

NSU Department of Counseling Newsletter

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*Message
from the
Chair*



Dear NSU Department of Counseling:

Summer has officially arrived, and it started with a bang! Proud faculty, family, and friends cheered as counseling students walked across the stage during commencement on June 14th. Many students graduated with honors and most had secured job offers to begin their journey as counselors in the community shortly after degree conferral. We are so proud of our current and soon-to-be NSU alums!

The department of counseling is always looking toward the future and is already preparing for the Fall 2019 semester. It is also an exciting time for students who are beginning their practicum experience. As a reminder, be sure that you are enrolled in the *Department of Counseling Student Center* in Canvas. You will receive notifications about important program deadlines, department events, and professional opportunities.

We are dedicated to keeping students informed about our department. As we finish up the Summer 2019 term, take some time to look at our [Department of Counseling Program Evaluation Report and Annual Report](#). In these reports, you will find valuable department information, learning outcomes, and statistical data that may be of interest to you. Faculty also use this information for important program and curriculum modifications.

Wishing you all a wonderful remainder of the summer term!

Go Sharks!
Tara S. Jungersen Ph.D., LMHC, CCMHC, NCC
Department Chair

Counseling Student Spotlight



Alejandra Martinez

As this academic year comes to an end, I can only reflect on valuable experiences lived and the knowledge gained. Despite many challenges and with an unconditional support from all NSU administration and faculty, I have completed this year successfully and with many accomplishments. My role of school counseling representative for the School Counseling Organization, allowed me to organize the first practicum/internship panel of the School Counseling Masters concentration. I am thankful for our experienced professors who passionately share their knowledge and honored to have been selected to represent NSU at the Florida School Counselor Association's Emerging Leaders Program for the 2019-2020 year.

*Shout out to my amazing cohort! Together, we succeed.
- Alejandra Martinez*

Graduate Reception & Commencement 2019



Commencement Reception 2019



Counseling graduates, faculty, and family members gather to celebrate our graduates at NSU's 2019 graduate reception and commencement

ACA conference New Orleans 2019



Dr. Bradley McKibben proudly received the 2019 ACA Research Award



Top: Counseling department faculty gather at the NSU ACA Alumni & Friends Reception
Middle: CSO and FCA counseling student leadership gather with Dr. Carly Paro



Dr. Shannon Karl and counseling student Paula Lazarim received NSU's College of Psychology Honors Medallion

Save The Date!

2019-20 Professional Development Opportunities

Florida Counseling Association Convention

Oct. 4-5, 2019 Tampa, FL

Florida School Counselor Association Convention

Nov. 7-9, 2019 Orlando, FL

Florida Mental Health Counselors Association Conference

Feb 6-8, 2020 Lake Mary, FL

American Counseling Association Convention

April 16-19, 2020 San Diego, CA