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Dear Sophomore Psychology Concentrators,

*Welcome!* We're excited you've chosen psychology as your concentration. We see psychology as a hub discipline that spans questions from the neuron to the neighborhood and answers them with an empirical approach. We hope through our plentiful course and research offerings you will find many ways to pursue your interests.

**Important Announcements:**

- We will be sending a weekly email every Thursday (today's being the first!) with important updates and information! **You are responsible for the information that is included in these messages sent to your class listserv** (psych17-list). In case you miss an email, you can find it on our [Announcements webpage](#).
- A **Sophomore Welcome Event** will be held during the first week in February (2/2/15-2/4/15). Because psychology is a large concentration and has advising set up by House, we have divided the Houses into three groups and you will attend the event for your House cluster. This will be an opportunity to mingle with other concentrators and advisers. More details to come!
- We are pleased to offer you a dynamic advising team that includes:
  - Your [house assigned psychology adviser](#), who you've already met
  - The **advising team in the Undergraduate Office** ([Laura Chivers](#) & [Melissa Dias](#))
  - The **Research Adviser** for Psychology, [Danielle Truxaw](#), who is available to meet with students about identifying a research area of interest and the thesis process
  - Your **Head Tutor**, [Mahzarin Banaji](#), who is available any time to discuss questions of a deeper nature about psychology or your career as it relates to your concentration

We hope you will reach out early and often so we can help guide your way.

Sincerely,

Mahzarin Banaji  
Head Tutor

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Advising Administrator

Melissa Dias  
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Jessica Estariz  
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