Research on Eating Disorders and Suicide (REDS) Laboratory

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Application for Undergraduate Research Assistant position

Our work examines how biological and psychological risk factors contribute to disordered eating and suicidal behavior. Additionally, our lab’s research explores the high rates of suicidality and self-injury among individuals with eating disorders.

Applicants to this lab should be hard working and responsible. Lab requirements include:

* **Ability to work in the lab for 3 credits per semester (approximately 9 hours/week), for a minimum of two semesters.**
* **Attend weekly lab meetings, which are Fridays from 1-2pm.**

This lab will provide students with excellent clinical research experience. To apply, we recommend you have a GPA of 3.3 or higher.

This application must be totally complete in order to be considered. In addition, please provide a recent resume or curriculum vita if you have one.

When you have completed the application, please send all materials to:

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Name: Click here to enter text.

Phone Number: Click here to enter text.

E-mail address: Click here to enter text.

Current standing at Miami (e.g., Freshman, Sophomore): Choose an item.

Estimated date of graduation:Click here to enter text.

Major: Click here to enter text.

Minor: Click here to enter text.

Overall GPA: Click here to enter text.

Psychology GPA: Click here to enter text.

Psychology courses taken: Click here to enter text.

What semester and year would be available to begin working in our lab?: Click here to enter text.

**Essays: Please answer the following questions. Please type your answers and include them with this application.**

1. What are your previous work experiences? Please provide a brief description of your past employment/volunteer positions.

2. Do you have previous research experience? Please describe the position(s), your duties, and what you learned from the work. Please note if you have any experience using SPSS, Excel, Qualtrics, MediaLab, DirectRT, or other programs used to collect or analyze data.

3. What are your future goals or plans (e.g., graduate school, med school, clinical work, not sure, etc.)?

4. Why are you interested in this position?