



TAKING ON TRANSITION: A RESEARCH STUDY FOR YOUNG ADULTS WITH AUTISM

The transition to adulthood can be both exciting and difficult for young adults with Autism Spectrum Disorders and their families. Chapman University's *Families and Schools Together (F.A.S.T.)* team, in collaboration with The Center for Autism & Neurodevelopmental Disorders, is offering an innovative intervention program and research study opportunity for young adults with Autism. Through this study they will learn the basic skills required to successfully transition to adulthood, and participate in assessments that will guide them in choosing a career path supported by their unique individual strengths and interests.

FALL/WINTER 2017 AND SPRING 2018 – 16 WEEKS, BEGINS AUGUST 2017

TOPICS INCLUDE: GOAL SETTING, ORGANIZATION, TIME MANAGEMENT SKILLS, RESUME BUILDING, INTERVIEW PREP, MOCK INTERVIEWS, SOCIAL SKILLS IN THE WORKPLACE, CAREER INTERESTS, CHOOSING A CAREER PATH, ASSESSMENTS OF CAREER PREFERENCES & PERSONAL STRENGTHS AND WEAKNESSES

Eligibility Requirements:

- This study is for adolescents and young adults ages 16-22 with a diagnosis of Autism
- Must be English speaking
- Must be able to attend all 16 weeks of the program
- At least one parent or guardian must be available to attend the parent sessions

This study is free of cost to families. Reserve your spot, space is limited!

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