



SOCIOLOGY UNDERGRADUATE ADVISING NEWSLETTER

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April 26, 2024

The **MSU Center for Survivors** is now recruiting volunteers for our Summer 2024 Training Class!

The **Survivor Advocacy & Crisis Intervention (SACI) Team** provides essential support, advocacy, and crisis services to the MSU campus and greater Lansing community. SACI Volunteers gain knowledge and awareness about sexual & relationship violence and valuable crisis intervention skills. Last year our team of passionate volunteers dedicated over 25,000 on-call hours and you can be part of this community too!

- Hybrid training schedule includes online self-study and 4 in-person training sessions
- Flexible Scheduling – volunteers to schedule their own shifts and we ask for just 2 on-call shifts per month
- On-Call Shifts – no sitting at a call center, during your shift you can go about your life, just be prepared to step away to answer a call or come into the office if/when needed

Who: Volunteers do **NOT** need to be affiliated with MSU – we encourage faculty, staff, students, and community members to apply!

How: Apply [here](#) by 5pm on Monday, May 6th

Learn More:

- Visit our website [Volunteer Training Q&A](#) page
- Email Kathryn Naber at naberkat@msu.edu to learn more!
- Attend our optional Informational Meeting – Tuesday, April 30th at 6pm via zoom. RSVP to Kathryn at naberkat@msu.edu for link.

MSU CENTER FOR SURVIVORS

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Volunteer positions that will help you develop practical, work-related skills while providing essential services to people in need and reducing violence in the campus community.



WE NEED HELP WITH:

- 24-hour Crisis Hotline, 10am-10pm
Crisis Chat
- Safe Place Shelter Support &
Childcare
- In-person crisis response to MSU's
Sexual Assault Healthcare Program
& Residence Halls

DATE & PLACE:

TRAINING DATES

📍 STUDENT SERVICES BUILDING

Sun. 5/19 10am-5pm EST

Sun. 6/2 10am-5pm EST

Sun. 6/9 10am-5pm EST

Crisis Advocacy Training: Sun. 6/23 12-5pm

APPLY ONLINE AT
CENTERFORSURVIVORS.MSU.EDU/VOLUNTEER



Applications are due by 5pm
on Monday, May 6th



UHW launches free, anonymous, peer-to-peer mental health support community

Whether students are feeling overwhelmed due to academic, social, or personal pressures or just need to connect, Togetherall is available 24/7 to remind them they are not alone. This free, anonymous, waitlist free, peer-to-peer mental health support community is monitored and moderated 24/7 by licensed clinicians and empowers students to give and receive support for a full range of concerns.

Many students do not seek out campus in-person/virtual mental health treatment. Togetherall provides an alternative option for students seeking mental health support, offering an additional resource for students who are looking for an outlet to share and process their emotions.

Feeling overwhelmed? Check out @Togetherall, a free, anonymous, peer online support community. No waitlist. Wherever you are. 24/7. 365.

Overwhelmed with your work load?
TOGETHERALL
OFFERS:



**SUPPORTIVE
COMMUNITY**

Connect and share
in a safe,
anonymous space
with others who
understand



**IMMEDIATE
ACCESS**

Whatever's on your
mind, you can
access Togetherall
in minutes, 24/7



**WELLBEING
TOOLS**

Benefit from self-
assessments and
courses to help
you understand
how you're feeling



University Health and Wellbeing
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

SUMMER PRE-PROFESSIONAL OPPORTUNITIES



Center for Community
Engaged Learning
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY



Are you a student who is interested in pre-health or wants to gain experience in a clinical setting? The MSU Center for Community Engaged Learning has partnered with both Sparrow and McLaren Greater Lansing to offer summer volunteer opportunities!

To take advantage of this opportunity, visit our website to read more about each hospital's registration process, typical position descriptions and availability, and more. Sparrow's applications are due April 26 and requirements are due May 10, while McLaren volunteers MUST attend an orientation session on either May 16 or 17, 2024 before registering. Please note that registration requirements may take significant time and spots fill quickly, so be sure to complete your application as early as possible.

