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## Do You Know? | Now You Know!

### **There's a UHP Moodle Course**

Quick access to UHP announcements, the latest edition of the Weekly Update, Course Contract information, Links to schedule appointments with Honors staff, important UHP forms, and more!

If you don't see the University Honors Program course in the "My Courses" tab of Moodle, email [honors@isu.edu](mailto:honors@isu.edu) and let us know. We'll add you quick!

### **The UHP Bobette Wilhelm Civic Scholars Program is LIVE**

Do you love to volunteer? Does your degree or sport require service or volunteer hours? Want to add another credential to your transcripts?

The Civic Scholars Program can be combined with your Honors Distinction or Honors Degree. Check out the UHP Civic Scholars Program at

[isu.edu/honors/current-students/civic-scholar-program](https://isu.edu/honors/current-students/civic-scholar-program)

### **Have a UHP Question, but Don't Know Who to Ask?**

Send an email to [honors@isu.edu](mailto:honors@isu.edu) with any questions you have. Someone will get back to you soon! You can also request appointments by email, or in Navigate, or at

[isu.edu/honors/contact-us](https://isu.edu/honors/contact-us)

### **The Honors Website Got a MakeOver!**

If you haven't been on the Honors website for a while, click on over to [isu.edu/honors](https://isu.edu/honors) and take a look. Not only does it look good, it's user friendly with lots of useful information too.

# Announcements & Opportunities

## Honors Course Contracts Deadline

If you're planning to contract a course for Honors credits this semester, start planning with your instructor.

Contracts must be submitted by Saturday, August 31, 2024

Contracts must be submitted online. Reach out to your Honors advisor for assistance with contracting. Everything you need to know is at:

[www.isu.edu/honors/contract](http://www.isu.edu/honors/contract)

## Application Deadline for Fall 2024 Graduation

Students who wish to graduate in Fall 2024 need to complete a graduate application by September 16, 2024.

[www.isu.edu/commencement/graduates/](http://www.isu.edu/commencement/graduates/)

## Nominations for TEDx ISU Speakers

Nominations for [TEDx ISU](#) speakers are being accepted and are due by September 7. You may nominate yourself or someone else using the form link below. The TEDx ISU session will be on the ISU campus on November 2.

For more information visit the TEDx ISU Instagram page - @tedxisu - or email Louella Yu at [louellayu@isu.edu](mailto:louellayu@isu.edu).

[TEDx ISU Speaker Nomination Form](#)

## CPI Position in Animal Husbandry

Dr. Davaleena Pradhan is accepting applications for a paid Biology CPI position. See the job flyer on page 6 for more information.

[Online Application Form](#)

## Are You Bundling?

Have you heard about the ISU Book Bundle Program?

[isu.edu/bookbundle](http://isu.edu/bookbundle)

The Book Bundle may save you some time and money, or it might not. You'll need to add up the costs of your textbooks to find out.

Book Bundle Charge = \$24.75/credit

Example: 15 credits \* 24.75 = \$371.25

If your textbooks for the semester cost more than the Book Bundle charge, it's a good deal for you!

**Opt Out Deadline is September 6, 2024**

## Reed Gym Night

Today (Aug 26) | 7-9pm | Reed Gym

Join Campus Rec and The Wellness Center for fun and games at Cadet Field and the Student Rec Center.

Play cornhole, pickleball, Kan Jam, and badminton.

Climb on the indoor wall.

**Food & giveaways for students!**

## On Common Ground | Plant Night

Fri, Aug 30 | 4-6pm | REND 129

Come relax with the Diversity Resource Center for a plant night. Paint a pot and plant a spiderplant!

Plants, pots, and snacks provided.

Supplies are limited, so please RSVP! [drc@isu.edu](mailto:drc@isu.edu)

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# **UHP EVENTS**

## **SAB BINGO NIGHT**



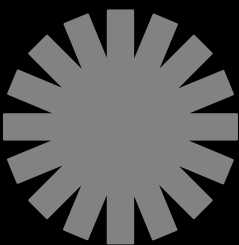
**Tuesday, August 27**

**7-8:30 pm**

**Student Union Building**

*Bingo it up with friends and win some Bengal prizes!*

## **UHP GAME NIGHT**



**Thursday, August 29**

**8-? pm**

**Behind the Rendezvous C-Store**

*There will be plenty of games to choose from, or you can bring your own!*

Plan for future UHP Events at

[isu.edu/honors/current-students/honors-student-events/](https://isu.edu/honors/current-students/honors-student-events/)

# Introducing the: Fall 2024 UHP Envoy

UHP Envoy are paid one semester positions. UHP students apply in the previous semester, and if selected, receive a \$300 scholarship and can earn an additional \$300 working with one of the Honors staff members. Learn more about UHP Envoy at [isu.edu/honors](https://isu.edu/honors)



## INSTRUCTIONAL ASSISTANT

Hi everyone! My name is Shannon Hendricks, and I am a third-year microbiology student. I am also an undergraduate researcher in Dr. Julia Martin's lab and the treasurer/secretary for the microbiology club. Outside of school, I love to nerd out about Greek mythology, go to spooky antique stores, and collect neat trinkets. As one of the teaching assistant envoys, I help Conner plan, grade, and facilitate HONS 1100 in the fall and various classes in the spring.

