



Peer Advisor Selection Guide

2005—2006

Welcome to the Peer Advisor selection website! Below, you will find short biographies of each advisor. Please read through each one, and then respond with up to five choices for your desired Peer Advisor. It's up to you to decide how to pick your advisor – similarities in home regions, academic interests, and hobbies all might be considered. Once you've made up your mind, let us know by using the form that we included in our email to you. Simply hit "Reply," and then fill in the names of the advisors that you'd like to have (our email address is CaseFAMPeerManager@case.edu, and our fax number is 216-368-4718). **Please return your choices to us no later than August 10th, 2005.**

You'll hear from your Peer Advisor in August, before you come to Case for the Welcome Days portion of Orientation. He or she will be available to answer any questions that you have before you make your final move, as well as give you advice about anything Case-related.

Thank you, and have a great summer!

Sara Abdollahian

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AIM Screen Name: monkeyinaround18

Major(s): Biology, Anthropology

Minor(s): Chemistry

Extracurricular Activities: Persian Club, Volunteering, Pizza Club, Research, Greek Life

Hobbies/Interests: Soccer, Reading, Hanging out, Cooking, Meeting new people!

“Good luck with your first year here at Case! Explore all of your opportunities and learn all that you can! Above all, HAVE FUN!”

Preston Baliga

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AIM Screen Name: kasehibiscusking

Major(s): Biology, Chemistry

Minor(s): Theater

Extracurricular Activities: Skiing and snowboarding, Scootering, Exercising, Speech Society

Hobbies/Interests: Hangin' out, Fine Arts, Animals, Public Transportation, doing almost anything with friends.

“Congratulations on being accepted to Case! Welcome to the most fun chapter of your life – college! If it's anything but that, let me know.”

Peer Advisor Bios

Katherine Allen

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AIM Screen Name: rowMeARiver

Major(s): Geological Sciences

Minor(s): Evolutionary Biology

Extracurricular Activities: Crew, Trumpet (Case Symphonic Winds), Guitar, Choir, Geology Club

Hobbies/Interests: Rowing, Hiking, Sea kayaking, Reading (anything I can get my hands on), Writing (poetry, short stories).

“Welcome to Case! I can't wait to meet you all and help you navigate through your first year here. You've come to a great place, with lots of room to create an undergrad experience that feeds your own interests and dreams. Buckle your seatbelts, you're in for a wild and wonderful ride! (P.S. You're driving.)”

Damon Bosetti

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AIM Screen Name: mrjinxies

Major(s): Aerospace Engineering

Minor(s): American History

Extracurricular Activities: Air Force ROTC, Orientation, Greek Life, Wing Icing Research

Hobbies/Interests: Model Rocketry, Swimming, Sleeping, Cooking, Playing with my cat.

“Leave your high school GPA and test scores at home. When you get to college, you get the chance to (perhaps for the first time) completely redefine yourself. Enjoy it!”

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Ashley Aultman

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AIM Screen Name: alamorphus

Major(s): Biology, Music

Extracurricular Activities: Women in Science and Engineering Roundtable, Case Orchestra, Violin performances

Hobbies/Interests: Music, Movies, Reading, Jogging

“Welcome to Case!”

Christine Chambers

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AIM Screen Name: singer567

Major(s): English, French (Pre-Law)

Minor(s): Music, Political Science

Extracurricular Activities: Class officer, Orientation, Musical Theater, Greek Life

Hobbies/Interests: Singing, Reading, Writing, Traveling, Hanging out with friends.

“Welcome to Case! I can't wait to meet all of you and work with you. Get ready for a great four years!”

Chris Chang

Case Email: christopher.chang@case.edu

AIM Screen Name: watchtower316

Major(s): Psychology, Anthropology, Biology

Minor(s): Chemistry

Extracurricular Activities: Juggling Club, Volunteering, Ballroom Dance Society

Hobbies/Interests: Biking, Reading, Hanging out and just having fun.

“Don’t forget your toothbrush.”

