



The University of Michigan Department of Psychology

## Diversity Recruitment Weekend

October 8-9, 2021

The Department of Psychology at the University of Michigan is excited to announce a special graduate recruitment initiative. The Diversity Recruitment Weekend provides eligible undergraduate students from around the country with information about graduate school in psychology, including at the University of Michigan. The program consists of workshops, panel discussions, and individual meetings designed to prepare students for the graduate admissions process in psychology. There will be sessions on developing a strong application and writing successful statements for graduate school, as well as strategies for gaining research experience. Students will also have opportunities to meet individually with faculty and graduate students at the University of Michigan who share similar research interests. Students will learn about [the different graduate programs in psychology](#) offered at the University of Michigan.

Our Psychology Diversity Recruitment Weekend is open to undergraduate students

- from educational, cultural or geographic backgrounds that are underrepresented in graduate study in their discipline in the United States or at the University of Michigan
- who have demonstrated a commitment to diversity
- who have experienced financial hardship as a result of family economic circumstances
- and/or are first-generation U.S. citizens or are the first generation in their family to graduate from a four-year college.

Please invite one or two of your best students (either current undergraduates or those who graduated in the last 2 years) who meet the eligibility criteria to apply for this special recruitment event.

The Diversity Recruitment Weekend is completely FREE. This year the program will be conducted entirely online, and will begin on the morning of Friday, October 8th and will run until 12:30PM on Saturday, October 9th, 2021.

**Interested students should complete [the application form](#) by the deadline of September 3, 2021.** Applicants will be notified of the status of their application by September 24th.

Space is limited, so please encourage your students to apply as soon as possible. Preference will be given to students who are currently juniors and seniors. Please contact Elizabeth Cole ([ecole@umich.edu](mailto:ecole@umich.edu)) if you have questions about the event or about the online application form.