University of Mississippi Communicative Sciences and Disorders

CSDINTHENEWS

Message from the Chair



It is my pleasure to welcome everyone to browse through our CSD Spring 2023 Newsletter!

This newsletter provides a slight glimpse into a variety of exciting things going on in the CSD department. To get ongoing information on a continuous basis, please visit our social media posts:







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Happy summer and congrats to all our grads!

WHAT HAPPENED THIS SEMESTER



NSSHLA; About NSSHLA and the new President



Sensory Easter made kids so 'hoppy' this year



Spring Labs offered for graduate clinicians



Mississippi Day



A look into the Fees Labs



PLG Program; About the program and events

NSSHLA

NSSLHA, National Student Speech Language and Hearing Association, hosts food and toy drives, providing tutoring, advocating for causes such as apraxia and autism awareness,



and reaching out to Mississippi legislators in regards to accessibility for the hearing impaired, NSSLHA members show their support for the Oxford-Lafayette community each year.

Through monthly meetings and a wide array of social and volunteer events, NSSLHA offers a network for CSD students and faculty to engage in and invites both undergraduate and graduate students to join.



Caroline Pickens, BS CSD, '24

NSSHLA's new 2023-2024 President is Caroline Pickens.

Caroline is a rising senior at the University of Mississippi. She is currently a member of the Chi Omega sorority, Handband, NSSLHA, Active Minds, Big Event, Psychology Club, and is also active in the Oxford University Methodist College Ministry.

Caroline decided on Communication Sciences and Disorders as her major because of her interest in stuttering. Throughout Caroline's life, her dad stuttered and she watched as it affected his life in many different ways. She wanted to learn more about stuttering and what treatments were available.

"I love the CSD program at Ole Miss. There are many opportunities to have hands on experiences in the field and professors truly care about their students."

-Caroline Pickens

STUDENT HIGHLIGHTS



Communication Sciences and Disorders '24



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This year, CSD students Lilly Drane and Elizabeth Johns were selected to be a part of Mortar Board Honor Society.

Mortar Board is a National Honor Society that recognizes college seniors for their exemplary scholarship, leadership and service.

Spring 2023 Labs

The CSD program offers a variety of labs and clinical opportunities for graduate clinicians to have hands-on learning.



Students doing hearing tests in the Audiology Clinic.

Students in the Voice Lab watch videos of people's vocal cords.





Dr. Snyder's class does research on speech impairment.







Students conduct teletherapy sessions with clients over Zoom.





FEES Lab

The FEES (fiber-optic endoscopic evaluation of swallowing) Lab is intended to give students an introduction to normal adult swallowing and the use of Flexible Endoscopy to assess swallow structures and function.

The university offers two FEES labs. The first lab is mandatory, and includes manipulation of the endoscope and gaining comfort with its use on various objects and a medical manikin. The 2nd lab is open for any students who have completed the first lab and who would like to receive training on the use of FEES with live, human patients.

CONGRATULATIONS TAYLOR MEDALISTS!



University of Mississippi B.S. in CSD, '23



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Sensory Easter

Ole Miss NSSHLA hosted their annual Sensory Bunny in April.

This Easter event caters to children who require a more sensory-friendly environment.

The event had all sorts of fun activities and games such as sitting with the Easter Bunny, finding eggs on an Easter egg hunt, and petting a baby goat!

Children got to experience the fun of a usually high paced environment in a more chill and relaxing way.













CSD student shows a prospective student how to use a FEES machine

Mississippi Day

Mississippi Day is an annual event open to the public.

With hands-on activities, free performances, exhibits and tours, and demonstrations, Mississippi Day engages and informs visitors about the valuable contributions the university makes to the people of Mississippi and beyond.

PLG Program

The Preschool Language Group (PLG) is an early education program that provides group and individual language intervention in a language-rich environment.

This semester, children part of the HILL and PLG programs made cards for Valentine's Day, decorated masks and made bead necklaces for Mardi Gras, had a blast experiencing an sensory ice bath.



Graduation Reception





Congratulations CSD Graduates!

