.edu](mailto:ajlhelp@ucdavis.edu).

### 2. Internship Opportunity: Swine Nutrition and Behavior Study

- This study is aimed at studying the impact of iron supplementation on cognitive function and iron homeostasis in nursing piglets.
- More information about the study and how to apply is on the attached flyer.

## C. Scholarships | Fellowships

### 1. National FFA Scholarship

- Deadline: **Thursday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018**
- Award Amount Varies
- Applicants must:
  - Be less than 23 years of age at the time of the application
  - Be a current FFA member
  - Be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident
  - Be enrolled in a minimum of 12 units
- The selection process takes into account the whole student - FFA involvement, work experience, Supervised Agricultural Experience (SAE), community service, leadership skills, and academics.

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Have a splendid week!

Grace Dell'Olio  
Animal Science Advising Center



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**Seats Still  
Open!**

# **University of Edinburgh, Scotland Veterinary School Information Session**

**Thursday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018  
12-1pm**

**Meyer Hall, Room 2154  
Lunch will be provided.**

**Please RSVP to [asac@ucdavis.edu](mailto:asac@ucdavis.edu)  
with your name, student ID, and  
dietary restrictions.**

# Summer Session I: Undergraduate Research Courses at UC Davis Bodega Marine Laboratory!

June 25 – August 3, 2018

Interested in gaining hands-on research experience at the spectacular Bodega Marine Lab? Students in these courses will receive training in all aspects of the research process including generating hypotheses, conducting experiments with state-of-the-art techniques, and scientific communication.

## Coastal Marine Research & Experimental Invertebrate Biology –

BIS 124 & EVE 114 (9 Units)

Instructor: Prof. Eric Sanford



Want to learn about the remarkable diversity of tide pool animals that make their home on the rugged northern California coast? In these courses, you will investigate the biology, ecology, and evolution of marine invertebrates through lectures, field trips, hands-on labs, research training, and an independent project that you design!

## Environmental Stress and Development in Marine Organisms –

ETX/NUT 127 (10 Units)

Instructors: Prof. Gary Cherr & Dr. Ellie Fairbairn



Are you interested in testing how pollutants impact the most sensitive life stages of marine organisms – their embryos and larvae? In this course, you will gain hands-on experience in experimental aspects of the reproduction and development of marine organisms and how stressors impact these processes!



New fellowships will be competitively awarded to students.

[www.bml.ucdavis.edu](http://www.bml.ucdavis.edu)

OFFICE OF EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY AND ENRICHMENT SERVICES

# WINTER 2018 WORKSHOPS

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>WEEK 1</b>	<b>8</b> January Winter Instruction Begins	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> How to Write a Statement of Purpose for Graduate School 12:10–1 PM Test Taking 3:10–4 PM Foundations of Financial Readiness 4:10–5 PM	<b>11</b> Success Strategies 11–11:50 AM	<b>12</b> How to Prepare for and Apply to Graduate School 1:10–2 PM Time Management Strategies 2:10–3 PM
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<b>WEEK 10</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> Winter Instruction Ends
<b>FINALS</b>	<b>19</b> First Day of Finals	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> Last Day of Finals

# OFFICE OF EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY AND ENRICHMENT SERVICES

## WINTER 2018 WORKSHOP CALENDAR

### PRE-GRADUATE/PROFESSIONAL ADVISING

#### How to Write a Statement of Purpose for Graduate School

This workshop covers the elements that are typically included in the statement of purpose, as well as strategies to strengthen the essay. At the end, students will be able to sign up for an appointment with a OEOES writing specialist.

Wed 1/10 12:10–1 PM  
Tues 1/23 3:10–4 PM

#### How to Prepare for and Apply to Graduate School

This workshop is a general introduction to the graduate school application process, covering the statement of purpose/personal history statement, letters of recommendation, the GRE, transcripts, and relevant experience.

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#### How to Prepare for and Apply to Teaching Credential Programs

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### STUDY SKILLS

#### Time Management Strategies

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#### Overcoming Procrastination

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Thur 1/25 4:10–5 PM  
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#### Achieving Your Goals

This workshop talks about key elements of successful goal setting, and strategies and phone apps to help you reach the goals you have defined.

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### SUCCESS COACHING

#### Coach Yourself to Success

Attend this workshop with one of our success coaches to explore possibilities of how to bridge the gap between where you are and where you want to be.

Fri 1/24 2:10–3 PM  
Mon 2/20 3:10–4 PM

### ADVISING AND RETENTION SERVICES

#### Foundations of Financial Readiness

Being able to practice good money management is essential. During this workshop, students will learn the basics of money management as well as how to apply those skills to make financially-informed decisions. The facilitator will take students through some of the foundational language of fiscal management and give tips on establishing a personal budget and strategies to monitor spending.

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# PRE-GRADUATE WORKSHOPS

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*Call or visit for more information or to schedule an advising appointment*

# STUDY SKILLS

Manage time. Study smarter. Achieve goals.

## WINTER 2018

### WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

The Student Academic Success Center offers Study Skills workshops every quarter for UC Davis students in **114 South Hall**. Sign-ups are not required.

For further support beyond our workshops, please visit our website at [studyskills.ucdavis.edu](http://studyskills.ucdavis.edu) to sign up for an advising appointment.

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Wednesday	February 28	1:10-2:00
Tuesday	March 6	3:10-4:00

# Swine Nutrition and Behavior Study Winter Quarter



## **RECRUITMENT PERIOD**

Start date: February 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2018  
4 week duration

## **DESCRIPTION**

We currently look for 4-6 research volunteers for a swine behavior study. We aimed to study the impact of iron supplementation on cognitive function and iron homeostasis in nursing piglets.

## **POSITION DESCRIPTION**

General responsibilities include routine animal care and handling, assist in sample and data collection (e.g. body weight, temperature and blood sampling) and certain lab tests. The ideal candidate will have strong responsibility, communication skills, punctuality, as well as the ability to work well independently and as part of a team.

## **BASIC QUALIFICATIONS**

- Contribute at least 6 hour per week.
- Prior swine handling experience will be helpful, but not required.
- Must not work with other farm animals during the days of internship (particularly, do not with pig from other locations).
- Skills to provide data collection.
- Skills following research protocols to handle samples, and maintain records from sampling events.
- Knowledge and skills working with Microsoft Excel and Word.

## **APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

Please contact Yining (Elaine) Wang (yewang@ucdavis.edu) via email. Please also include your Winter Quarter availability (eg. printscreen of Schedule Builder).