

Northeastern University

Institute for Health Equity and Social Justice Research

DECEMBER 2024 NEWSLETTER

Upcoming Events

A promotional poster for an "End of Semester Celebration!" event. The poster features a large red circle in the center containing the event details. The background is light beige with decorative red lines and white snowflake icons. In the top right corner, there is a large pink circle with red diagonal stripes. The text is in a clean, sans-serif font.

N Northeastern University
Public Evaluation Lab

End of Semester Celebration!

Join NU-PEL for our final Open Lab meeting of the semester as we wrap up the year with a celebration! Enjoy snacks and good company—don't miss it!

Wednesday, December 4th
INV 308, 1:30pm - 2:30pm



YOU ARE INVITED TO OUR

READING DAY OPEN HOUSE

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12-2PM

INTERNATIONAL VILLAGE ADMINISTRATIVE
OFFICES - 1165 TREMONT ST
THIRD FLOOR

Lunch will be served.

PLEASE RSVP TO THE CALENDAR INVITATION

Institute News and Updates

The **Huntington 100** honors outstanding junior and seniors for achievements which are commensurate with the university's mission, ideals, values, and Academic Plan.

We want to congratulate all past and present Health Equity Interns who were inducted into the Huntington 100 this fall!

Migue Darcera

COS '25, Current Health Equity Intern

Jasmine Elsayed

COS '25, Current Health Equity Intern

Kaela Herzog

Bouvé '25, Fall 2022 Health Equity Intern

Victoria Horard

Bouvé '25, Current Health Equity Intern

Janelle Lardizabal

COS '25, Current Health Equity Intern

Maame Obeng

COS '25, Current Health Equity Intern

Prachi Thakur

COS '25, Fall 2023-Spring 2024 Health Equity Intern

[Click here](#) to view the full list of Huntington 100 honorees!

YOUTH SPEAKS BOSTON SURVEY

TURN YOUR VOICE INTO ACTION

The Youth Speaks Boston (YSB) survey is now collecting ideas to tell us what young people in Boston are experiencing and what support they feel is most important.

SUBMIT YOUR RESPONSE TODAY!

Take part in Youth Speaks Boston - the first-ever citywide youth needs assessment to focus on Boston residents ages 14 to 25 during afterschool and after-work hours! You or anyone you know ages 14-25 who lives in Boston is eligible to take the survey and help us shape future policies, programs, and resources. Click [here](#) to submit your response or visit boston.gov/youthspeaks for more information! The press release can be read [here](#).

SPREAD THE WORD

Click [here](#) for a social media toolkit to help you spread the word within your network!

RUSSELL WOMEN IN SCIENCE LEADERSHIP SCHOLARS PROGRAM

The Mills Institute is offering a scholarship opportunity through the *Russell Women in Science Leadership Scholars Program*. The program is designed to empower and inspire the next generation of women and non-binary science leaders by providing hands-on research experience, mentorship from faculty, and leadership opportunities.

Through the program, students will have the opportunity to work with a Northeastern faculty member on a science research project that aligns with their interests for 10 weeks during spring semester, receive one-on-one mentorship from faculty each week, and receive a \$2,000 scholarship for Spring 2025.

The program is open to Northeastern undergraduate women and non-binary students based on the Boston and Oakland campuses who are interested in pursuing scientific research.

Contact Miki Hong (m.hong@northeastern.edu) or click [here](#) to learn more!

Important Dates

Application Deadline
December 17

Notifications Sent
January 6-10

Program Launches
January 20



Fall 2024 PEAK Base Camp Awardees

Project-Based Exploration for the Advancement of Knowledge (PEAK) Awards are an opportunity for undergraduate researchers to gain new experiences in research and work with a mentor to advance their goals and projects.

We want to congratulate all the IHESJR affiliated undergraduate students who received PEAK Base Camp awards this fall!

Ikeoluwa Adedokun, COS '25

Massachusetts Paid Family and Medical Leave (PFML) and Postpartum Maternal Mental Health
Mentor: Alisa Lincoln, Bouvé, Health Sciences

Sahara Baral, Bouvé '25

Biographical Disruption in Young Adult Cancer Survivors
Mentor: Linda Blum, CSSH, Sociology and Anthropology

Emma Bitterman, Bouvé '26

ECMH FIRST
Mentor: Beth Molnar, Bouvé, Health Sciences

Mia Cain, Bouvé '27

STAR: Stimulating Training and Access to HIV Research
Mentor: Idia Thurston, Bouvé, Health Sciences

Ami Farrell, CSSH '27

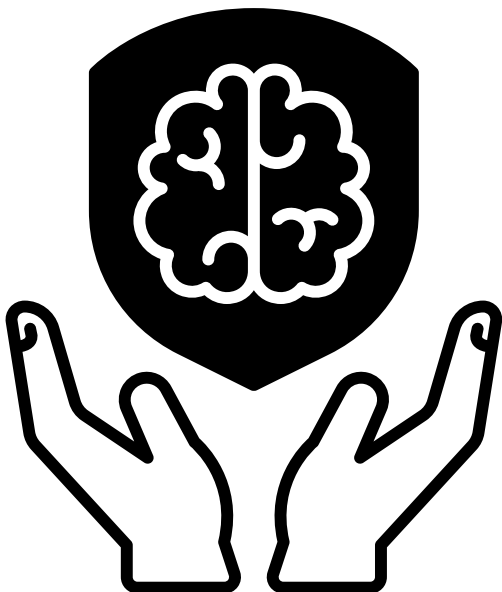
Salus Populi: Evaluating a Judicial Education Program
Mentor: Katherine Hazen, CSSH, Criminology & Criminal Justice

[Click here](#) for the Undergraduate Research and Fellowships' news article featuring all the awardees and their project details!

(Please refer to our October newsletter for our Ascent, Summit, and Shout-It-Out awardees)

Self-Care Spotlight

♥ A resource to consider using to center your wellbeing and care for yourself. ♥



As finals season approaches, taking care of yourself is increasingly important. [Click here](#) to view guides to university resources for obtaining and providing support.