Madison Lynn Aivaz Sarah Marie Aukamp Lindsey Ann Axthelm Elizabeth Anne Baird McKinley Elizabeth Baker Meghan Julianna Balos Anna Catherine Benes Tive MacKenzie Blackmon Adelaide Campbell Blank Molly Catherine Bowman Megan Wertz Boyden Lucy Payton Brinson **Emily Elizabeth Broussard** Sarah Margaret Bryan Sydney Nicole Burnette Kirsten Elizabeth Busby Rachel Grace Canup Taniya Deshadrin Counslor Alexis Jade Crowther McKenzie Morrow Cummings Mallory Elizabeth Dale Lucy Louise Dexter Mallory Rose D'Jock Mary Preston Dubberly Alana Rachel Edmonds Hailey Alaise Edwards Chloe Ann Farrar Summer Grace Ferrell Sara Wilson Fielder **Emily Grace Flessas** Anna Parks Flynt Claudia Gonzalez Kyle Dekendric Gordon Lelia Molly Katherine Gray Logann Michelle Griffith Parker Elizabeth Grisham Maison Ainsley Hall Sarah Christian Harrison Olivia Alyece Hill Kelly Leanna Horton Erica Howard

Camille Ruth Howell **Brittany Nicole Hurst** Nora Elizabeth Hynes Hannah Patton Jacoby Aniya Michelle Johnson Dominique Yvette Joy Katherine Grace King Elizabeth Walker Knotts Rebekah Lin Kolka Molly Kress Carson Elizabeth Kuhr **Emily Lake** Chynna Symone Lee **Emily Anne Lewis** Emma Jean Lochen Meagan Nicole Macklin Malina Elizabeth Mangrum Sydni Kaye McAtee Alexis Anne McLarty Kacie Nicole McMinn Alena Marlene Mendoza Myrian Nakia Menzie La'Randa Le'Sha Mickell Elizabeth Middleton Isabella Maria Milano Anna Leigh Montgomery Kathryn Elizabeth Moore Kylie Karson Moore Madilyn Ann Morris Anna Claire Moses Francesca Louise Myerski Baylee Adron Oakes Caroline Gay Parker Faith Leigh Patton Julia Elise Penny Kristen Louanne Perry **Bridget Nichole Prine** Brianna Therese Purviance Morgan Elizabeth Reed **Emily Elizabeth Reid Emory Leigh Rhodes**

Helen Danielle Roy Elisabeth Grace Rutherford Molly Elizabeth Scott Alli Ray Seago Ayanna Tateyanna Teshana Shaw Meredith Courtney Sides Shelby Rene' Sivik Aryanna Grace Stephens Cameron Elizabeth Stout Alexandria Marie Swoboda Annie Laurens Tanner Kaler Ann Terry Emily Katherine Tupper Ruth Emmon Tyson Shamia Nicole Wadley Nikki Diane Waldo Taria Idallis Washington Noah Watts Niajah Elise Wilkerson Ashlynn Faith Williams Kendall Isabella Wilson **Amv Kate Winter** Ashley Rivers Womack Anna Madison Wood Bailey Addison Wood **Emily Dalton Woods** Madeline Ann Zurbrugg



Congratulations CSD Masters Graduates!

Carley Anne Armstrong
Sydney Michelle Baines
Allison Grace Barkeley
Katie Jewel Brownlee
Lauren Paige Conlee
Randi Leigh Cox
Malak Dawoud
Anna Slaton Dennis
Cassidy Alexandra Dodson
Katelyn Jo Geringswald
Mary Kate Harmon Lovell
Rachel Harper
Jacey Elizabeth Logan Jenkins

Neale Kemp
McKenna Paige Lindsey
Jenna Nicole Maceovsky
Savannah Carroll McCutchan
Macy Renee Oatts
Lauren Elizabeth Penny
Amelia Joy Pongetti
Katie Elizabeth Prange
Anna Michelle Robinson
Kevyn Nolan Selakovich
Kamryn Slay Shields
Kalee Noelle Sigworth
Madeline Gale Simpson

Katelyn Nicole Strong
Shannon Taylor Tapp
Olivia Thomas
Charlotte Warfield
Ariana Grace Warner
Anne Regan Watson
Morgan Dunaway Watson
Olivia Collier Weeden
Sarah Marie Weicks
Ava Ahlean Whitfield

CLINIC CO-DIRECTORS

Brad Crowe Co-Director Speech and Hearing Center and Clinical Instructor





Rebecca Lowe Clinical Associate Professor and Co-Director of Speech & Hearing Clinic

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