

WILLIAM PATERSON UNIVERSITY
WELCOME

College of Science and Health
Meet Your Academic Success Team

Advisement Staff/Academic Advisors, Career Development Staff, and Associate Deans

What will success look like to you?





Now that you have a vision for your success, what will you build it on?

YOUR **SUCCESS** TEAM

High School

Guidance Counselor

Teachers

Coaches

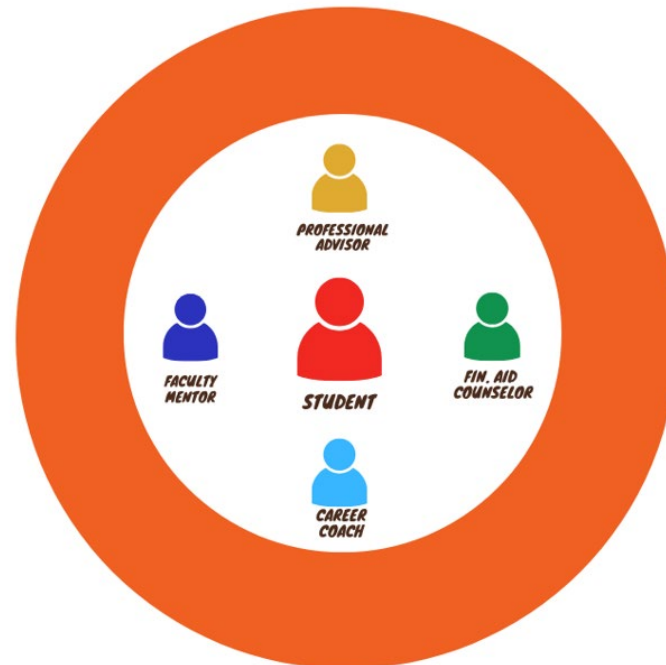
Tutors



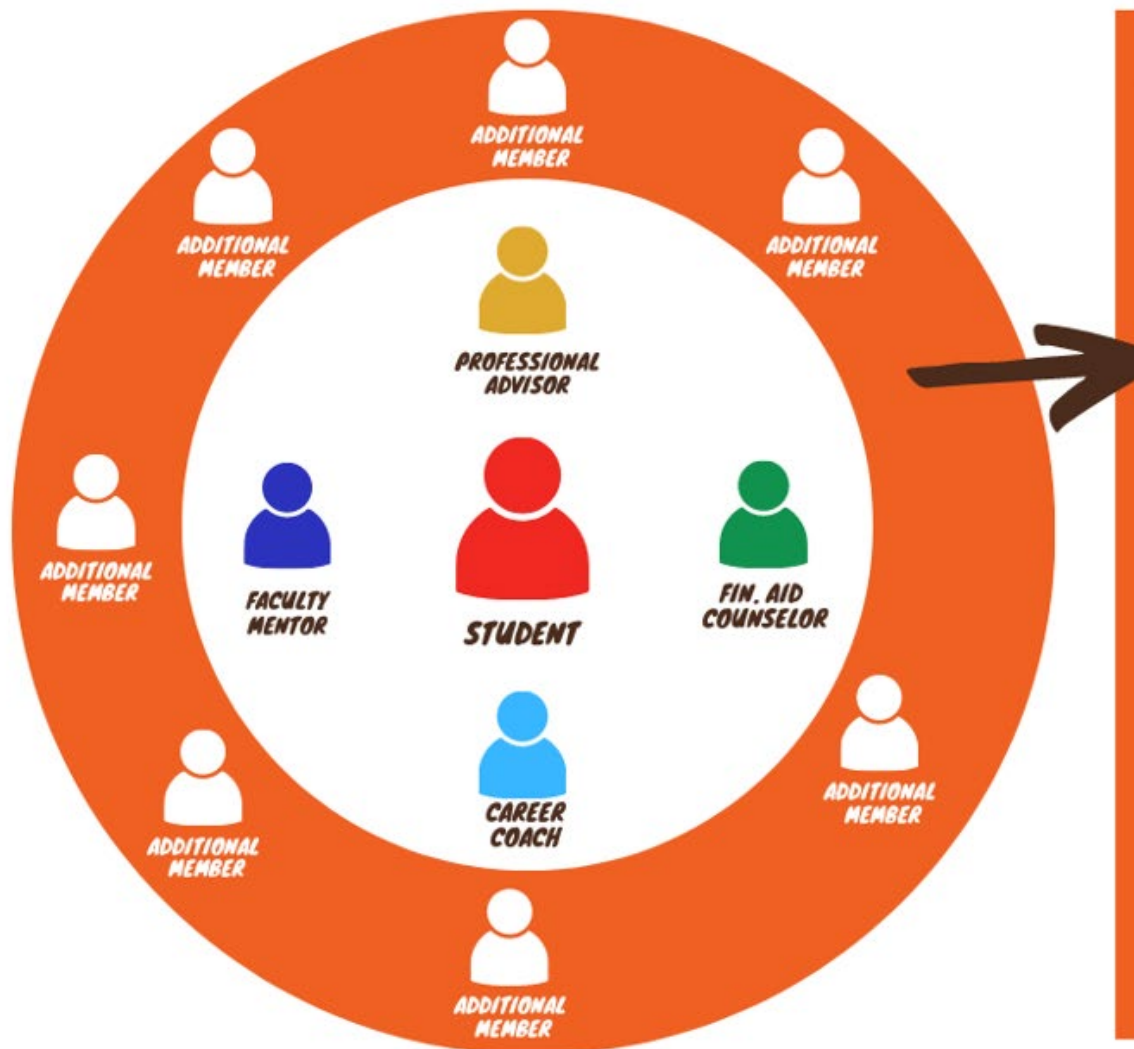
Helps Students
Navigate Academic
Exploration &
Achieve Their Goals