Lora Doleh

Case Email: lora.doleh@case.edu

Major(s): Psychology, Religion

Minor(s): Childhood Studies

Extracurricular Activities: Orientation, Daycare Volunteer, University Singers, Greek Life

Hobbies/Interests: Music, Singing, Movies, Writing, Shopping

“Welcome new friends! I am really looking forward to meeting you and being a part of your fabulous first year here at Case - - it only gets better from here!”

Weng-Tink Chooi

Case Email: weng-tink.chooi@case.edu

AIM Screen Name: wengtink

Major(s): Biomedical Engineering

Extracurricular Activities: Housing and Residence Life, Koinonia Christian Fellowship

Hobbies/Interests: Dance (swing, salsa), Music, Arts, Books, Movies

“I’m so glad you’re joining us at Case!”

John Erickson

Case Email: john.erickson@case.edu

AIM Screen Name: Tigersharkz

Major(s): Biology

Minor(s): Biochemistry, Chemistry

Extracurricular Activities: Varsity Swimming, Orientation, American Medical Students Association

Hobbies/Interests: Reading, Mario Kart DD, Poker/card games, Working out, Wasting time on the internet.

“Success starts with determination, and fun starts with YOU! Welcome to Case!”

Vincent DeGeorge

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AIM Screen Name: majik8balo

Major(s): Psychology

Minor(s): Chemistry

Extracurricular Activities: AMSA, Project Sunshine, Research in Neuroscience Lab, Psi Chi Psychology Honor Society, Psychology Club

Hobbies/Interests: Clubbing, Sports, The beach, Reading, Movies

“Welcome to Case! I hope you guys are as psyched to start the year as I am! Let’s get ready for some serious fun.”

Teresa Evans

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Major(s): Biochemistry

Minor(s): Psychology

Extracurricular Activities: Music – Flute, AXS Chemistry Honor Society

Hobbies/Interests: Reading, Origami, Music

“Welcome to Case!”

Lynn Fairchild

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AIM Screen Name: supermanic66

Major(s): Psychology

Minor(s): Art Studies, Childhood Studies

Extracurricular Activities:

Research, Volunteering, Work

Hobbies/Interests: Movies, Playing guitar, Running, Sleeping, Eating

“Good luck! It’s gonna be a long strange trip.”

Jason Hudak

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AIM Screen Name: myzero13

Major(s): Chemistry

Minor(s): Spanish

Extracurricular Activities: Case Crew Team, AXS Chemistry Honor Society, LEO Club, RHA Food Committee Rep, Research Lab Assistant

Hobbies/Interests: Nutrition/Exercise, Music (except rap and country), Video games, Film/Movie culture, Chemistry/Biology

“Hey all, hope you guys are ready for a great year. I won’t lie; college is hard work, but if you find what you love, that “work” soon becomes exciting and fun. Hope you’re ready to study, party, and most importantly, have fun while exploring all that Cleveland and Case have to offer.”

Mark Fitzgerald

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AIM Screen Name: mtf7cwru

Major(s): Chemical Engineering

Minor(s): Economics

Extracurricular Activities: Adopt-a-School Mentor, Golden Key Honor Society, Player’s Theatre Group, Greek Life

Hobbies/Interests: Skiing, Traveling, Soccer, Racquetball, Musical Theatre

“Welcome to Case. Make the most of your college experience and enjoy yourself.”

Jonathan Jou

Case Email: Jonathan.Jou@case.edu

AIM Screen Name: doublejmoney

Major(s): Management (Finance), History

Minor(s): English

Extracurricular Activities: Hockey, Greek Life, Student Turning Point Society, Alpha Phi Omega community service organization

Hobbies/Interests: Staying busy, Enjoying my time with my friends, Watching OSU football, Reading good books.

“Freshmen, welcome to the first life experience that you can truly shape. Life is short so I encourage all of you to make the most of it, live life to the fullest and with no regrets. Case is truly what you can make it.”

Mary Clare Heaney

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AIM Screen Name: clarebear33

Major(s): Nursing

Extracurricular Activities: Tutoring (Student Instructor)

Hobbies/Interests: Running, Yoga, Reading, Movies, Walking outside

“Welcome to Case! I hope this year is an exciting and positive experience for everyone. Enjoy and good luck!”

