Contact a Professor to Get Involved in Research

- Dr. Melissa Buelow
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  Clinical Neuropsychology—decision making and executive functions, risk-taking behaviors, neuropsychological assessment, and statistical issues

- Dr. Julie Hupp
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  Developmental Psychology—children’s language and cognitive development

- Dr. Melissa Jungers
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  Cognitive/Experimental Psychology—psycholinguistics, memory, and music

- Dr. Marilee Martens
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  Neuropsychology—Developmental disabilities, Williams syndrome

- Dr. Bradley Okdie
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  Social Psychology—computer interactions and social influence. Apply here: www.okdie.net

- Dr. Chris Robinson
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  Cognitive Development—categorization, language, attention, and cross-modal processing. Apply here: http://u.osu.edu/madlab/ra

- Dr. Liz Weiss
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  Quantitative Methods—social psychology, gender identity, and GLBT issues

- Dr. Jim Wirth
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  Social Psychology—groups, stereotyping and prejudice

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**Reasons to Become a Research Assistant**

**Professional Development**
- Graduate school preparation
- Gain experience outside the classroom
- Work with professionals in Psychology
- Demonstrate leadership & responsibility

**Relationship with Professor**
- Access to insight & experience
- Letters of reference for graduate school and job market

**Research Enhances your Resume or Vita**
- Eligibility for grants, awards, and scholarships
- Opportunities to present research at conferences
- Potential authorship on research articles

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**Research Positions for Course Credit**

Psyc 4998 Credit
- Work as a Research Assistant in a lab
- 3 hours/week for each credit
- 3 credits apply to major

Thesis Project
- Work on a study your professor designed or design your own study
- Do not need to be in the Honors program
- 2 Semesters of Psyc 4999
- Best to start Spring of Junior year
- 3 credits apply to major
- Minimum overall 3.0 GPA required

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**Paid Research Positions**

**Work Study**
- Paid Research Assistant position through Federal Student Loan Program

**Psych Department Employee**
- Paid Research Assistant position through Ohio State Newark

**Additional Benefits**
- Better understanding of how research is done
- Investigate area of personal interest
- Learn the value of criticism & critiques
- Learn how much you enjoy doing research!