
APAC NEWSLETTER



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FEBRUARY APAC MEETING

"How to Use the Washington Pre-College Test and Strong-Campbell Interest Inventory as Advising Tools"

Continuing with our "Career Counseling" theme, the February meeting will be a two-session meeting on some career counseling tools for advisers. On Wednesday, February 2, Kathleen Waldron from Central Advising will be discussing the Washington Pre-College Test -- how to interpret it and ways to use it when advising students. Most Washington residents have the test results in their file and they can provide useful information about a student's career interests and academic strengths and weaknesses. A WPCT Interpretation Guide was handed out at the January meeting. If you would like a copy before the February meeting, please call Kathleen at 3-2609.

Two weeks later on Wednesday, February 16, Doris Olch from the Counseling Center, Gail Wilkie from Political Science, and Rick Fite from the Placement Center will be discussing the Strong-Campbell Interest Inventory. This inventory compares an individual's interest patterns with the interest patterns of people who are satisfied in a variety of careers. It helps students see general career options and patterns that they may wish to explore further. Many students take this inventory at the Counseling Center and you may wish to be comfortable interpreting it and using it when you advise students. If you wish to take it before the meeting, call Kathleen for a copy. The cost is \$3.50 (it's a computer printout) and it takes 30-45 minutes to complete. If the inventory is returned to Kathleen by January 28, it will be available at the February 2 meeting. Otherwise, it will be available for the February 16 meeting.

Please join us for both days -- in Gowen from 12-1 pm.

MARCH MEETING: THE LEGAL ASPECTS OF ADVISING

At our March meeting, Elsa Cole, U.W. Assistant Attorney General, will speak on the legal aspects of college advising. This is a new topic for APAC and we expect a very interesting meeting, so plan to attend! The meeting will be in 200A HUB at noon, on Wednesday, March 2.

SPRING QUARTER ADMISSIONS

The Admissions Indices for Spring quarter admissions are as follows:

	<u>minimum A.I.</u>
resident freshmen	48 (43-47 to Freshman Reading Committee)
nonresident freshmen	60 (55-59 to Freshman Reading Committee)
resident transfers	45
nonresident transfers	60

There is no minimum credit level for transfers; applicants with less than 45 transferrable credits completed will be admitted on the basis of their high school records.

New postbaccalaureate (5th-year) applicants to Arts and Sciences must present at least a 2.50 GPA for work done at 4-year schools. No foreign or non-matriculated applicants will be accepted. Returning former students (except nonmatric) will be accepted through the first week of Spring quarter.

The application deadline for Spring quarter 1983 is February 15.

INCOMPLETE REMOVALS AND LINING OUT GRADES

As we all know (!), starting with Winter quarter 1983 students can no longer use the grades in repeated courses to line out earlier grades. It was announced at the fall All Advisers' Meeting that students taking incompletes in courses Autumn quarter 1982 could not use the incomplete removal grades entered in later quarters to line out earlier grades. This policy has been reversed. Students will be allowed to use incomplete removal grades to line out earlier grades, as long as the incomplete was incurred Autumn 1982 or earlier (i.e., only if the "I" grade is recorded under Autumn 1982 or earlier).

PREPHARMACY MEETING

The UW School of Pharmacy undergraduate advisers will meet with any interested prepharmacy students on Monday, January 31, from 1:30-2:30 pm in 331A Bagley. Faculty and staff are also invited to attend.

ADDITIONAL APAC MEMBERS

Ed Alvarez	Minority Affairs	Carolyn Hartness	Ocean-Fisheries
Holly Bauman	Business	Carol Josselyn	Sociology
Cheryl Berg	Engineering	Judy Kalitzki	Business
Nancy Cooper	Chemistry	Natalie Kohon	Geology
Barbara Deane	Biology-Zool-Bot	Margo Reich	Biology-Zool-Bot
Susan Gillis	Kinesiology		



JOBS FOR PSYCHOLOGY MAJORS

Rick Fite, liberal arts counselor at the Placement Center, will speak to students and interested staff about summer jobs and career opportunities for psychology majors on Tuesday, February 1, from 2:30-3:20 in 57 Guthrie. The information presented should be valuable to students majoring in the other social sciences and the liberal arts as well.

EVENING M.S.W.

The School of Social Work is instituting a program by which students can complete the Master of Social Work degree by attending part-time evenings and weekends. Most students should be able to complete the program in three years. Applications are now being accepted for Autumn 1983.

STRONG-CAMPBELL TEST DATES

Students may sign up at the Counseling Center, 401 Schmitz Hall, to take the Strong-Campbell Interest Inventory and a follow-up seminar on interpreting the results one week later. The cost is \$11. For the remainder of this quarter the test dates are February 2, 17, and 28.

READING COMPREHENSION TELECOURSE

Channel 9 is offering four telecourses this quarter that might be of interest to students and advisers:

- Dealing in Discipline (for parents)
- Sports Medicine
- Personal Time Management
- Flexible Reading

The first two are available for credit from Seattle Pacific University; time management and the reading course are not available for credit, but students can buy the accompanying study materials from Channel 9. The Flexible Reading might be of particular interest; the content sounds like that of the Spectrum course called Reading for Speed and Comprehension.

The courses are all broadcast on Channel 9 Saturday mornings between 10:00 am and noon; each is 30 minutes each Saturday. All four started on Saturday, January 15; Time Management and Flexible Reading will repeat starting on Saturday, February 26.