

Greeting Students



YOU MADE IT [Class of 2024](#)...

IT'S THE FINAL WEEK OF CLASS!! Congratulations to everyone for finishing strong!!

Now, here's some **NEWS YOU CAN USE:**

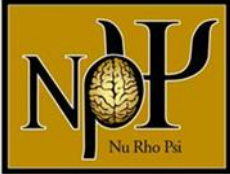



The [Commencement and Honors Ceremony](#) will be held on Tuesday, May 21st from 2pm-4pm, location TBD. This is a time to celebrate our phenomenal students. Evites went out last week to all the graduating seniors. If you did not receive the evite, please email [Sara Suzuki](#). Please make sure to RSVP no later than May 6th by noon. We will keep everyone posted on when the regalia such as stoles/honor cords/gifts will be available for pick up.

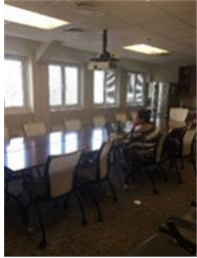



News and Upcoming Events: April 22th – April 28th

<p>Nu Rho Psi Honor Society Alumni Speaker Series</p>	<p>Nu Rho Psi Honor Society presents Alumni Speaker Series. Each Zoom includes 30-minute presentations offering insight into the professional journeys of our alumni. You'll hear about their current work, past experiences, and gain valuable insights into their respective fields, which they gained from walking the path before you. This will be followed by a Q&A session. Mark your calendars for:</p> <p>Dr. Ryan Purcell is an Assistant Professor in the Department of Cell Biology at Emory University School of Medicine. He earned a BA</p>
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	<p>from Johns Hopkins University in 2009, where he also competed on the varsity basketball team. Dr. Purcell later completed a PhD in neuroscience at Emory University. His research interests and expertise intersect cell biology and neuroscience. Don't miss this insightful session with Dr. Purcell to explore his journey and gain valuable advice from his experiences.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Date: April 22nd ○ Time: 6:00 pm ○ Zoom Link: Dr. Ryan Purcell
<p>NEUROSCIENCE BS/MS PROGRAM</p> <p>THESIS DEFENSES</p> <p>CONGRATULATIONS!!</p>	<p>Congratulations to all our Neuroscience BS/MS Program students who have successfully defended their research thesis!!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Robert Stowell- Campos ● Xianyi Jia ● Suma Kotha ● Zaida McClinton ● Balaji Vijayakumar
<p>NU RHO PSI</p> <p>ELECTIONS THIS WEEK</p>	 <p>NRP is holding its annual in-person Elections on Thursday, April 25th at the GBM in Remsen 101 starting at 7:30 p.m. to elect the new executive board for the 2024-2025 academic year.</p> <p>To run for a leadership position at NRP, you are required to submit an application indicating your leadership position(s) of interest and explain your reasons for wanting to service the NRP organization at JHU. For more information regarding the Elections, please refer to the email sent last week.</p> <p>Please come out to listen to the candidates and vote! Pizza will also be available at this meeting.</p>
<p>EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING EXIT SESSIONS THIS WEEK</p>	<p>If you participated in Experiential Learning, you should have received an email with details on this week's mandatory Exit Sessions. Your reflection is due on the last day of class and it can be uploaded in Canvas.</p> <p>KEEN: Wednesday, April 24th at 8am via Zoom.</p> <p>Helping an Aging Community: Friday, April 26th at 8am via Zoom.</p>

	<p>Making Neuroscience Fun: Please refer to Dr. Gorman's email.</p>
<p>SPRING FAIR 2024</p> <p>April 25th THRU April 27th</p>	 <p>The 53rd annual Spring Fair will be taking place April 25th-27th. This has always been a celebration of the season and spending the majority of it outdoors.</p> <p>As usual, there will also be traditional vendors, which is back and with a new name. The Arts Market Place will host local artists, artisans and commercial vendors from Baltimore and the greater DMV area. The shops will be open during Spring Fair hours.</p> <p>And, of course, FOOD!! Each year the food selection is one of the most popular and diverse aspects of the Spring Fair.</p> <p>The Spring Fair always ends with good tunes. This year, an in-person headlining concert will be held on Saturday, April 27th starting at 8:00 p.m. in the Ralph S. O'Connor Center for Recreation and Well-Being. More details about the Spring Fair will be coming soon through Campus Groups!</p>
<p>Camp Kesem at Johns Hopkins University</p> <p>"Make the Magic" Fundraising Gala</p> <p>Saturday, May 4th @ the Glass Pavilion</p>	<p>Camp Kesem at Johns Hopkins University invites you to join our annual Make the Magic fundraising event. Led by passionate, trained student leaders at JHU and over 137 colleges nationwide, Camp Kesem provides free summer camping experiences and year-round support to over 10,000 children affected by a parent's cancer. Camp Kesem is the largest nonprofit organization dedicated to this often-overlooked population of children.</p> <p>Every donation helps us provide more children with the opportunity to attend Camp Kesem, where they can build resilience, form lifelong friendships, and reclaim the joy of childhood.</p> <p>Tickets can be purchased (single or group) at the link below:</p> <p>https://donate.kesem.org/event/camp-kesem-at-johns-hopkins-university-make-the-magic-2024/e559382</p> <p>If you have any questions, please contact JHU.mtm@kesem.org</p>
	<p>Juniors – wondering what you will do when you graduate next year?</p> <p>The Fulbright U.S. Student Program expands perspectives through academic and professional advancement and cross-cultural dialogue. Fulbright creates connections in a complex and changing</p>

<p>OPPORTUNITY!</p> <p>FULBRIGHT 2025-2026 Applications</p>	<p>world. In partnership with more than 140 countries worldwide, the Fulbright U.S. Student Program offers unparalleled opportunities in all academic disciplines to passionate and accomplished graduating college seniors, graduate students, and young professionals from all backgrounds. Program participants pursue graduate study, conduct research, or teach English abroad.</p> <p>https://us.fulbrightonline.org/about/fulbright-us-student-program</p>
<p>CONFERENCE ROOM</p>	 <p>The availability of the Neuroscience and Behavioral Biology Conference Room for the week can be found HERE. We will also be posting a calendar on the door for when the room will be available every week.</p> <p>Note: Please be sure to leave the conference room in better shape than you found it.</p>
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