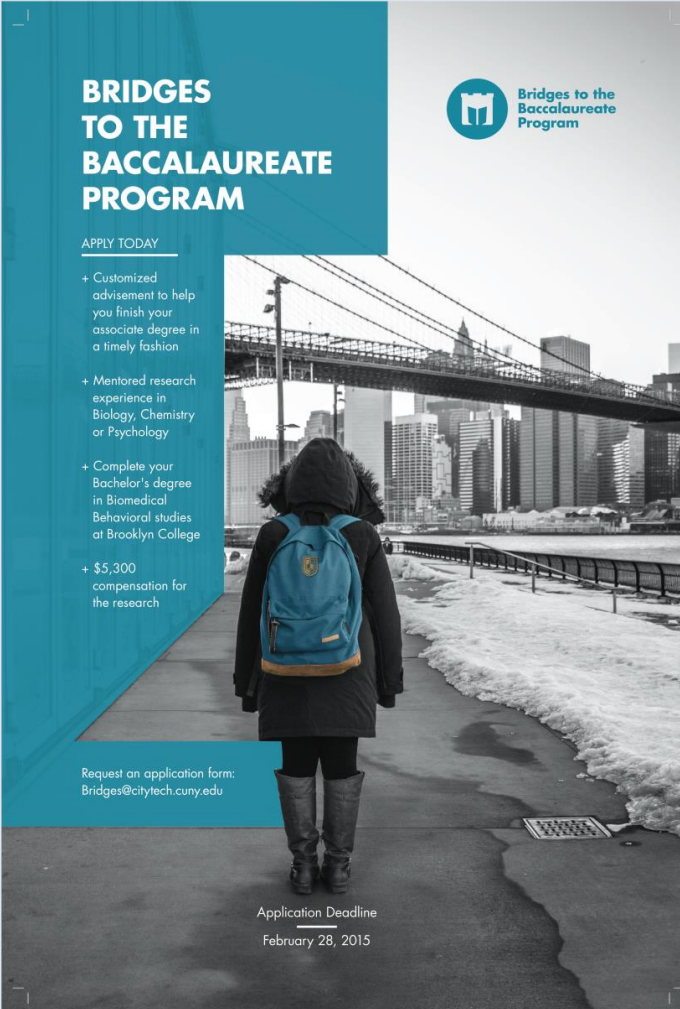


# WELCOME BRIDGES SCHOLARS!



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TO THE  
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**APPLY TODAY**

- + Customized advisement to help you finish your associate degree in a timely fashion
- + Mentored research experience in Biology, Chemistry or Psychology
- + Complete your Bachelor's degree in Biomedical Behavioral studies at Brooklyn College
- + \$5,300 compensation for the research

Request an application form:  
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Application Deadline  
February 28, 2015



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# **Our Team**





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# **Our Main Goal**

To support **underrepresented** students, earning **associate degree** in LAS, Chem Tech, UH at City Tech, to **complete their bachelor's degrees** in Biology, Chemistry and Psychology, including PreMed at Brooklyn College

**What to expect from us and what will be the expectations from you?**



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# Components of the Program

- 1. Customized Advisement - Personal Academic Success (PAS) Plan:** curricular programming; academic progress check points; transfer preparation plan; Coordinator – Prof. Armando Solis; Advisors: Biology - Profs. Tatiana Voza, Armando Solis and Nathan Astrof; Chemistry – Prof. Diana Samaroo; Psychology – Profs. Pa Her and Jean Hillstrom; Transfer Coordinator – Prof. Tatiana Voza.
- 2. Research Skills Academy (RSA)** – a three-week training program, **\$12/h for ~ 60hrs.** The program is mandatory.

**Goal** - to provide knowledge, skills, ethics and experiences that will engage you in the biomedical and behavioral sciences.

  - learn the scientific method and the principles of scientific research
  - a series of workshops, mini-labs in the three disciplines (Biology, Chemistry and Psychology) on both campuses and exposure field trips. Please, see the schedule. Coordinator – Prof. Nathan Astrof;
  - Bring Lab coats for Biology and Chemistry



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# Components of the Program

**3. Peer Mentoring/Peer Support** in Mathematics and Chemistry - pre-semester preparatory workshops (in August)

- work with peer-leaders in mathematics and chemistry
- 4 peer leaders in math and 2 in chemistry are in training to work with Bridges scholars starting in fall 2015 (based on needs).

Coordinators – Profs. Janet Liou-Mark and Diana Samaroo

**4. Second Year Experience (SYE)** - faculty-mentored research experiences in Bio, Chem or Psych, 10 weeks of each semester, 10h/week, **\$12/h. Mandatory**; Coordinator Prof. D. Samaroo; Each Bridges scholar will be paired with a City Tech faculty mentor in their selected academic field. Mentors will submit a research training plan that covers the academic year over the 2 semesters with learning objectives and expected outcomes for the participants. Seminars, workshops, posters.



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**5. Summer bridge research** - 8-week mentored research at Brooklyn College during the “transfer” summer i.e., just prior to the Fall-semester matriculation (2016);

**\$ 3,000+ compensation;**

Presentations at local and national scientific meetings

**6. Website of the Bridges program - STRIDE**

Coordinator – Prof. Pa Her





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# REQUIREMENTS TO STAY IN THE PROGRAM

- **Maintain GPA of 2.8**
- **Full Time status**





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# Questions?

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