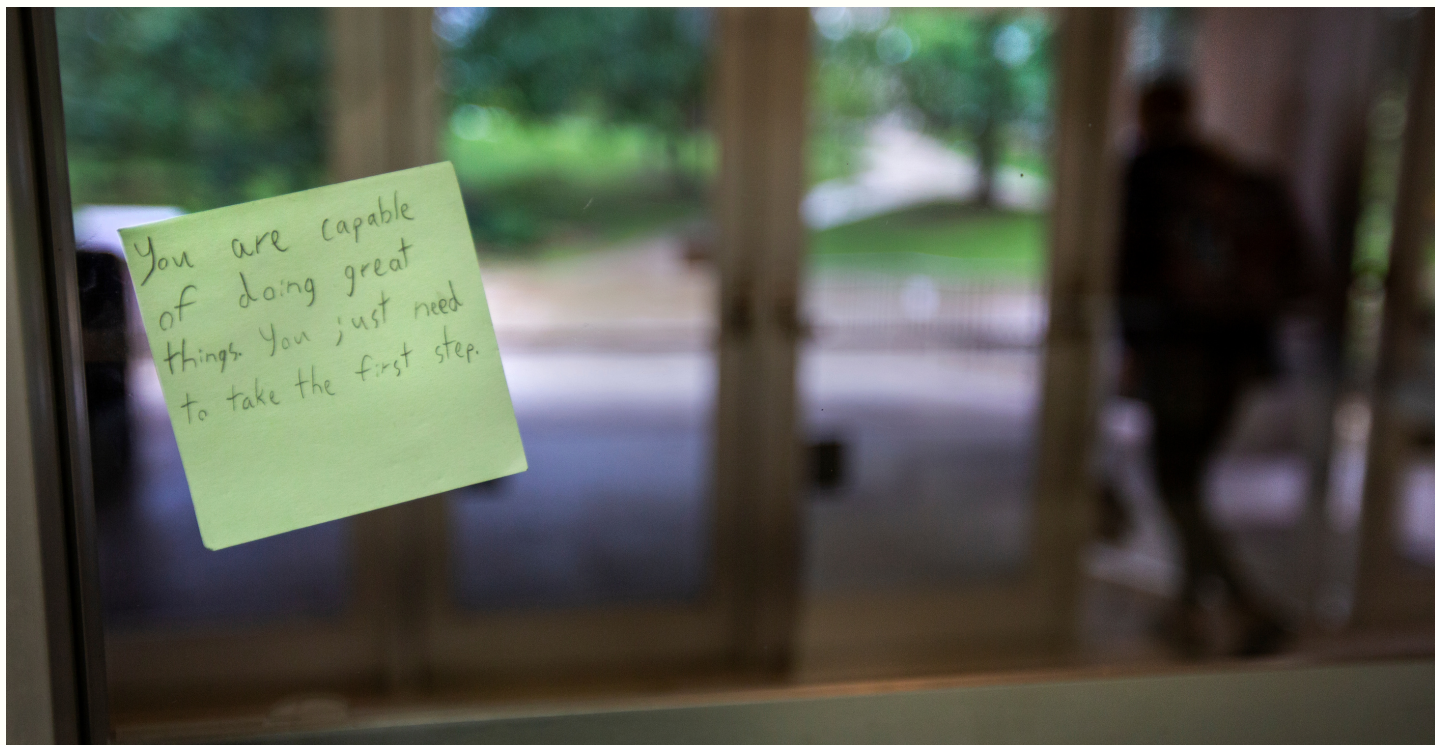


EXPLORATION INSIDER

A monthly newsletter of major and career exploration tips, events, reminders, and advice!



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Academic & Career Planning

INTRAUNV 144 Course
Thursdays 1-1:50pm

This class is designed to provide students with an approach to career and academic development that includes career assessment, educational/career research, clarification of majors, and career interests. Students will also learn about school and work related decision-making and goal setting processes.



Consider enrolling in this course for Spring 2021!

UPCOMING DATES

**11/2- Winterim
Registration**

**11/19-11/23:
Freshmen
Registration for
Spring '21**

**Check WINS for exact date
and time. Must have
advising hold removed.**

**11/27: Last day to
withdraw**

(Drop all classes)



Graduate Student Spotlight:

Emily Sanger (she/her/hers)

Emily earned her undergraduate degree at the University of Nevada-Reno in Spring 2019.

Emily is a second-year graduate student in the Higher Education and Leadership Graduate program. Emily also works in University Housing as an Assistant Complex Director and in the Pride Center as their Practicum Intern.

What was your first major and what did you change it to?

I started as a Drawing major and changed it to Human Development and Family Studies.

What made you decide to change your major?

I liked my RA (Resident Assistant) job so much, that I wanted to switch to a major that would aid me in my student affairs career. Being able to learn about developmental stages and theories while also getting the opportunity to have a practicum and internship class helped me gain professional skills I now use all the time.

Who supported you through the major change process?

My supervisor and my floor partner as my floor partner was already a Human Development and Family Studies major going in to student affairs.

What is some advice you have for other students who are considering changing their major?

Don't be afraid to question what it is you want to do. You may feel hesitant because it could add a semester to your college career, or you are unsure of what you would do with that major. However, I am a big advocate for doing what's right for you, not what fits everyone else's idea of the "college experience." Academic and career advisors will help you find your path!

EXPLORATION TIP OF THE MONTH

Visit Career and Leadership Development and talk with a [Career Advisor](#)! They can tell you about specific majors and their career outcomes. Career and Leadership Development offers resources like resume workshops, help with finding an internship, and interview tips!