Supports Students' Personal
Well-Being & Growth

YOUR PERSONAL **WPU**
SUCCESS TEAM



William Paterson University Success Team



Additional Members

- *Residence Life Grad RD / Residence Life Area Coordinator*
- *Aspire Stem Coach*
- *EOF Executive Director*
- *Veteran and Military Affairs*
- *Athletic Coach(s)*
- *Honors College*
- *Faculty Liaison*
- *Deans Office – the Dean, Associate Dean and Staff*
- *Chairpersons*
- *Academic Foundations all students in developmental courses / students with an academic mentor through the Foundations program*

YOUR CAREER COMMUNITY



Business, Finance & Entrepreneurship



Healthcare, Wellness & Biosciences



Education, Training & Social Services



Exploratory



STEM & Sustainability



Arts, Entertainment & Communication



Government, Policy & Social Impact

HOW ADVISORS WILL ASSIST YOU

- **Proactive** Advisement
- Build relationships with students and help them **navigate** the university
- **Establish** short- and long-term **academic goals**
- Teach **Will. Power. 101 & 102** Courses as a part of the **Career Community**
- **Clarify** academic policies, procedures and major **requirements**
- Major & Minor Exploration **Workshops & Events**
- **One on one** guided exploration sessions
- Individualized and group **advisement sessions**
- **Monitor** your academic progress
- **Acclimate** to WPU
- Help you **declare** your major **or** minor




Also...our **Student Peer Advisors & Peer Leaders**
are available as guides & mentors to **help!**

Explore WPConnect

- Health Portal
- Class Schedule
- Financial Aid
- Student Checklist
- Access Email & Blackboard
- And Lots More!



**WP CONNECT** Home **Student** Employee Faculty & Advisors

My Schedule

My Schedule

Registrar Calendar

Billing and Payments

Click here to view your balance

1098-T Tax Information

Bill and Payment Home

Enroll into a Payment Plan

Enrollment & Housing Deposits

Make a Payment

Sign up for E-Refunds

View E-Statements

My Degree

Add, Declare, or Change Major

Add, Declare, or Change Minor

Degree Works

Final Grades

Early Assessment

Request Official Transcript

Starfish Student Success

Unofficial Transcripts

Notifications

My Registration

Add/Drop Courses

Course Repeat Request

Look Up Course Offerings

My Registration Status and Permits

WP Enrollment Forms

FERPA Authorization Form

Leave of Absence Request Form

Request Proof of Enrollment

Veteran/Active Duty Enrollment

Campus Life

Alcohol-Wise (Freshmen Only)

My Meal Plan

Not Anymore (New Students)

Pioneer Express Card

Technology Resources

Computer Lab U

IT Services - Get

ITwiki - IT Docu

LinkedIn Learning

CRN	Course	Title	Campus	Credits	Level	Start Date	End Date	Days	Time	Location	Instructor
41022 02	ARTH 1010	UNDERSTANDING ART	Main	3.000	UG	Sep 01, 2015	Dec 18, 2015	MW	11:00 am - 12:15 pm	Ben Shahn Center Vis Arts 20	Schuler
40263 17	ENG 1500	EXPERIENCES IN LITERATURE	Main	3.000	UG	Sep 01, 2015	Dec 18, 2015	TR	11:00 am - 12:15 pm	Hunziker Wing 129	Nekola
41025 01	HIST 1030	FOUNDATIONS OF CIVILIZATION	Main	3.000	UG	Sep 01, 2015	Dec 18, 2015	MW	8:00 am - 9:15 am	Hunziker Hall 204	Stark
42455 03	PBHL 1100	HEALTHY U	Main	3.000	UG	Sep 01, 2015	Dec 18, 2015	MW	9:30 am - 10:45 am	Hunziker Wing 238	Hardin
41286 02	SOC 1010	PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY	Main	3.000	UG	Sep 01, 2015	Dec 18, 2015	TR	3:30 pm - 4:45 pm	Raubinger Hall 210	Ellis
Total Credits:				15.000							



NAVIGATE



Navigate will support you at WPU by helping you:

- View your course schedule
- Find your Success Team
- Schedule an appointment with your advisor!
- Explore majors & career choices
- Connect to resources that will help you succeed
- Stay on top of payment and registration deadlines
- Track and resolve financial holds on your account

