

OAKLAND UNIVERSITY™

Gender and Sexuality Center



That's a wrap on Pride Month 2021!

Pride Month 2021 wraps up TONIGHT with the Lavender Graduation celebration - information to attend can be found below! The Gender & Sexuality Center would like to thank all of our attendees, event hosts, and corporate sponsors for helping make this year's event a success!

Special Announcements

Lavender Graduation Celebration

In recognition of 2020 and 2021 graduates, the Gender and Sexuality Center is inviting you to join us for this year's Lavender Graduation Celebration. The event will take place on TONIGHT - Friday, April 9th - from 4-6pm Eastern Time over Zoom.

[Join the Event](#)

Summer Positions Available

The Gender and Sexuality Center is hiring for TWO summer staff positions! The Educational Programming Assistant will be responsible for developing and identifying educational programming opportunities for the GSC's Peer Mentors, while the History Project Assistant will be responsible for recording and documenting the history of the GSC so it can be shared with the campus community for years to come. Applications can be found on Handshake and are due April 15th!

[**View Educational Assistant Posting**](#)

[**View History Project Assistant Posting**](#)

The GSC is Hiring!

In addition to our summer positions, the Gender and Sexuality Center is also hiring student assistants for Fall 2021! Information about the position as well as information on how to apply can be found by following the button below. For questions, please contact Grace at gawojcik@oakland.edu or the GSC at gsc@oakland.edu.

[**View Student Assistant Posting**](#)

Project LGBTQ Study

The GSC wants to pass along information about an LGBTQ+ study being conducted:

I am Elizabeth Taylor, a doctoral graduate student in the department of psychology at Oakland University, under the direction of Dr. Michele Parkhill Purdie, Associate Professor in the department of psychology, the faculty advisor for this project. I am conducting a research study to better understand the role of identity acceptance and resilience for someone who identifies as LGBTQ+.

I am recruiting individuals who are 18 years of age or older and who identify as LGBTQ+. The research will take approximately 35-45 minutes to complete. When you click the link, you will be asked to complete a short screener, which should take no more than 2 minutes. After that, you will be shown the consent form. If you consent to participate, you will then continue to the rest of the survey.

Your participation in this study is voluntary. There is no compensation for completing this survey, rather, we are hoping, with your help we can gain a better understanding of the importance of the role social, parental, and self-acceptance have in successful outcomes for those who identify as LGBTQ+.

The research will take place online.

If you have any questions concerning the research study. Please contact me at elizabethtaylor@oakland.edu or contact my faculty advisor, Dr. Michele Parkhill Purdie, parkhill@oakland.edu

[Take the Survey](#)

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