

UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION IN PSYCHIATRY

PsychSIGN National Conference

The Dalhousie Department of Psychiatry is interested in supporting medical students who are considering psychiatry as a potential career.

We are offering to provide the travel costs for one student from Dalhousie Medicine to attend the annual Psychiatry Student Interest Group Network (psychSIGN) conference held in conjunction each year with American Psychiatric Association (APA) conference.

The psychSIGN conference is otherwise free for students to attend (registration, accommodations and some meals).

This year's APA conference is in **San Francisco, May 18–22, 2019**.

Please see the psychSIGN website for specifics of the conference and information regarding accommodations and registration*.

We recommend pre-registering asap to ensure a spot is saved for you, in case you win! www.psychsign.org

If you are interested in attending:

- Submit a brief (1 page) letter outlining the reason(s) for your interest in attending the conference to Dr. Cheryl Murphy, Psychiatry Undergraduate Director at murphyc@dal.ca
- **Submissions must be received by Friday, February 15, 2019 at 5pm** to be considered. From all submissions, 1 student will be selected and will be notified by February 22, 2019.
- Following the conference, the successful student will be asked to submit a brief (1-2 paragraph) summary of their experience at the conference, describing what they gained from attendance, for publication in the Department of Psychiatry newsletter, *Headlines*.