**PLEASE TAKE A MOMENT TO
DOWNLOAD NOW**





NAVIGATE

Your Success Team



Diaz, Alma (she/her)
Career Coach



Pinkston, Jan
Honors College



Ricaldi, Olga
Financial Aid Counselor



Ryblewski, Laura
Advisor



**YOU WILL FIND
YOUR SUCCESS TEAM
ON NAVIGATE**

Your Success Team



Barry-Chastanet, Zoya
Financial Aid Counselor



Ryblewski, Laura
Advisor



Vaughan, Amanda (she/her)
Academic Foundations



Wilson, Sonia (she/her)
Career Coach



Your Summer 2023 Instructors

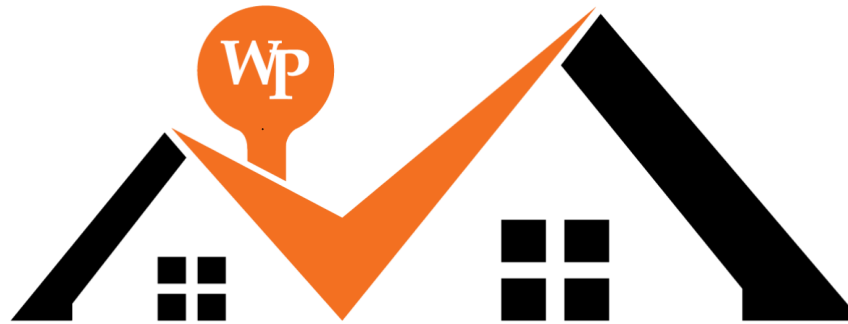


Furst, Gennifer
CCJ-2610 (080)



Korgen, Kathleen
SOC-1010 (080)





TO-DO LIST BETWEEN NOW & FIRST DAY OF THE SEMESTER

- Get WPU Photo ID
 - Check Your WPU Email Daily
 - Register for Parking Pass on WPCConnect
- Connect with your roommate, if living on campus
 - Download Navigate App
- Submit Health Insurance Waiver & Immunization on Student Health Portal
 - Finalize Tuition Bill & Financial Aid
 - Review your class schedule on WPCConnect
- Become familiar with Blackboard & Read through all Class Syllabi
- Review DegreeWorks & become familiar with Graduation Requirements
- Complete **Alcohol Wise** and / or **Vector Sexual Violence Prevention** Course
 - Meet with your Advisor if needed
- Complete FERPA Authorization Form on WPCConnect

New Student checklist

PLEASE REVIEW & COMPLETE THESE
ITEMS BEFORE THE START
OF THE SEMESTER! THANK YOU!



ACADEMICS

- Review **Fall Schedule** on WPUConnect
 - Purchase **Textbooks** through WPUConnect (look for cheaper options online as well)
 - Check WPUConnect for **transfer credits**, if applicable
 - Review **course syllabi** for assignments/tests/quizzes/finals updates
 - For academic accommodations, contact Accessibility Resource Center at 973-720-2853 or arc@wpunj.edu
- If you need assistance with purchasing books or access to technology, please connect with your Academic Advisor!**

ITEMS ON WPUCONNECT

- Complete **Alcohol Wise** Part I (Part II-30 days after)*
- Complete **Vector Sexual Violence Prevention** course*
- Submit **Immunization Records** under Student Health Portal*
- Submit **Health Insurance Walver** at www.universityhealthplans.com/wpunj
- Review Bill/Make **Tuition Payment**
- Review **Financial Aid & Accept Loans**, as needed
- Review & Complete **FERPA** Authorization Form
- Register Vehicle to Obtain **Parking Pass**, if commuting
- Sign up for **NJ Transit Student Discount Pass**, if applicable
- Confirm Enrollment Verification

*If not completed, holds will be placed on your account

**ANY QUESTIONS OR
CONCERNS. CONTACT YOUR
ACADEMIC ADVISOR!**

TECHNOLOGY

- Check **WPU Email** Daily (at least)
- Download the following programs & apps:
 - MS Teams & Outlook
 - Blackboard App
 - Student Navigate App
 - GET Mobile App>Upload Photo ID Picture
 - CORQ App
 - Rave Guardian App
 - DoubleMap App (Campus Shuttle)
- Follow **@ADVISEMENTWP** on IG

OTHER TO-DO ITEMS

- Pick up **Photo ID** at Info Desk in University Commons
- Review **Meal Plan/Accept OMIC** Grant, if applicable
- Connect with your **roommate**, if living on campus
- Attend **Welcome Day**-August 30th!
- Attend **Classes** Starting 5pm-August 30th!

Ask Questions!

Attend Campus Events!

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Important Contacts

Student Enrollment Services

973-720-3945

studentservices@wpunj.edu

Financial Aid

973-720-3945 or finaid@wpunj.edu

Housing

973-720-2714 or athome@wpunj.edu

Counseling, Health & Wellness

973-720-2257

wpunimmunization@wpunj.edu

Advisement Center

973-720-2653

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ACADEMIC ADVISEMENT CENTER



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wpunj.edu/advisement-center

Follow Us On IG:

[@advisementwp](https://www.instagram.com/advisementwp)



Advisement Staff

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Executive Director
Laura A. Ryblewski,
Associate Director

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Ceasar Castro
Paolah Chaparro
Marshal Coles
Luis Escobar
Jason Greenhouse
Kelsey Kozak
Stephanie Kuran
O'Mari Lockhart
Jevon Morgan
Deborah Kane Sheffield
Kayla Stepinac
Courtney Wilson

A photograph of four graduates in black gowns and caps, with a mascot in an orange gown, all waving. The background features orange and black balloons. A white, torn-edge rectangular frame is superimposed over the center of the image.