Jennifer Kalb

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AIM Screen Name: barbourbeliever

Major(s): Physics

Minor(s): English

Extracurricular Activities: Physics Club, XENON Dark Matter Search, Yoga, Writing

Hobbies/Interests: Reading, Music, Cooking, Being a hardcore physics nerd, the outdoors.

“Welcome to Case! I look forward to meeting & working with you! If you have any questions about or interest in physics or English, don’t hesitate to get in touch.”

Jennifer Kotzin

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AIM Screen Name: laasmu

Major(s): Mathematics, Physics, Psychology

Extracurricular Activities: Women in Science and Engineering Roundtable, Film Society, Marching Spartans, Symphonic Winds, Psi Chi Psychology Society

Hobbies/Interests: Music, Reading, Movies, Games

“Welcome to Case! Have a great summer. Relax and enjoy the time you have with your family and friends and try to set up plans to stay in touch now. Other than that, bask in the glory of graduation and I look forward to seeing you in the fall.”

Jennifer Mohler

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AIM Screen Name: cwrula

Major(s): Anthropology, Art History

Minor(s): Natural Science

Extracurricular Activities: University Program Board, Art History Club, Footlighters

Hobbies/Interests: Knitting, Movies, Concerts, Working out, Meeting new people

“Welcome! You are about to begin some of your most rewarding and exciting times. The more you put in, the more you’ll get out! I hope you enjoy, and I can’t wait to meet you!”

Peer Advisor Bios

Connie Martin

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AIM Screen Name: pinapl upsidwn

Major(s): Biology

Minor(s): Chemistry, Anthropology

Extracurricular Activities:

Residence Hall Associaton, Greek Life, Molecular Biology Research Assistant, Biology TA

Hobbies/Interests: Graphical Art & Design, Reading, Cooking, Running, Shopping

“College, like anything, is what you make of it, so try new things, meet new people, study hard, but get out and have fun. Welcome, class of 2009 and congratulations!”

Mansi Patel

Case Email: mansi.patel@case.edu

AIM Screen Name: mnsptl

Major(s): Biology, Psychology (Pre-Med)

Minor(s): Religion, Chemistry

Extracurricular Activities: Indian Student Association, EKTA Dance Troupe, Research, Rainbow Babies Hospital Volunteer, Project Sunshine

Hobbies/Interests: Dancing, Eating, Shopping, Reading, Music

“Welcome to Case! These next four years will be exciting, challenging, and hopefully some of your best. Make the most of your time here, get involved, meet new people, work hard, and just have fun.”

Peer Advisor Bios

Seetal Mishra

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Major(s): Biomedical Engineering (Pre-Med)

Minor(s): Psychology, Chemistry

Extracurricular Activities: Amnesty International, EKTA Dance Troupe, Indian Student Association, Project Sunshine

Hobbies/Interests: Movies, Dancing, Community service, Videogames, Reading

“Welcome to Case! I hope you're ready for some of the best experiences you'll ever have. Get ready to study (of course), have a great time making new friends, and have a blast in Cleveland! We welcome you with open arms!”

Monica Patel

Case Email: monica.patel@case.edu

Major(s): Management

(Entrepreneurship concentration) (Pre-Dental)

Minor(s): Biology, Spanish

Extracurricular Activities: Project Sunshine, Alpha Phi Omega community service organization, Case Pre-Dental Society, EKTA Dance Troupe, Volleyball Club

Hobbies/Interests: Dance, Volleyball, Music, Running, Shopping, Watching “24”!

“Welcome to Case! The next four years are definitely what you make of them, so get involved, meet as many people as you can, be yourself, and HAVE FUN!”

Pankti Patel

Case Email: pankti.patel@case.edu

AIM Screen Name: panksp999

Major(s): Biomedical Engineering (Pre-Med)

Minor(s): Chemistry

Extracurricular Activities: Indian Student Association, Biomedical Engineering Society, Project Sunshine, EKTA Dance Troupe, Research

Hobbies/Interests: Dancing, Music, Movies, Eating, Singing in the shower.

