

## 2026 Undergraduate Summer Research Picnic and Seminar Series

- All USRA students are required to attend each of the six seminars, either the Tuesday offering or the Wednesday offering, whichever one best fits their schedules
- Lunch will be provided at each seminar
- Attendance will be taken at each seminar
- Seminars will begin promptly at the scheduled times
- Students are requested to arrive early to get lunch and be seated before the seminar begins
- All seminars will be held in Berkman Hall (BH)

**Picnic:**            **Thursday, June 11, 11:30 AM- 1:00 PM**  
**Mather Mansion (MM), Room 113, 2605 Euclid Avenue**

**Seminar #1: *Graduate School Application* - Prof. Shawn Ryan**

*Attendance Option #1:* Tuesday..... June 9 .....12:00 .....BH 136

*Attendance Option #2:* Wednesday ..... June 10 .....12:00 .....BH 136

Attendance at one of these two sessions is required for all USRA students

**Seminar #2: *How to do Research* - Prof. Daniel Munther**

*Attendance Option #1:* Tuesday..... June 16 .....12:00 .....BH 136

*Attendance Option #2:* Wednesday ..... June 17 .....12:00 .....BH 136

Attendance at one of these two sessions is required for all USRA students

**Seminar #3: *Training Your Gut—Applying Rigor to Creativity* - Prof. James Joyce**

*Attendance Option #1:* Tuesday..... June 23 .....12:00 .....BH 136

*Attendance Option #2:* Wednesday ..... June 24 .....12:00 .....BH 136

Attendance at one of these two sessions is required for all USRA students

**Seminar #4: *Exploring Graduate School at CSU – College of Graduate Studies***

*Attendance Option #1:* Tuesday..... July 7 .....12:00 .....BH 136

*Attendance Option #2:* Wednesday ..... July 8 .....12:00 .....BH 136

Attendance at one of these two sessions is required for all USRA students

**Seminar #5: *Job Search and Interviews* – Prof. Michael Horvath**

*Attendance Option #1:* Tuesday..... July 21 .....12:00 .....BH 136

*Attendance Option #2:* Wednesday ..... July 22 .....12:00 .....BH 136

Attendance at one of these two sessions is required for all USRA students

**Seminar #6: *What do think about the program? Open discussion* – The Office of Research**

*Attendance Option #1:* Tuesday ..... August 4.....12:00 .....BH 136

*Attendance Option #2:* Wednesday ..... August 5.....12:00 .....BH 136

Attendance at one of these two sessions is required for all USRA students