PIONEER TO PROFESSIONAL



Career Development Center



Our Goal



Educate

Educate students and alumni about the career development process and industry options while empowering them to make informed career decisions.

Prepare

Prepare students and alumni for experiential learning, employment, and further education.

Connect

Connect hiring organizations with our diverse student and alumni talent.

MEET OUR TEAM

**ALL STUDENTS WILL HAVE A CAREER COACH ON THEIR
CORE SUCCESS TEAM**



Mary Alice Barrows
Director

Career Communities: Alumni,
All Students & Exploratory Majors



Alma Diaz
Assistant Director
**Career Education &
Academic Partnerships**

Career Communities: Science
Career Communities & Exploratory
Majors



Debbie Feingold
Program Manager
**Pesce Family
Mentoring Institute**

Career Communities:
All Students & PFMI Mentee Cohort



Jenny Nesenjuk
Assistant Director
**Employer Engagement &
Corporate Partnerships**

Career Communities:
Business & Education/ Social
Services



Sonia Wilson
Assistant Director
**Experiential Learning &
Non-Profit Partnerships**

Career Communities:
Arts, Media, Communications
Public Service & Policy & Social
Impact

OUR PROGRAMS & SERVICES



**1:1 or Small Group
Career Coaching**



**Major Exploration &
Career Assessments**



**Career Readiness
Events**



**Pesce Family
Mentoring Institute**



**Professional
Career Closet**



**Employer
Recruiting**



Get **Career** Ready



CAPS Digital Badge

A Career Readiness stackable credential will help you build your skills and become career ready.

Complete 4 Modules & add them to your resume!



Federal Work Study Community Based Employment

Gain hands-on learning experience outside of the classroom. Build professional skills, gain credit for internships, and earn up to \$15 dollars an hour through FWS program



Pesce Family Mentoring Institute

Get Matched with Professional Mentor in your field of interest. Build your skills and grow your network



Be Part of Our Community



FIND YOUR CAREER COMMUNITY



Business, Finance & Entrepreneurship

This community is a great place to explore the many facets of business, including marketing, management, accounting, finance, human resources, sales, and data analytics. Opportunities can be found across the private & public sector.



Education, Training & Social Services

This community is a great starting place for those who value purpose-driven work. Careers connected to this industry area attract those who enjoy helping people improve their lives through teaching, counseling, social work and non-profit administration.



Healthcare, Wellness & Biosciences

This community is a good fit for those who would like to learn about the variety of career paths in healthcare; public health, and biomedical research. Opportunities range from research, diagnosis, treatment, public health, medicine, therapy, and administration.



Exploratory

This community is geared towards career exploration and personal reflection, and will help you learn more about who you are and discover career paths that are fit for you.



STEM & Sustainability

This community is for those who want a career using science, technology and research to solve problems, innovate, and inform. Opportunities expand across industries from data, technology, environmental sustainability, research, and engineering.



Arts, Entertainment & Communication

This community is geared towards anyone interested in working in a creative capacity. This community will give you opportunities in the arts, arts management, production, performance, media, advertising, and public relations realms.



Government, Policy & Social Impact

This community is for activists and advocates, lawyers, and those interested in government, with a focus on serving the public interest. Opportunities come from think tanks, non-profits, government, and educational institutions, and can focus on the local, state, or national level.

