
SENR UNDERGRADUATE NEWS

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Welcome back to campus!

This is the first edition of the SENR Undergraduate Newsletter, which you will receive every other Sunday. Please make a habit of at least skimming this newsletter each time, as it is the main way we keep our students apprised of any pertinent information related to **academics**, School/University **events** and **opportunities**, and general **announcements**.

Who is the 'we'? We are the SENR Student Services Team, and we are here to support you! [HERE](#) is a quick introduction (or refresher) of who is on the Team, and what they do.

Stuck on a Waitlist?

Please be aware of the following:

- All waitlists are **deactivated after the first week of class**. Therefore, if you have not been assumed from the waitlist into the course by Saturday, August 27th, you will not be enrolled.
- If you are next in line, but the waitlisted course is in **time conflict** with an existing course, or it pushes you **over the 18 credit hour limit**, or **you do not meet the prerequisites** for the course and need special permission, **YOU WILL BE SKIPPED OVER**. Don't let this happen to you—be prepared by verifying your schedule!



Trouble Enrolling in a Course?

If you are unable to enroll yourself in a course (course requires instructor permission, you are seeking ability to override the waitlist, course is in time conflict, etc.), you will need to complete a [Course Enrollment Permission form](#). Follow the instructions on the form as appropriate with your circumstances, then bring the completed form to 210 Kottman Hall for processing.

Planning to Graduate Spring 2017?

Graduation applications for Spring 2016 are due THIS FRIDAY, August 26th. Apply [HERE](#).

Welcome Week Academic Advising

All academic advising during the first week of classes will be in our Express Service Hours format. Express Hours are first-come, first-served, walk-in advising appointments limited to 15 minutes. After this week, [Express Service Hours](#) will resume the normal schedule of Fridays, 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Express Service Hours Welcome Week Schedule

	Academic Advising
Tuesday (8/23)	9am - 4pm
Wednesday (8/24)	9am - 2:30pm
Thursday (8/25)	9am - 4pm
Friday (8/26)	9am - 4pm

Dates & Deadlines

	Deadline
Last day to apply for Spring 2017 graduation	Friday, 8/26
Last day 100% refund period	Friday, 8/26
Last day to add a course online (through Student Center)	Friday, 8/26
Last day to add course with permission	Friday, 9/2

Check the [University Registrar's website](#) for a more detailed list of important academic dates and deadlines.

Fall Courses of Still Available

Need to add another course to your autumn schedule? These ENR/RURLSOC courses are still open:

RURLSOC 3580, [Social Groups in Developing Societies](#) – GE course
ENR 3611, Foundations in [Environmental Communications, Education and Interpretation](#)
ENR 5210, [US Environmental Impact Assessment](#)
ENR 5270, [Soil Fertility](#)
ENR 4900.01, [Environment and Natural Resources Management](#) – SENIOR CAPSTONE!
ENR 2000, [Natural Resources Data Analysis](#) - 2 seats left! – GE course

FUNLSOC 1500, [Introduction to Rural Sociology](#) – GE course

Check out the [Courses of Potential Interest](#) page for other cool course deas!

Upcoming Events

Welcome Week Events

There are a wide variety of welcome events offered all across campus this week. Check out the [Welcome Week website](#) for all the details!



Undergraduate Research Office (URO) Open House – Friday, Aug. 26, 2-4:00pm – 105 Biomedical Research Tower

Thinking about research but don't know how or where to start? Come by the URO Open House to learn how their office can help you throughout your undergraduate research journey. Current undergraduate researchers will also be on hand to answer your questions.

Environmental Career Conference – Saturday, Oct. 22 – Kottman Hall

Save the date! The Environmental Career Conference will bring industry leaders and students together through a variety of panel discussions and networking opportunities. This is an event not-to-be-missed for any student seeking a career in the fields of environment and/or sustainability. For more information, click [HERE](#).

Become an SENR Ambassador!

Want to share your enthusiasm for your major with high schoolers and other incoming students? Then the SENR Ambassadors program is the place for you! The Ambassadors program was developed to connect prospective SENR students to current students in their major, help with the college search process, personalize campus visits, represent the School at recruitment events, and welcome new students into our community.

Curious? Read more about the Ambassador program [HERE](#). Questions? Contact [Esther Dwyer](#).

[APPLY HERE](#)

Did You Know?

The Ohio State University has its own app! It offers easy access to everything from viewing your grades to finding the nearest pizza shop. Plus, it's FREE! Read more and download [HERE](#).



Have a wonderful first week of classes!

Don't hesitate to [contact us](#) if you have questions.



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