ATTENTION!

Psi Chi Officers (Left to right):

Front row, left to right:鼠

Ratner, Christy Tidd, Ben Smith IV, Melinda Chisholm, Wanakee Brown, Kelly Wantuch, Kaitlyn Foreman, Tim Heflick, Eva Comans, Crystal Sivia, Keli Herr, Jacob Dobransky

Psi Chi Officers (Second row)

Standing left to right:

Sarah Mertes, William Stembel, Chava Lerman, Laura Talcott, Frank Fujita.

Psi Chi Officers (Third row)

Seated left to right:

Mary Osborn Reynolds, Anne Marie, Brian Castagna, Mike McDermott, Sarah Mertes, Laura Talcott, Jeff Brooks, David Briggs, Amelie Kanovsky, Chris Neri, Emily Bollinger, Christopher Stembel.

The following IU South Bend Psychology students have been accepted in or graduated from psychology programs:

- Cindy Shockey, a May 2008 graduate, has been accepted in the doctoral program in clinical psychology at Argosy University in January 2008.
- Crystal Sivia, a May 2008 graduate, was accepted into the Ph.D. program in developmental psychology at the University of Notre Dame.
- Chris Neri, a May 2008 graduate, has been accepted into the Ph.D. program in counseling at Concordia University in Wisconsin.
- Richard Hubbard, a May 2008 graduate, has been accepted into the Ph.D. program in clinical psychology at the University of Indianapolis.
- Sabrina Wall, a May 2008 graduate, has been accepted into the Ph.D. program in educational psychology at Western Michigan University.
- Damon Humes, a May 2008 graduate, has been accepted into the Ph.D. program in educational psychology at Bowling Green State University.
- Dr. Laura Talcott, a May 2008 graduate, has been accepted into the Ph.D. program in educational psychology at Bowling Green State University.

Dr. Laura Talcott was interviewed for an article on plastic bags that appeared in the South Bend Tribune.

Several IU South Bend Psychology students presented posters at the American Association of Suicidology conference held in Boston from April 16-19. Among them was a presentation on Epidemiology and Trends in Suicide by Dr. David Briggs. The title of the presentation was "Suicide Prevention Among Older Adults: Epidemiology, Risk, and Resiliency." A second presentation was "Affecting Behavioral Changes in Elderly Suicide," as part of a day-long preconference workshop on "Suicide Prevention Among Older Adults." The members of the team are pictured below.

Other faculty publications:

- "Survivors & Researchers: A SOS Group Roundtable," in the Yellow Ribbon Program from Denver, CO. In addition, Dr. McIntosh took part in a roundtable session, "Adults: Epidemiology, Risk, and Resiliency." A second presentation was "Affecting Behavioral Changes in Elderly Suicide," as part of a day-long preconference workshop on "Suicide Prevention Among Older Adults." The members of the team are pictured below.

Dr. David Briggs was interviewed for a WNDU-TV evening news story on April 2nd. The story covered his research on the impact of teen suicide on families.

"Thinking of College Students: An Engagement with the Perry Model," was presented at the International Association for Suicide Prevention conference.

Dr. Sarah Mertes appeared on the WNDU-TV evening news on April 2nd. The story covered her research on the impact of teen suicide on families.

The members of the team are pictured below.

We would be happy to post it here if you would like to include it also. Please indicate your year of IUSB graduation by putting it on the upper right-hand side of your photograph and we will try to get it posted online.

FOR ENROLLMENT IN FALL 2008:

- Psychology majors who have already been accepted to graduate programs in psychology may begin to enroll.
- Other psychology majors who are considering enrolling in graduate programs in psychology should begin the enrollment process.

Other important deadlines for Fall 2008 enrollment:

- September 15: Graduation declaration deadline
- October 15: Financial aid application deadline
- November 15: Petition for degree completion deadline

Other important deadlines for Spring 2009 enrollment:

- December 1: Graduation declaration deadline
- January 15: Financial aid application deadline
- February 15: Petition for degree completion deadline

Other important deadlines for Summer 2009 enrollment:

- March 1: Graduation declaration deadline
- April 15: Financial aid application deadline
- May 15: Petition for degree completion deadline

Please refer to the Psychology Department Home Page for updated information on the enrollment process.

The Science of Subjective Well-Being

The Science of Subjective Well-Being is a new course offered in Fall 2008. The course is designed to provide students with a comprehensive understanding of the science of subjective well-being. The course will cover topics such as the measurement of subjective well-being, the determinants of subjective well-being, and the implications of subjective well-being for mental and physical health.

The course will be taught by Dr. Sarah Mertes. The course will meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10:30-11:45 AM in room 225 of the Psychology building.

The course will include a variety of assignments and activities, such as readings, discussions, and assignments. The course will also include a final project.

Please refer to the Psychology Department Home Page for more information on the course.

Please contact Dr. Sarah Mertes with any questions or concerns.