

**SUMMARY:**

Holiday Closures
Award and Grant Submissions Open
Summer Research Grants Available

DEADLINES:

January 15	Deadline for APA Science Directorate Internship & Relocation Grant
January 16	Deadline for RMPA Paper/Poster Submissions
February 1	Deadline for 4 Psi Chi Awards and 3 Psi Chi Grants

WEB SPOTLIGHT:

[Psi Chi Regional Conventions](#)

HOLIDAY CLOSURE

The Psi Chi National Office will be closed beginning December 24, 2008. We will re-open on January 5, 2009. The office will be closed for the holidays and then the National Office Staff will be traveling to Nashville, Tennessee for the 2009 National Leadership Conference January 2—4, 2009.

The National Office staff wishes our members a safe and Happy Holiday Season!

INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY AVAILABLE WITH APA'S SCIENCE DIRECTORATE

Psi Chi has partnered with the APA's Science Directorate to offer an internship during the summer that is exclusive to Psi Chi undergraduate members. Applications are due online by January 15, 2009. Since official transcripts and letters of recommendation are required elements of the application, interested members are encouraged to collect their application materials early. [Complete submission instructions](#) can be found online. Questions about the program can be emailed to the National Office.

FEB 1 AWARD AND GRANT DEADLINE: BANDURA, COUSINS, FBI NCAVC, GRADUATE RESEARCH, NEWMAN, UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH, WEBSITE

Submissions to four Psi Chi Awards and three Psi Chi Grant are due on February 1, 2009. Newman Award applicants need not be a member of Psi Chi to apply as all psychology graduate-level students are eligible. [More information](#) about each award and submission links can be found here.

SIX APS SUMMER RESEARCH GRANTS AVAILABLE FOR 2009

Psi Chi is pleased to be partnering with the Association for Psychological Science (APS) to offer six summer research grants again in 2009. Each grant provides the student with a \$3,500 stipend to conduct research with an APS sponsor over the summer. The sponsor receives \$1,500, making the total value of each grant \$5,000. This spring, APS will provide Psi Chi a list of APS members who are willing to sponsor a student for the summer to conduct research. This list is posted on Psi Chi's website. Interested members can refer to the list and contact sponsors to arrange summer projects. Ideally, applicants will apply to work with mentors in institutions outside of their own institution. Preference will be given to projects that are spearheaded by the grant applicant, encompass all aspects of the research process, and might result in a first-authored publication or presentation by the applicant. The deadline for submissions for this grant is March 1. [Complete details](#) can be obtained on Psi Chi's website.

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