[Learn More and Register Here](#)

Questions? Please don't hesitate to contact Tina Houghton at hought17@msu.edu.

Our mailing address is:
MSU Center for Community Engaged Learning 556 E Circle Dr Suite 101 East Lansing, MI 48824 USA

Subject: [Recruitment for Summer 2024] Urban-Rural Dialogues

Dear MSU Students,

We invite you to participate, for pay, in a 6-session intergroup dialogue [IGD]. Intergroup dialogues have been found to increase people’s understanding across differences. We are interested in putting together students to learn how to bridge the so-called urban-rural divide.

The IGD is designed to increase participants’

- 1. Understanding of concepts pertaining to urban-rural identity; individual/institutional oppression/privilege; and promoting inclusive practices.
- 2. Skill set for building more inclusive spaces and communities; more productive engagement across differences; and more effective conflict management.
- 3. Learning experiences that promote personal/professional development centered on social justice and inclusion.

We are looking for participants who will **attend all six sessions**. We have two IGD cohorts currently being scheduled - one on Mondays and the other on Tuesdays. The dialogue sessions will be from 6pm to 8pm and take place via Zoom.

Participants completing the 6-session program will receive a **\$100 Amazon gift card** as a token of our appreciation for your help with the Urban-Rural Dialogue Project.

Urban-Rural Dialogues Scheduling Dates

Monday (6-8 pm) - US24-01	Tuesday (6-8 pm) - US24-02
Monday, June 3rd	Tuesday, June 4th
Monday, June 10th	Tuesday, June 11th
Monday, June 17th	Tuesday, June 18th
Monday, June 24th	Tuesday, June 25th
Monday, July 1st	Tuesday, July 2nd
Monday, July 8th	Tuesday, July 9th

Please sign-up using the flyer below [QR code]. Space is limited, so please act fast. We plan to start filling spots by Thursday, April 25, 2024. It is not too early to sign up and register your interest.

Once you sign up, we will email you the next steps, which include paperwork, surveys, and forms to pay you at the conclusion of the Urban-Rural Dialogues. (\$100, 100% attendance expected).

On behalf of the Urban-Rural Dialogue Project Team, we thank you for your interest.

Sincerely,

Urban-Rural Dialogue Project Team

URBAN-RURAL DIALOGUES

ARE YOU URBAN? ARE YOU RURAL?



PARTICIPANTS NEEDED

Please share your stories and ideas about your urban-rural identity. Scan the QR code to join our dialogue study.

Requirements:

- 18-30 years old
- Self-identify as urban or rural
- Enrolled as MSU undergraduate



Answer survey questions about you and your experiences.

- \$10 per participant
- optional follow-up. \$5 per participant

Participants selected for dialogue groups.

- Six 2-hr sessions
- Via Zoom
- \$100 per participant



College of
Agriculture
and Natural
Resources

Hello All,

The NSSC is hiring student leaders for the 24 - 25 school year. We are hiring **Peer Assistants, Peer Educators and a Communication/Graphic Design Intern**. See position descriptions below.

PEER EDUCATOR - Peer Educators will assist students with a variety of academic challenges. This includes, but is not limited to, tutoring, time management, study skills and strategies. The successful candidate for this position has knowledge of the academic challenges of college students and can clearly articulate how to address such challenges, has knowledge of study skills and strategies, is open to building upon that knowledge, and is comfortable working with students both individually and in groups.

PEER ASSISTANTS - This position is designed to engage and assist every visitor to the MSU Neighborhood Engagement Center. The successful candidate will be visible, available, approachable, helpful, demonstrate mutual respect and care, and have knowledge of various MSU resources.

COMMUNICATIONS INTERN - Communications Intern will support the Marketing, Branding, and Communications (MBC) Coordinator. They will assist in coordinating marketing and internal communications activities for NSSC. Their primary role will be to create graphics for print and digital applications including posters/flyers, invitations, event signage, social media/web content, and email newsletters.

APPLY TODAY HANDSHAKE ID #8836494



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WE'RE HIRING NOW!

peer educators

communications/graphic
design intern

peer assistants

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