

PGSC BUZZ

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Black History Month

Learn about the 2nd annual Black Excellence in Psychology speaker series!

Quick Look

Tune in to upcoming faculty candidate talks, happening throughout February!



Keep our community informed!

Send us your news, events, and accomplishments to be included in the newsletter!

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Upcoming Events

Convos and Joes

Graduate Student Lounge
Feb 7th, starting at 9:30 a.m.

Convos and Joes is back! Enjoy some treats and coffee and catch up with your fellow colleagues.



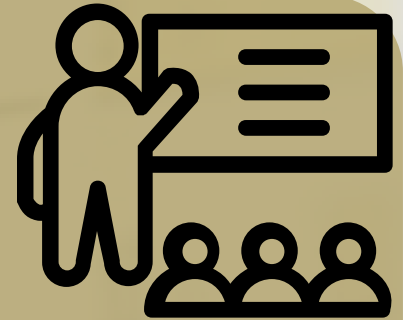
Upcoming Job Talks

Tune in to our upcoming job talk! All job talks will take place in Coon room 250.

Dr. Dingjing Shi
Feb. 9th, 3:30 p.m.

Dr. Audrey Leroux
Feb. 20th, 11:00 a.m.

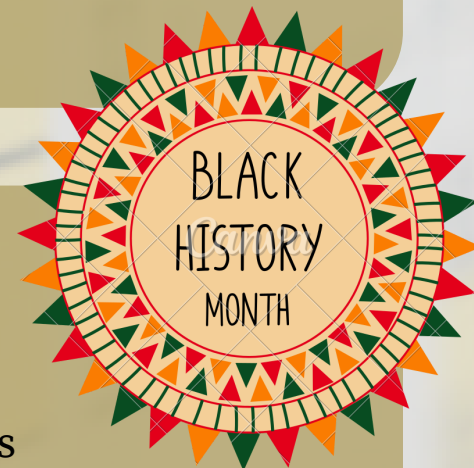
Dr. Jason McCarley
Feb. 27th, 11:00 a.m.



Black History Month Events

Bill Moore Student Success Center, Clary Theatre
Every Wednesday at 1:00 p.m.

The Black Excellence in Psychology series speakers will happen at 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, where psychologists will lead engaging talks and discussions!





THE 2ND ANNUAL BLACK EXCELLENCE IN PSYCHOLOGY



Center for Promoting Inclusion
and Equity in the Sciences

Speaker Series

In celebration of Black History Month, join us every Wednesday in February for our Black Excellence in Psychology series where psychologists will lead engaging talks and thought-provoking discussions. This event series will be held at the *Bill Moore Student Success Center Clary Theatre*. Talks will start at **1:00 pm** each week with a reception to follow.

Feb 7th



**Dr. Natalie Watson-Singleton, Associate Professor,
Department of Psychology, Spelman College**

"Using Mindfulness-based Digital Health Tools to Enhance the Well-Being of Black Americans"

Feb 14th



**Dr. Ciara Smalls Glover, Associate Professor, Department
of Psychology, Georgia State University**

*"Cultural Shields: Strategies That Disrupt Racial Diversity
and Promote Resilience"*

Feb 21st



**Dr. Gena Cox, Executive Advisor, Coach, and Speaker,
Founder of Feels Human, LLC**

"R-E-S-P-E-C-T: The Key to Inclusion and Connection"

Feb 28th



**Dr. Enrica Ruggs, Associate Professor of Management,
College of Business, University of Houston**

*"Black Experiences in I/O Psychology: An Examination of
Research & Scholars in the Field"*

Shoutouts



Publications

Congratulations to Dolly Seeburger for the following publication!

Seeburger, D. T., Xu, N., Ma, M., Larson, S., Godwin, C., Keilholz, S. D., & Schumacher, E. H. (2024). Time-varying functional connectivity predicts fluctuations in sustained attention in a serial tapping task. *Cognitive, Affective, & Behavioral Neuroscience*, 24(1), 111–125. <https://doi.org/10.3758/s13415-024-01156-1>



Milestones

Master's Thesis Defense Meetings

- Ziyu Qi

Dissertation Proposal Meetings

- Reba Koenen

Celebrate your Accomplishments!

Share your recent publication, milestone progress, or other shoutouts?

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Community Happenings

Growing Up in Science Series

In this semester's first Growing Up in Science talk, Dr. Tiffiny Hughes-Troutman will be sharing with us the struggles and tiny victories she has encountered along her path.



ATL Happenings

FEBRUARY

Scott Antique Market, February 8-11 2024

Monthly antiques market at the Atlanta Expo Center.

ATL Comic Convention, February 9-11 2024

Annual pop culture convention.

**Dancing With The Stars: Live! 2024 Tour,
February 18 2024**

Dance performance at Atlanta Symphony Hall.

Atlanta Brunch Festival, March 2, 9 2024

Festival of brunch foods at Atlantic Station.

Monthly Riddles

Jenny's husband, Michael was the first to the answer! Congrats!

December's Riddle:

I never was, am always to be,
No one ever saw me, nor ever will
And yet I am the confidence of all
To live and breathe on this terrestrial ball.

Answer:

Tomorrow!



Get bragging right by being the **FIRST** to answer this brain teaser! Submit your answer [here](#):

They made me a mouth, but didn't give me breath.
Water gives me life, but the sun brings me death.

Winner will be announced in the next PGSC buzz!