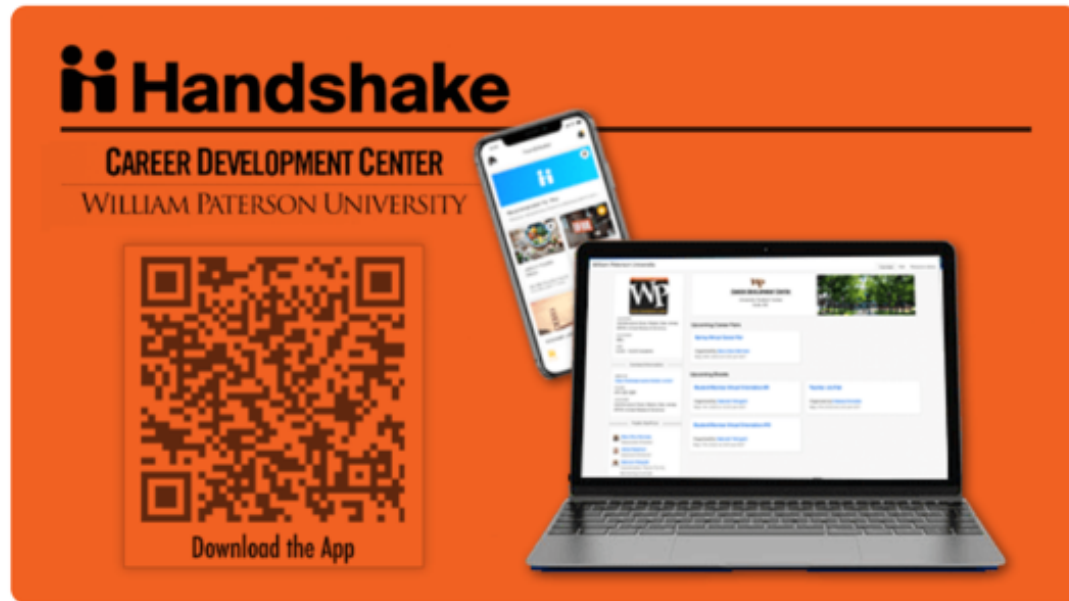


Get Career Community Resources

For more information visit our website:
<https://www.wpunj.edu/career-center-new/explore-your-interests-wp-career-communities/>

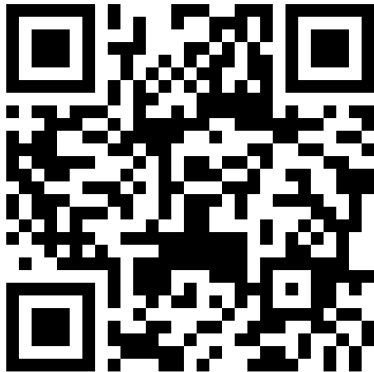
Join Handshake #1 way College students find jobs!

- **Virtual Career Center** - One Stop for Jobs, internships, events, and appointments with the career center!
- All Students have Handshake Accounts.
- Download the mobile APP to receive customized real-time listings





Schedule Your Appointment with your Career Coach



LOGIN



[Scheduling Grid](#) ▾

Date

08/22/2023

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Start Time (ET)

8:00AM ▾

End Time (ET)

5:00PM ▾

🔄 Refreshed Today 4:29pm ET

Care Unit

Career Development Center ▾

Service

All Services

Staff

All Staff

Meeting Types

All Meeting Types

Find First Available?

Career Prep Plan

First -Year & Sophomore Career Goals

- Complete PathwayU Career Assessment
- Activate and complete Handshake profile
- Research Career Paths & Industries
- Attend Certified Badge Events
- Create your draft of your resume
- Start your LinkedIn Profile
- Get Involved - Join Club or Campus Activity
- Develop an internship search plan
- Job Shadowing & Informational Interviews
- Apply for a professional Mentor with PFMI
- Attend Career Fair & Networking Events
- Enhance your skills with LinkedIn Learning

Career Tools



Get a Career Mentor

**PESCE FAMILY
MENTORING INSTITUTE**
WILLIAM PATERSON
UNIVERSITY



Expand Your Newtork Connections

Get Individualized Career Guidance



Find Your Next Opportunities

- Students are eligible to apply for the program once they have 1 -2 academic semesters completed
- For more information Wpunj.edu/WPMentoring

 **96%**

**of our Mentees in the Class of 2021 secured a
first destination career outcome within 6
months of graudation**



Connect with Us!

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Student Center 301

College of Science and Health

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The mission of the College of Science and Health is threefold:

- To provide students with a sound foundation in mathematics, science, and the application of this knowledge, which will prepare them either to enter their chosen profession or pursue advanced studies.
- To provide students with advanced knowledge and experience in their field of specialization which will allow them to move to the forefront of their profession.
- To reach out to the community and provide services that fulfill the needs of the general population.

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PUBLIC HEALTH – Dr. Corey Basch

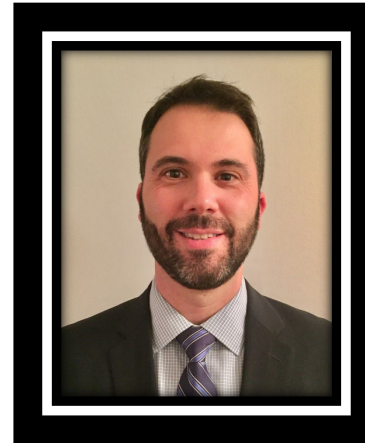


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College of Science and Health Degree Programs

Major

- Actuarial Science (B.S.)
- Accelerated 3 + 2 BS Sports Medicine / MS Athletic Training
- Biology (B.S.) , Biotechnology (B.S.)
- Chemistry (B.A., B.S.)
- Medicinal Biochemistry (B.S.)
- Speech-Language Pathology (B.S.)
- Information Technology (B.S.)
- Computer Science (B.S.)
- Earth Science (B.A.)
- Environmental Science (B.S.)
- Environmental Sustainability (B.S.)
- Exercise Science (B.S.)
- Health Studies (B.S.)
- Mathematics (B.A., B.S.), Accelerated 4+1 BS/MS
- Nursing (B.S.)
- Physical Education (B.S.)
- Public Health (B.S.)
- Sports Management (B.A.)

Department

Mathematical Sciences
Kinesiology
Biology
Chemistry
Chemistry
SLP
Computer Science
Computer Science
Environmental Science
Environmental Science
Environmental Science
Kinesiology
Public Health
Mathematical Sciences
Nursing
Kinesiology
Public Health
Kinesiology

Liberal Studies: Integrated Math and Science (B.A.)

