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Dear Colleagues and Prospective Students,

Rowan University's Clinical Psychology Ph.D. Program presents a unique learning environment for its graduate students. A distinguishing feature of the program is the training in both integrated primary care and health psychology. Students in their second year will complete clinical rotations in the University Wellness Center, as part of both the mental and physical health programs. Training in both of these areas prepares students for research and practice in both academia and health care settings, including integrating behavioral health into primary care. Graduate students in our program can also have Interdisciplinary collaborations with both of our medical schools (Cooper Medical School of Rowan University and Rowan School of Osteopathic Medicine). Rowan University is one of just two institutions in the nation with medical schools granting both D.O. and M.D. degrees. Furthermore, our graduate students can conduct research with our M.D. Anderson Cancer Center site, New Jersey Institute for Successful Aging, and others. Thus, students are continually exposed to health-related topics in and out of the classroom.

Our 2018 recruitment year was a success as we received over 40 applications, and we are looking forward to 2019. We have received approval for our APA site visit (January 24 and January 25th, 2019) as part of the APA Accreditation on Contingency process. We are excited to see the results of our site visit. We would like to encourage *all* students who are interested in an intellectually stimulating, scientist-practitioner, and culturally-relevant education to apply to our Clinical Psychology Ph.D. Program at Rowan University. The faculty have diverse backgrounds, high standards of ethical practice, and are dedicated to a wide range of clinical and research areas. Rowan University is ranked among the best public universities in the North by U.S. News and World Report. Rowan University is located in the heart of Southern New Jersey, surrounded by the beautiful states of Pennsylvania and Delaware, and about 30 minutes from Philadelphia.

The application deadline is January 1st. Please visit the department's website for more information www.rowan.edu/clinicalpsych. Below, I have highlighted some aspects of the program that may be of particular interest:

- \$1000 tuition per semester and annual stipends
- Graduate students are personally mentored by their research lab advisor
- Close proximity to relevant organizations and research and clinical training sites
- Financial support for select advanced graduate students
- Energetic, productive faculty with cross-discipline research collaborations
- Rowan University is located in Glassboro, New Jersey, 20 minutes southeast of Philadelphia, one hour from the Jersey Shore beaches and less than two hours from New York City.
- The Glassboro area offers much to explore, including shopping, restaurants, outdoor recreation areas, farmers' markets, and the South Jersey Wine Trail. See www.visitsouthjersey.com for more information.
- Faculty lab information: https://academics.rowan.edu/csm/departments/psychology/clinical/people.html

We appreciate you forwarding the announcement to students and colleagues. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Best Regards,

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