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Ph.D. Program in Developmental Psychology

The Developmental Psychology Ph.D. experience at the Graduate Center CUNY is unique! We have diverse faculty and students doing basic and applied research in the heart of New York City. We cultivate *critical developmental scholars* by guiding student development in innovative and traditional approaches to research, practice, theory, and policy.

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Areas of Research

Education and policy, civic engagement, inequality, migration, societal conflict and change, parent-child relations, children's rights, locomotion, neurodiversity identity development, new technologies, language-learning, disability, and more.

Expertise

Students learn to investigate development and transition across the lifespan through training in frameworks such as sociocultural and activity theory, equity and social justice lens, qualitative, quantitative, mixed methods, and narrative analysis.

Positions

With these tools, our students go on to work in diverse settings throughout academia, research centers, education, governmental and non-governmental policy institutions, health care settings, media companies, and beyond.

Developmental Faculty Highlights:

New Books by Developmental Faculty

Colette Daiute

Martin Ruck

Anna Stetsenko

New Faculty Grants

The Role of Sleep in Infant Motor Learning

Sarah Berger

An Investigation of Cradling on Development

Lana Karasik

Application & Funding

Fall Deadline: **December 1st**

We provide Graduate Center Fellowships (GCFs), Five-Year Tuition Fellowships & more. Our department is also funded as the host of the APA Graduate Student Teaching Association.

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