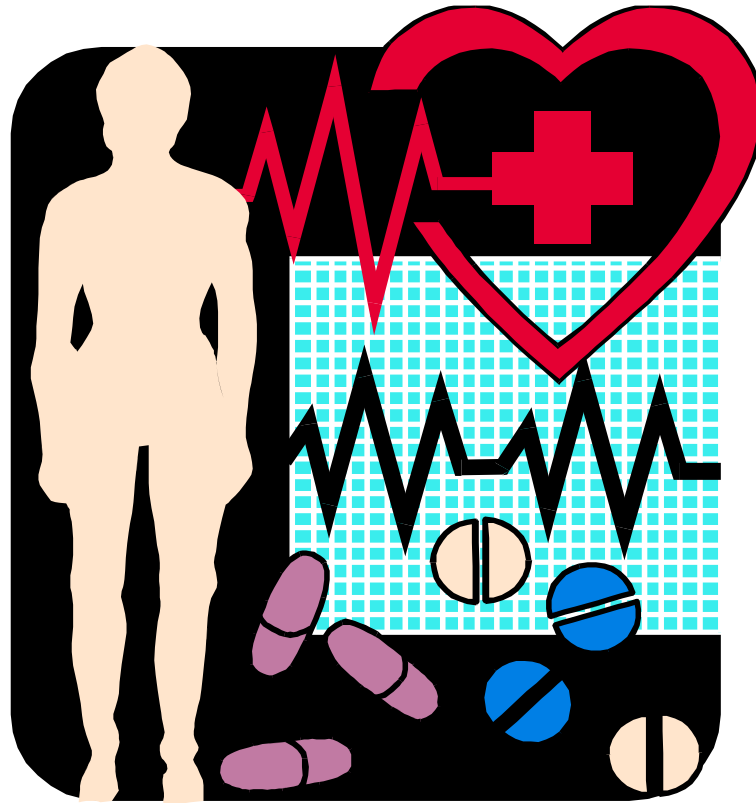
Pre-professional Programs

- Pre-medical
- Pre-dental
- Pre-veterinary
- Pre-physical therapy
- Pre-physician assistant

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Degree Requirements and Courses

- You need to complete 120 credits to get a B.A. or B.S. degree from William Paterson University.
- Four kinds of courses:
 - University Core Curriculum (UCC) courses
 - ❖ 40 – 41 credits
 - ❖ Selected from Six Areas
 - Foreign language requirement (0 - 6 credits)
 - Major courses (number of credits varies by major)
 - Free elective courses (courses you need to take to get to the required 120 credits).

Minors offered by COSH (18 – 21 credits)

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Communication Disorders
- Environmental Science
- Physics
- Mathematics
- Statistics
- Computer Science
- Public Health
- Sports Management

Course Syllabus

- What is a Syllabus?

The syllabus is usually defined as **the document distributed by the instructor of a course to students in a course at the beginning of a semester, outlining the work of the course or section for the semester.**

- When created with intentionality, a syllabus serves as *an invitation to connect the student to the professor, other students, and the course!*



A syllabus contains information such as:

- Faculty & department contact information
- Faculty office hours
- Course description and objectives
- Student Learning Outcomes & Expectations
- Required texts and reading materials
- Grading and assignment policies, etc.

Advice for New WP Students

In the Classroom:

- Attentiveness, courtesy
- Participation, asking questions
- Taking accurate notes

Outside of Class:

- Studying in groups
- Completing assignments on time
- Seeking help from academic support centers
- Taking advantage of opportunities for undergraduate research



Academic Integrity

➤ Academic Integrity Violations:

- **Cheating**
- **Plagiarism** {...*if you find it, you need to cite it*...}
- **Collusion**
- **Lying**

➤ Possible Penalties:

- **Resubmission of the assignment**
- **Failure of the assignment**
- **Failure of the course**
- **Forced withdrawal from the course with no credit received**
- **Recommendation of suspension or expulsion from the University**

Get to Know Your Professors

- Faculty hold regular office hours and meet by appointment with their students.
- Contact your professors using your William Paterson issued email account:
 - ❖ To ask questions or get clarification on assignments.
 - ❖ To inform them if missing class due to emergency.
- Learn about why they do what they do—mentors, role-models, etc.





