## **Career PREP (Psychology Readiness Enhancement Program)**

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The purpose of the Career PREP (Psychology Readiness Enhancement Program) is to educate prospective and current psychology students on major(s), career outlooks and salary. Programs will include information sessions, employer panels, workshops, and classroom presentations. The proposal also outlines opportunities for collaboration between the Psychology Department, the College of Undergraduate Studies, and Career Services. Program Components: 1) Career Services will offer the Career PREP Certificate; 2) Career Services will offer targeted pre-Career Expo programming each semester focusing on psychology students; 3) Career Readiness Curriculum in PSY. The preliminary name of the course will be Touchstone. High-impact activities include internships, co-op, undergraduate research, undergraduate teaching assistantships, etc. Career Services will coordinate a faculty and staff meeting to create an opportunity for faculty and staff from Career Services, the Psychology Department, and the College of Undergraduate Studies to meet, brainstorm, and generate collaboration.