**Psi Chi/Psychology Club**

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1. **Honors Thesis Program**
2. Directed by Dr. Mattanah ([jmattanah@towson.edu](mailto:jmattanah@towson.edu))
3. Begins in spring semester of junior year
4. Juniors… ***start thinking now!!***
5. Application process includes application and interview with Dr. M., providing Dr. M. with your mentor
6. Reasonable GPA (roughly 3.4 overall) required, as well as a 500 word personal statement
7. Creating your own research design from proposal to final write-up
8. Having a research background is important if you are considering pursuing an experimental, clinical, or counseling higher degree (i.e., master’s degree, Ph.D.)
9. Completion of the program results in departmental honors
10. Can be used as Honors College Capstone project
11. **Clinical Specialization**
12. Hands-on experience for those who are planning on pursuing a career in the helping relationships
13. Trained ahead of time on several therapeutic components that are important for graduate school admission
14. You are provided with a year-long internship during senior year
15. Learn about the ethics and law codes involved in the profession
16. Application process:
17. Reasonable GPA (roughly 3.4 overall)
18. Application, including a number of essays relevant to the program
19. Maximum of 2 letters of recommendation required
20. Can be counted toward the Honors College Capstone requirement

* Both programs are non-overlapping, so you can do both, if you would like!
* Both programs use a cohort model
* *Please see attached flyers for both programs!*