

Rochester Psychology Internship Consortium 2025-2026 Seminar Calendar*

Thursdays: Session A: 1:00-1:55PM In Person (P): URM C Strong Recovery
 Session B: 2:05-3:00PM Zoom (Z):

Date	Topic	Presenter
Aug 14	A & B: Psychodynamic Psychotherapy / ISTDP	Dr. Rupa Kalahasthi (Z)
Aug 21	A: Loneliness B: Neuroscience, Addiction, and Pain	Dr. Lisham Ashrafioun Dr. Paul Geha
Aug 28	A&B: Anxiety Disorders	Dr. Jaime Elizabeth Blackmon (Z)
Sept 4	A & B: Disturbances of Retinal Structure and Function in Schizophrenia Spectrum Disorders, and their Clinical Implications	Dr. Steven Silverstein (P)
Sept 11	A & B: TBD	Dr. Melissa Heatly
Sept 18	A & B: Nicotine Replacement Therapy in Schools	Dr. Holly Russell
Sept 25	A & B: Trauma and Self Care	Dr. Elizabeth Meeker (P)
Oct 2	A & B: Post Doc Panel	Dr. Cassandra Berbary (Z)

Date	Topic	Presenter
Oct 9	9:00am-4:00pm Full Day Supervision Training	Julie Achtyl, MS, LMHC, CASAC-M (P)
Oct 16	A & B Private Practice	Dr. Brian Amos (P)
Oct 23	A: ER & SUDS B: TBD	Dr. Jade Malcho (P) TBD
Oct 30	A & B: Exposure Therapy	Dr. Jake Swartwout (P)
Nov 6	A & B: Secondary Traumatic Stress & Self Care	Dr. Elizabeth Meeker (P)
Nov 13	A & B: Antidepressants, Anxiolytics, and ADHD	Dr. Gretchen Foley (P)
Nov 20	A: Health Psychology B: Co-occurring Pain Management and OUD/SUD	Dr. Garry Spink (Z)
Nov 27	No Seminar	
Dec 4	A & B: TF-CBT	Dr. Sarah Donovan (Z)
Dec 11	Intern Case Presentations (Z)	
Dec 18	Intern Case Presentations (Z)	
Dec 25	No Seminar- Holiday	

QUARTER 3 (January 1 – March 31)		
Date	Topic	Presenter
Jan 1	No Seminar- Holiday	
Jan 8	No Seminar- Intern Interviews	
Jan 15	A: Risk and treatment for suicidal behavior in high risk patients with substance use disorder.	Dr. Ken Conners (P)
Jan 22	A & B: Evidence Based Trauma Treatment Approaches	Dr. Cory Crane (P)
Jan 29	A & B: Addiction Psychiatry (Title TBD)	Dr. Myra Mathis (P)
Feb 5	A & B: Evidence Based Practice for Family Therapy	Dr. Christopher Dehon
Feb 12	A & B: Dialectical Behavior Therapy	Dr. Sarah Donovan and Kristina Zurich (Z)
Feb 19	A & B: Digital Healthcare & RiTch CBT	Dr Caroline Easton (P)
Feb 26	A: Overview of Neuropsychological Practice	RRH Neuropsychology (P)
	B: Challenges to Accurate Assessment	RRH Neuropsychology (P)
March 5	A & B: Assessment Practice	RPAT Supervisors (P)
March 12	A & B: CBT for Youth	Dr. Becky Zill (Z)
March 19	Intern Assessment Presentations (9am-11am)	
March 26	Intern Assessment Presentations (9am-11am)	

QUARTER 4 (April 1 – June 30)		
Date	Topic	Presenter
April 2	TBD	
April 9	A: Memory Function and Dysfunction	RRH Neuropsychology (P)
	B: Acquired Brain Injury	RRH Neuropsychology (P)
April 16	A & B: Antipsychotics, Mood Stabilizers, and MAT	Dr. Gretchen Foley (P)
April 23	TBD	
April 30	A & B: Metabolic Health and Mental Health	Dr. Alexey Breuss (P)
May 7	A & B: EPP & Limited Permits	Dr. Cassandra Berbary & Dr. Courtney McKinney (P)
May 14	Intern Research Presentations	
May 21	Intern Research Presentations	
May 28	Intern Research Presentations	
June 4	Intern Research Presentations	
June 11	Internship Celebration (12:00-2:00)	

*Schedule is subject to change depending upon presenter availability. Check regularly for updates to the seminar calendar.