Get to know your Peers

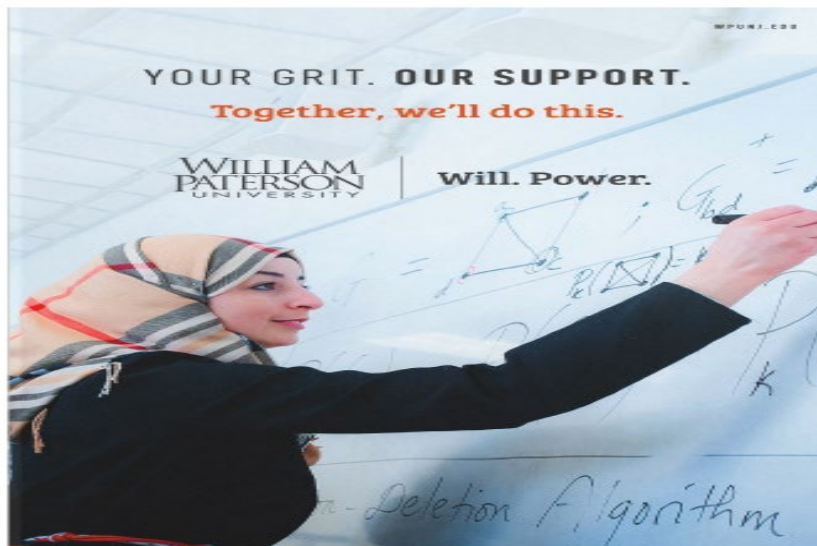
- ☐ **Join Academic Clubs:** Biology, Chemistry, Math, Nursing, etc.
- ☐ **Join Research Groups:** Attend research presentations and workshops.





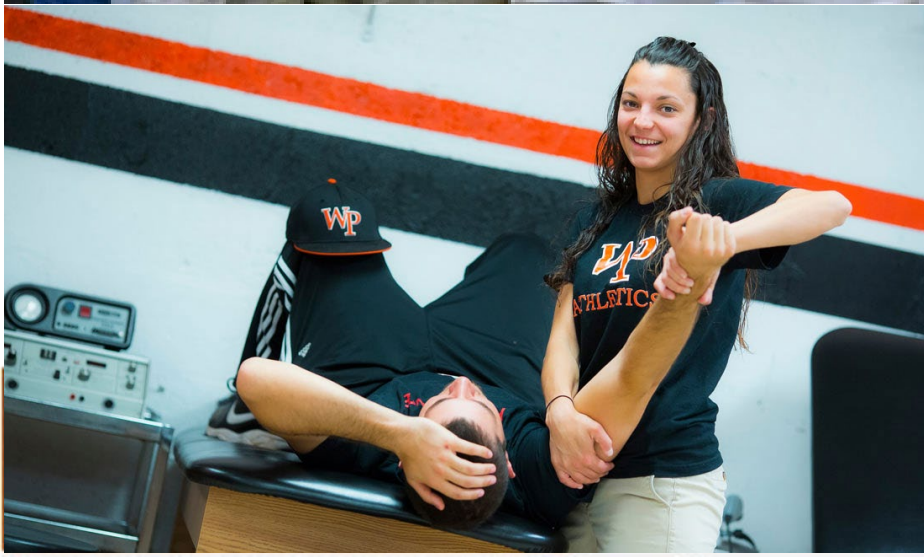
COSH Tutoring Centers:

- Science Enrichment Center (SEC) – SCIE 3023
- Math Learning Center (MLC) – SCIE 3036
- Computer Science Tutoring Center – SCIE 5025
- Nursing Enrichment & Tutoring Center – UH 214



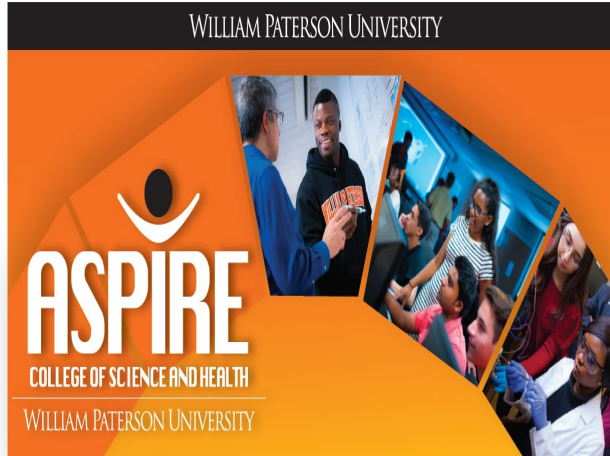
William Paterson University Transfer Policy

- If you have AA/AS degree from a Community College, you need to complete only one WI and Foreign Language requirement in addition to your major requirements.
- Courses must be similar in scope, content, and academic rigor to courses offered at William Paterson University.
- William Paterson University may require a review of the syllabus and textbook(s) used for the course.
- Only college level courses completed with a grade of “C” or better based on 4.0 grade scale will be considered for transfer credit.
- The last 30 credits for the baccalaureate degree must be taken at William Paterson University.
- No more than half of the credits required for a major will be accepted as transfer credit.
- Evaluated courses and the credit awarded for each course are listed on an official William Paterson University transcript.

