



Postdoctoral Psychology Research Program

Welcome to TIES! As a postdoctoral psychology fellow, you will complete a research project during your fellowship year. You have the opportunity to lead new data collection efforts or work from existing projects. A list of previous, current, and upcoming research projects, presentations, and publications will be provided for reference.

Postdoctoral fellows will use findings from their research project to:

- **Prepare a research poster that can be presented at a relevant conference, or**
- **Prepare an abstract for a manuscript.**

Although presenting findings at a conference or contributing to a manuscript is encouraged, the goal is that your research project will inform presentations or papers at TIES moving forward. Additionally, fellows will present their findings at an internal TIES research forum at the end of the training year.

Timeline

Below is a tentative timeline to keep projects on track.

- **Fall** *Identify, Review, Clarify*
 - Identify research area(s) of interest
 - Select research topic, develop research questions
 - Review the literature and formulate hypotheses
- **Winter** *Research Design and Plan*
 - Solidify research design and methods
 - Work with research team to obtain IRB approval, if necessary
 - Choose deliverable outcome (e.g., poster, manuscript, etc.)
 - Begin preparing deliverable
- **Spring** *Data Collection, Analysis, and Preparation*
 - Collect, clean, and organize data and/or prepare existing dataset for use
 - Conduct appropriate analyses to answer research question(s)
 - Continue working on deliverable
- **Summer** *Dissemination*
 - Submit research findings in form of poster presentation, manuscript abstract, or other approved format
 - Present findings at TIES research forum

Meeting Attendance

You will attend two separate research meetings per month:

- Monthly TIES Research Meeting: You will sign up for rotating presentations to provide updates on your current project and receive feedback from the team
- Monthly individual meeting with the research manager to discuss project specifics, timeline, and expectations
- Office hours are available weekly