“Welcome to Case, where you will experience the most exciting, challenging, rewarding and memorable moments of your life. Hope you make the best out of your undergraduate experience at Case!”

Brandon Roush

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AIM Screen Name: crusin02

Major(s): Management

Extracurricular Activities:

Intramural sports, High school baseball coach, Adopt-a-School Mentor, Greek Life

Hobbies/Interests: Skiing, Golfing, Dirt bike riding, Rodeos

“Congratulations on your enrollment in Case, and I look forward to seeing you on campus.”

Kristin Poinar

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AIM Screen Name: hubbrisroyale

Major(s): Physics (B.S.), English (B.A.)

Extracurricular Activities: Physics & Astronomy Club, XENON Dark Matter Search

Hobbies/Interests: Being outside, Going places, Music, Phish, Texas Hold 'em

“Make friends with your roommate!”

Richard Schenkelberg

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AIM Screen Name: korderoy

Major(s): Chemistry, Psychology

Minor(s): Biology

Extracurricular Activities: Organic Chemistry Supplemental Instructor, Hospital volunteer, Chemistry exam grader, contributing editor to Dr. Ocasio's "Principles of Chemistry"

Hobbies/Interests: Pre-med, Movies, Working out, Going to Cape Cod, Pearl Jam!

“Having been with CaseFAM for a year, take it from me – this program is awesome! I look forward to seeing you soon!”

Jarrold Predina

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Major(s): Biology, Chemistry

Extracurricular Activities: Varsity Soccer, Greek Life, Lab Assistant, Volunteer at Rainbow Babies Hospital, Teaching Assistant Trainer

Hobbies/Interests: Sports, TV, Relaxing, Research

“Case has a lot of great opportunities that you can take advantage of. CaseFAM will allow you interact with people who have participated in virtually all of these activities.”

Mike Shi

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AIM Screen Name: SimpleBrainCells

Major(s): Biomedical Engineering, Management

Extracurricular Activities: CaseFAM, Tau Beta Pi Engineering Honor Society, BME Research, Golden Key

Hobbies/Interests: Sports, Music

“Be ready to explore and don't be afraid of trying new things.”

Lauren Smith**Case Email:** lauren.smith@case.edu**AIM Screen Name:** loryn02**Major(s):** Biomedical Engineering**Extracurricular Activities:** Spartan Tappers, Biomedical Engineering Society, University Singers Choir, Madacol Modern Dance Club, Functional Electrical Stimulation Center Lab**Hobbies/Interests:** Dance, Plays and musicals, Cool restaurants and clubs, Outdoor activities

“I’m hoping to share with you both the academic resources and the fun things that I have discovered at Case. There are a lot of new things to absorb your freshman year, and I’m excited to help expose what Case has to offer and help you learn to balance it all for the best experience possible!”

Jeremy Winkler**Case Email:** jeremy.winkler@case.edu**AIM Screen Name:** redwink**Major(s):** Chemistry, Environmental Studies**Minor(s):** Spanish**Extracurricular Activities:** Soccer, Get on the Six Program Coordinator, Faculty Senate Committee on Libraries, AXS Chemistry Honor Society, RA**Hobbies/Interests:** Rock Climbing, Backpacking, Frisbee, Ping Pong, Hosting a hip-hop radio show on WRUW.

“I hope you are excited to turn the page and start on a new chapter of your life here at Case, with lots to explore on campus and throughout the city of Cleveland.”

Abbie Vinson**Case Email:** abigail.vinson@case.edu**Major(s):** Biomedical Engineering**Minor(s):** Chemistry**Extracurricular Activities:** Alpha Phi Omega, Residence Life**Hobbies/Interests:** Music, Reading

“Welcome to Case!”

Matt Wholey**Case Email:** matthew.wholey@case.edu**AIM Screen Name:** cwru2**Major(s):** Spanish, Chemistry, Political Science**Extracurricular Activities:** Case In Point a Capella, Greek Life, AXS Chemistry Honor Society, Case Concert Choir, Volunteering**Hobbies/Interests:** Music, Books, Social Justice, Community Service, Running

“Case is an exciting place! Welcome to what will become the most rewarding and challenging experience of your life to date!”