Ready or not, here comes Spring semester!

Dust off your bookbag and warm up your note-taking hand, because tomorrow a new semester begins.

Back to School FAQ's:

What do I do if I'm on a waitlist?

(Read the full answer on the SENR Undergraduate web home page)

- Go to BuckeyeLink and check your Spring 2017 schedule (list view) to determine your waitlist position.
- Attend the class for the first week.
- Make sure you do not need special permission (such as time conflict override) to enter the class. If you do, the waitlist will automatically skip over you.

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, January 14th, you will not be enrolled.

How do I schedule an advising appointment?

Call our office at 614-292-2265 or visit the front desk in 210 Kottman Hall. Our office is open 8am – 5pm weekly.

Where can I find more helpful resources and information?

Go straight to our website, senr.osu.edu/undergraduate!

- Check out the Academic Advising page for helpful information whenever those quick questions pop up.
- Visit Degree Planning Tools for links to resources such as curriculum guides, mock schedule plans (curriculum roadmaps), a list of acceptable GE courses, and more.
- Go to the Forms page when you need—you guessed it—a form.
If you can’t find your answer on the web, feel free to call our office (614-292-2265) or stop by the front desk in 210 Kottman Hall for assistance.

**Summer/Autumn 2017 Graduation Applications Due**

The deadline to apply for SU17/AU17 graduation is **Friday, January 13**. Access the application online at: http://senr.osu.edu/undergraduate/graduation.

**ENR Express Service Hours Resume**

[ENR Express Services](http://www.osu.edu) resume Friday, Jan. 13, 9:00am* - 4:00pm, and will continue every Friday through Spring 2016 semester. Offered in 210 Kottman Hall.

*Career Services walk-ins begin at 10:00am.

**Dates & Deadlines**

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*Check the [University Registrar's website](http://www.osu.edu) for a more detailed list of important academic dates and deadlines.*

**Student Awards Galore**

**CFAES Outstanding Senior Award**

Every year the College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences recognizes those students who have excelled throughout their undergraduate career with the Outstanding Senior award. Any student graduating during the calendar year of 2017 is eligible to apply. The application deadline is **January 22**. Read more and access the application [HERE](http://www.osu.edu).

**CFAES Student Awards**

The College recognizes students of all ranks through a variety of other awards. These other award opportunities are listed [HERE](http://www.osu.edu). Applications for these awards are due by **February 10**. You can access the applications [HERE](http://www.osu.edu).

**Ohio State Leadership Awards**

Every spring, the University recognizes students who demonstrate leadership, collaboration, and commitment to the Ohio State community. Applications for the 2017 Leadership Awards are now open. You can read more about these awards and how to apply [HERE](http://www.osu.edu).
SP17 Course Announcements

Environmental Film Course - More Students Needed!

ENR 4193 — Environmental Film Series, taught by David Hanselmann. One credit hour course. Offered Tuesday evenings from Jan. 24 - Feb. 28, 2017. Free pizza and beverages offered before each film begins! Course requires permission to enroll. Pre-signed permission forms can be picked up at the front desk in 210 KH. Click HERE for more details.

Other new SP17 courses can be found on the Courses of Potential Interest webpage.

SENR Front Desk Now Hiring!

The SENR academic office is seeking an undergraduate student worker to assist in covering the 210 Kottman front desk. Duties will include:

- Cheerfully and politely greet all visitors
- Answer and direct phone calls
- File records
- Assist in break and copy room maintenance
- Provide additional administrative support to the SENR Student Services Team as needed

Applicants should be detail oriented, dependable, and enjoy working in an office setting. Availability to work Tuesday and Thursday mid-mornings, and/or during school breaks is a big plus. Federal work study status is also highly desired.

If interested, please send resume and hours of availability to senr@osu.edu by Tuesday, Jan. 10.

Scholarship Opportunities

Spring is scholarship application time! Check out the variety of scholarships available from both the School and outside organizations on the SENR Money Matters webpage.

Volunteer Opportunity - Zero Waste Event

The first ever Zero Waste Synchronized Swimming meet will be hosted at McCorkle on Saturday 1/14/17! Ohio State is looking for volunteers to assist with recycling education, collection, and measurement. Students can
volunteer from 10:00-1:00 or 1:00-4:00 with a meal provided and can sign up or request more information by emailing Graham Oberly.7@osu.edu.

Summer Field Course/Research Opportunities

Flathead Lake Biological Station
Flathead Station of the University of Montana is accepting enrollment for their 2017 Summer Session courses. Nine courses are offered in aquatic and terrestrial ecology fields. Scholarships are available too! More details about the program and the registration portal can be found HERE. Register by Jan. 15, 2017 to receive a discount.

Doris Duke Conservation Scholars Program
The Doris Duke program, offered through the University of Michigan, is an exciting two-year research and internship opportunity for bright, curious undergraduate students interested in conservation, nature, and the environment. Scholars receive a $4,250 stipend, plus room and board and travel expenses to and from Ann Arbor, Michigan each summer. Deadline to apply is Feb. 8, 2017. Detailed program information and application are available on our website at http://ddcsp-umich.com. Contact ddcsp-snre@umich.edu with any questions.

Happy New Year!

Don’t hesitate to contact us if you have questions.