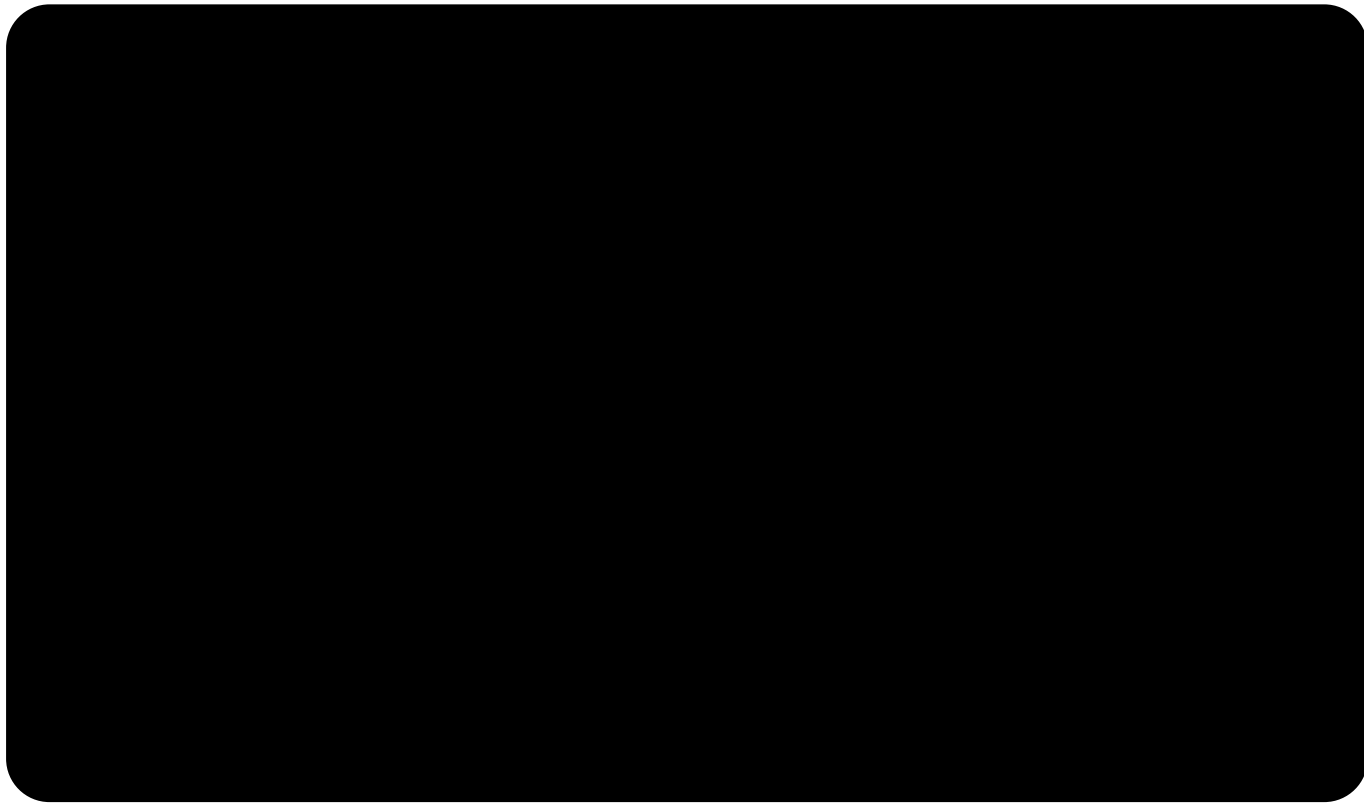


COSH Scholarships

- **George and Dorothy Hennings Endowed Science Scholarship**
- **Sandra De Young Undergraduate Research Endowed Scholarship**
- **C. Kent Warner, Dr. Edith Wallace, and Monroe Spivak Scholarships in Biology**
- **Chemistry Faculty Annual Scholarship**
- **Diane Kalish, Marcello Llarull, and Professor Eswar Phadia Endowed Scholarships in Mathematical Sciences.**



College of Science and Health Pride



A Mathematical Wisdom ...



Doing Nothing At All

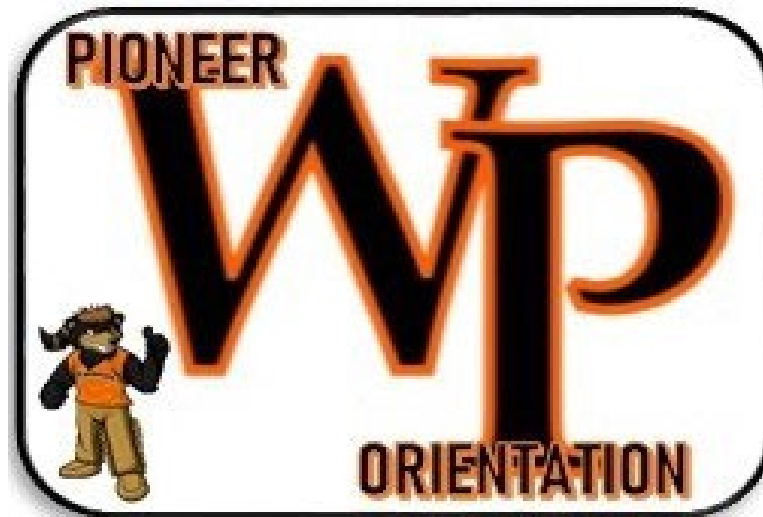
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Making Small Consistent Efforts

$$(1.00)^{365} = 1.00$$

$$(1.\textcolor{red}{01})^{365} = \textcolor{green}{37.7}$$

➤ We are very happy that you chose WP and the College of Science and Health to pursue your post-secondary education.



➤ We are here to help and please don't hesitate to drop me an email if you have any question about the programs offered by the College of Science and Health. My email address is zelekem@wpunj.edu.