
SENR UNDERGRADUATE NEWS

January 22, 2017

Drop Deadlines

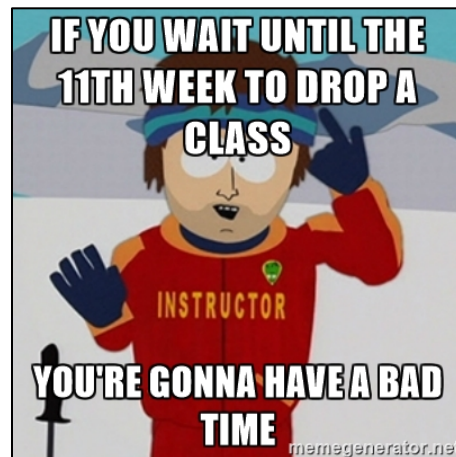
Course not going as planned? Keep these drop deadlines in mind:

Friday, Feb. 3

- Last day to drop a course yourself, via Student Center
- No 'W' on record
- Course "disappears" from your advising report as if you had never enrolled

Friday, Mar. 24

- Last day to drop a course
- Will receive 'W' (Withdrawn) on record
- Must complete Change Ticket form from 210 Kottman front desk and have a student services staff member perform the drop



For more information on how to drop a course and the potential consequences, click [HERE](#).

Grade Forgiveness Deadline Approaching

Do you have a course that you need to repeat?

Remember that now **all students**, not just freshmen, can use the Grade Forgiveness Rule up to **three times**. If you had courses previously forgiven under Freshmen Forgiveness, that *does* count against your three opportunities.

To have a course that you are taking this spring forgive a previous grade, you must meet with your academic adviser and submit the [Grade Forgiveness petition](#). The **deadline** to submit the petition is the 4th Friday of the term, **Feb. 3**.

Questions? Contact your adviser.

Open Computer Lab Hours

Room 231A will be available for open study time on the following days during SP17:

Wednesdays, 8:30am - 12:30pm

Thursdays, 12:15 - 3:45pm

Fridays, 8:30 - 10:30am

Dates & Deadlines

	Date
Last day to add class with instructor permission	Friday, 1/20
Late course add fee assessed (\$100 per course)	Saturday, 1/21
Last day to drop a course online & without a 'W' on record	Friday, 2/3
Last day 50% refund period	Friday, 2/3

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

Got Research?

Here are *TWO* opportunities to present it:

CFAES Undergraduate Research Forum

Students enrolled in any undergraduate degree program in CFAES and the School of Environment and Natural Resources are invited to participate, provided they have a CGPA ≥ 2.5 and are engaged in supervised research projects in the area of their major. All participants receive a **\$50 Barnes & Noble gift card!** The abstract submission deadline is **Jan. 27**. Full details can be found on the CFAES website [here](#).

Denman Undergraduate Research Forum

The Denman Forum showcases the significant contributions of talented Ohio State undergraduates to scholarly activities conducted at OSU and around the world. The Denman is a competitive, judged research forum that has been a proud Ohio State tradition for 20 years. Read more about the Denman and rules and deadlines [HERE](#). The abstract submission deadline is **Feb. 2**.

Student Awards - Last Call for Nominations

CFAES Outstanding Senior Award

The application deadline is **January 22**. Read more and access the application [HERE](#).

CFAES Student Awards

These award opportunities are listed [HERE](#). Applications for these awards are due by **February 10**. You can access the applications [HERE](#).

Ohio State Leadership Awards

You can read more about these awards and how to apply [HERE](#).



EEDS-approved Education Abroad Opportunity

Czech Republic: Sustainability and Agricultural Policy in the EU

Dates: May 13 - June 10

6 total credit hours

Application deadline: **Feb. 1**, 2017

More details can be found [HERE](#).

Scholarship Opportunities

Highlighted Scholarships:

Ohio State University Student-Alumni Council (SAC) Scholarships

SAC is awarding five scholarships to students who exemplify leadership and academic qualities that align with their organization's mission, vision, and values. Any student with two remaining semesters of undergraduate schooling at Ohio State is eligible. Find more details and the application [HERE](#). Due date: **Jan. 31**.

Udall Foundation

The Udall Foundation annually awards 60 scholarships of \$7,000 each to sophomores and juniors across the country committed to careers related to the environment. Find more details and the application [HERE](#). Due date: **Feb. 13**.

Even more scholarships can be found on the SENR [Money Matters webpage](#).

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Upcoming Events

Defend Our Future Strategy Session – Monday, Jan. 23, 5 - 7pm – Ohio Union Maudine Cow room

At this event, Defend Our Future will be planning events for the semester, encouraging collaboration with other like-minded clubs and identifying students who are interested in getting involved in the environmental movement. Come, enjoy some FREE PIZZA, and suggest ideas for the upcoming semester! If you plan to attend, please RSVP [HERE](#).

Girl Rising Movie Screening – Monday, Jan. 23, 5 - 7pm – Ohio Union Maudine Cow room

Become inspired to make a difference. Join OSU Peace Corps Club for a free special screening of *Girl Rising*, a documentary film about the transformative power of education in the lives of girls around the world. Read more and register for the event [HERE](#).

3 Great Ways to Represent SENR!

SENR Ambassador Program

The SENR 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. Currently, the program is in need of Environmental Science, Environmental Policy/Decision Making, and Forestry, Fisheries, Wildlife majors. Read more about the Ambassador program [HERE](#). [APPLY HERE](#). Questions? Contact Rachel McDevitt (McDevitt.54@osu.edu).

CFAES Ambassador Program

We encourage SENR students to apply for the College's ambassador program to be representatives for the School to a wider variety of prospective freshmen. To learn more about what the CFAES ambassador team is all about, attend the **information session** on Wednesday, Jan. 25, 5:20-6:20 pm in 247 Ag Admin. To apply to be a College ambassador, click [HERE](#).

Applications due Feb. 3.

Day in the Life of a Buckeye Host

A Day in the Life of a Buckeye is a program that offers a one-on-one experience for urban and Appalachian high school sophomores and juniors to experience life at The Ohio State University, and college in general, for a day. This year's event will take place **Wednesday, Mar. 22**. Free pizza will be provided for all hosts! Learn more and apply [HERE](#). Applications due **Feb. 4**.

Join Alpha Zeta Partners

Alpha Zeta Partners, a co-ed agricultural honorary fraternity, is currently accepting applications for Class 19. To be eligible, students must be a freshman or sophomore in CFAES with a GPA ≥ 3.0 . To learn more about our organization, we invite you to join us for **informational sessions** on Tuesday, Jan. 24 at 6:00pm in Ag Admin 205 (pizza) or on Wednesday, Jan. 25 at 6:00pm in Ag Admin 205 (ice cream social). Check AZP out on our website at alphazetapartners.osu.edu, Facebook or Instagram! If you have any questions or would like a copy of the application (due February 6th), please contact Alex Neilley at neilley.6@osu.edu or Summer McCracken at mccracken.100@osu.edu.

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



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