

## SISP 2009 Application Form

### 1) Contact information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (    ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

### 2) Background information

Your doctoral university: \_\_\_\_\_

Years of graduate study completed (as of July 2009)<sup>1</sup> : \_\_\_\_\_

Name of major advisor: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of your doctoral university:

U.S./Canada    Europe    Other (please specify: \_\_\_\_\_)

Race/ethnicity (please select one):

American Indian

Asian/Pacific Islander

Hispanic

Black, not of Hispanic origin

White, not of Hispanic origin

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Your gender:

Female

Male

---

<sup>1</sup> Only students who are entering their 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, or 5<sup>th</sup> year of graduate study are eligible for SISP.

### 3) Course Preference

Rank-order the courses in which you are interested, giving the highest rankings to courses that are *not redundant with your own specialization*. **Ideally, the summer course will complement your existing knowledge and skills by giving access to topics that you would not be able to study in such depth in your own department.** Rank 1=first choice, 5=fifth choice. Assign ranks to only those courses that you would be interested in taking (e.g., you may choose to rank only your first choice, only ranks 1 and 2, etc.); if you give a ranking to a particular course, you are indicating that you will enroll if you are admitted into it.

\_\_\_\_ Biological Basis of Social Behavior and Personality (Iris Mauss & Oliver Schultheiss)

\_\_\_\_ Conflict and Negotiation (Adam Galinsky & Michael Morris)

\_\_\_\_ Emotions in Group and Intergroup Contexts (Ernestine Gordijn & Eliot Smith)

\_\_\_\_ Prejudice and Stereotyping (Jack Dovidio & Laurie Rudman)

\_\_\_\_ Relationship Development and Maintenance (Eli Finkel & Jeff Simpson).

### 4) Workshop Preference (Methodological and Statistical issues)

Rank-order preference (rank 1=first choice, 2=second choice, 3=third choice):

\_\_\_\_ Item Response Theory (Steve Reise)

\_\_\_\_ Meta-Analysis (Blair Johnson)

\_\_\_\_ Ambulatory Assessment (Matthias Mehl)

### 5) Application checklist:

- Be a member of SPSP (if not already a member, you may join upon acceptance)
- Submit this completed application form <sup>2</sup> along with:
  - Your vita (2-page maximum)
  - A statement of research interests (1-page maximum)
  - A letter of recommendation from your major advisor (or another faculty member familiar with your research), with his/her signature across the envelope's seal

Send all materials in time to arrive no later than Jan. 30<sup>th</sup>, 2008, to: Eli Finkel, Department of Psychology, Swift Hall #102, Evanston, IL, 60208. The deadline for European students to contact Sybille Classen is December 31, 2008.

---

<sup>2</sup> In cases of serious financial need, costs typically borne by the SISP student can be waived. If you would like to be considered for one of these *rare, need-based scholarships*, please include a paragraph explaining the nature of your financial situation. Please indicate in this paragraph whether you would still like to be considered for SISP (i.e., whether you would attend if admitted), even if funds cannot be provided.