

SENR UNDERGRADUATE NEWS

OCTOBER 22, 2014

Scheduling Troubles?

Here are the **most common issues** that students have when trying to schedule:

I can't schedule ANYTHING due to a lock on my account.

Check the "Holds" box on the right side of your student center and click "details" to find out what the hold is, and how to remove it. If the hold is for your **financial responsibility statement**, the solution is simple—just click the corresponding link in your "To-Do List" box. (FYI: the financial responsibility statement hold reappears each semester!)

I'm being blocked from scheduling a 5000-level course.

Courses at the 5000 level or above are open to both undergrads and graduate students. If you try to register for a 5000-level course and get an error message stating "**The class falls outside your career of study**", it means you are trying to register for the *graduate* section of the course, instead of the *undergraduate* section. To fix this, simply set the "Course Career" search filter to "Undergraduate".

I want to schedule a course, but it requires special permission.

If you want to enroll in a course, but: (A) don't meet the prerequisites, (B) there is a time overlap with another course, (C) it is an independent study requiring permission, etc., you need a [Course Enrollment Permission Form](#). Once properly signed, submit the form to the front desk in 210 Kottman and you will be manually enrolled in the course.

.....
Still need help? Don't panic! Call **614-292-2265** for assistance and/or to schedule an advising appointment.

Graduating Seniors, Listen Up!

Be Ready To Schedule

Graduating seniors are given extremely high priority scheduling windows. This is to guarantee that you will have first pick on all of your remaining course requirements. If you do not schedule your courses promptly once your window has opened, and this causes you to be closed out of a required course, special arrangements WILL NOT be made. You can imagine what the consequences might be if you do not get into the courses you need this spring, so **please schedule on time!**



Outstanding Senior Award Application Now Live!

Every year, the College selects 20 outstanding seniors from all FAES majors to receive a special award. The Outstanding Senior award is highly competitive and requires an application, followed by an interview if you are selected. Read more about this award and how to apply here: <http://cfaes.osu.edu/students/node/535>.

Honors Gathering

Are you an honors student in ENR?

Are you interested in learning more about the honors program?

The ENR Honors Committee is hosting an Honors Gathering for all current ENR Honors students on **Tuesday, November 4, 2014** at 5:30 pm in Kottman 116. Dinner will be provided.

All current ENR Honors students are invited to attend to get advice from faculty & senior honors students on developing a program of study, finding a research advisor and conducting their research project. Additionally, students not in the program that are interested in learning more about it are welcome to attend.

Please **rsvp** to [Renee Johnston](#) by **Friday, October 31**.

Dates & Deadlines

Last day to drop a course (with a 'W') – Friday, Oct. 31

Upcoming Events

Idealist Graduate School Fair – Oct. 27 – 5pm - 8pm – The Blackwell Inn and Conference Center

The Idealist Grad Fair is free, open to the public, and meant for anyone thinking of going to grad school to further their career in the nonprofit and public sectors. Meet representatives from 47 schools that offer degrees in nonprofit management, social work, public health, public administration, international affairs, information science, and lots more. Read more and register here: <http://bit.ly/IdealistCLB14>.

Upcoming Study Abroad Information Sessions:

[Czech Republic: Sustainable and Agricultural Policy in the European Union](#)

TODAY, October 22 at 5:30pm in Room 205 Ag Admin

Thursday, November 13 at 5:30pm in Room 0045 Hagerty Hall

[Environment and Culture of Iceland Study Abroad](#) (ENR 5797.06)

Tuesday, October 28 at 5:30pm in Room 333C Kottman Hall.

[China Forest and Wildlife Research](#) (ENR 5797.08)

Thursday, November 6 at 5pm in Room 370 Kottman Hall.

[Antarctica, Australia & New Zealand: Sustaining Human Societies & the Environment](#)

Thursday, November 20 at 5:30pm in Room 115 Mendenhall Lab

Volunteer/Study Abroad Opportunities

Experience OSU for a Day Hosts Needed

Do you enjoy sharing your passion for Ohio State with others? Would you be willing to show high school students what it is like to be a Buckeye? The "Experience OSU for a Day" (EOFD) Program allows prospective students to get a feel for what college is really like.

EOFD Hosts volunteer to have prospective high school students shadow them from 9:30 a.m. until 1 p.m. for 2-3 weekdays each semester. Hosting is very flexible and can be adjusted to fit your schedule. Hosts are encouraged to take their shadow(s) to see various classrooms, the Oval, the Union, a room in Norton House, and to eat lunch at Parker Dairy Store (lunch is free for the host and shadow). To sign up, simply fill out the form at <http://go.osu.edu/eofd-hosts>. Contact Josh Lees with questions at lees.17@buckeyemail.osu.edu.

CONNECT WITH SENR!

Follow the SENR Advising Office on Twitter, under **@SaraSENR**, and stay informed on University/School news, upcoming deadlines, and other information that affects your undergraduate career.