## COMMUNICATIONS & OUTREACH

I am a junior majoring in Communications, rhetoric, media, and social change, with a minor in Deaf studies and advocacy. My goal is to pursue a PhD in Political Science to work in the academic, research, government, or non-profit sector. As the UHP Communications Envoy I am responsible for supporting the program's students, faculty, staff, and alumni by sharing the current UHP happenings and information through various UHP social media accounts and ISU communications avenues. I look forward to serving ISU's UHP community during the 2024/2025 school year.



## DIRECTOR'S ASSISTANT

My name is Saige Rigby and I am studying Biology (Biomedical Sciences) with hopes of attending dental school after completing my undergraduate degree. For as long as I can remember, I have been absolutely infatuated with birds and I am a huge birder! I am serving as the Director's Assistant Envoy for the Fall 2024 semester where I will work to prepare honors contracts for the Director to review and conduct internal research for the program.

## EVENT PLANNING & INSTRUCTION

Hello everyone! My name is Sean Phinney, and I am the Event Planning and Instruction Envoy. Within this role, I support UHP events and look for new opportunities to help Honors students grow socially and professionally. For the instruction portion of my job, I assist Conner in teaching sections of HONS 1100. In my spare time, you can find me climbing in the gym or playing soccer on Cadet Field. Also, I have a ton of fun playing in volleyball intramurals each semester. Currently, I'm spending a lot of my time looking at graduate school programs as I prepare to finish my degrees in Psychology and Sociology later this spring!



## INFORMATION MANAGEMENT

My name is Angela Trejo and I'm a sophomore in Nuclear Engineering. I am an avid band kid and love anything marching band related! That love led me to become the color guard coach for Pocatello High School, which I've been doing for 2 years. As the Information Management Envoy, it is my job to assist Lori with the Honors website and recruitment materials. I'm excited to make the honors website better and consistently update it for our fellow honors students.



## In Next Week's Edition.....

### Meet the UHP CPI

Career Path Internships (CPI) are a great way to earn some experience while getting paid. Meet the UHP CPI working with Conner Suddick and read about the cool Honors project they're working on.

### No Classes on Monday, Sept 3 | Labor Day

Enjoy the day off and use it to catch up on sleep, homework, cleaning, exercise, or whatever will be relaxing and productive! The UHPWU will return on Tues, Sept 4.



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# Paid Career Path Internship (CPI) Opportunity!

Interested in working with fish?

Wanting to begin a career in animal husbandry?

## Requirements

- Ability to work weekends and holiday breaks (some flexibility)
- Year round position and 2 years commitment is a plus
- Ability to work and communicate with lab team, Animal Care Facility staff, and Attending Vet
- Ability to lift and carry 30 pounds (minimum)
- Comfortable with using ladders and learning new techniques
- Complete IACUC and CITI Training

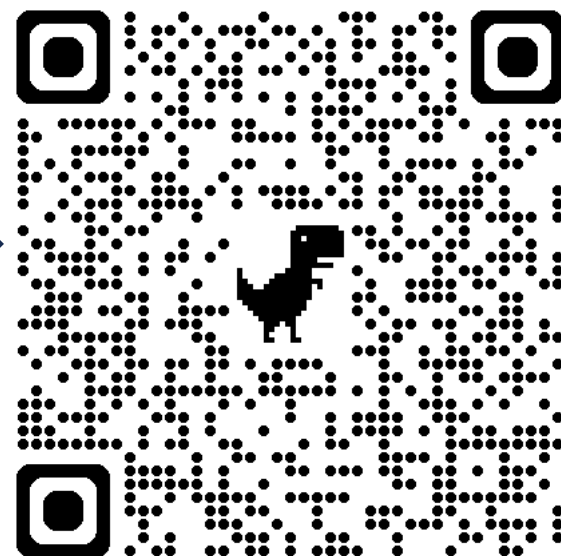
## Benefits

- **\$13/Hour Pay (10 h per weekend)**
- Learn to monitor fish health and behavior
- Experience in animal husbandry
- Experience working with a research team
- Develop communication and writing skills
- Develop managerial skills
- Develop interpersonal skills

Previous animal care experience is preferred but NOT required. Interest in fish is a plus! On the job training is offered!



Apply Here



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