



## ***Professional School Counseling Journal Emerging Scholars Program***

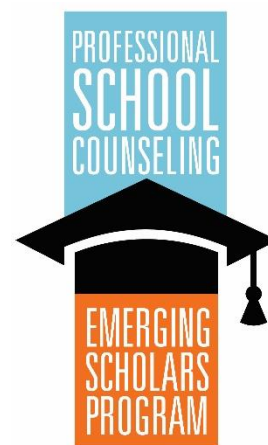
### **Leaders**

Emily Goodman-Scott and Sam Steen (associate editors, Emerging Scholars, *Professional School Counseling* journal)

### **Purpose**

To support the next generation of school counselor educators and the greater profession. Specifically, the PSC Emerging Scholars program aims to:

- Assist Emerging Scholars advance their scholarship, understand the culture of academia and build community with others in a similar place in their career.
- Improve research quality in the school counseling field, including developing proficient reviewers for and future scholars likely to publish in *Professional School Counseling*.
- Assist in diversifying the researcher and academic pipeline in the school counseling profession.



### **Eligibility**

School counseling doctoral students, as well as practicing school counselors and school counseling faculty in the first 3 years of their career. Individuals representing racial, gender and sexual minorities are especially encouraged to apply.

### **Responsibilities and Time Commitment**

Each Emerging Scholar will participate in a two-year cohort. During this time, their commitment includes approximately 3-5 hours a month (during the academic year), including (a) a two-hour meeting each month, and (b) at times reading, groupwork, and editorial review-work outside of meetings.

As part of this cohort, members (a) agree to apply to be a PSC reviewer at the conclusion of this cohort program/their doctorate (and if selected, to serve for a three-year term), and (b) agree to submit at least one study to PSC within the following 18-24 months after completing the cohort.

### **Application Process**

- Interested individuals will **submit an application by Sept. 29, 2025, at this [link](#)**. Participants would be chosen by ASCA staff and PSC associate editors, including Emerging Scholars program leaders, by mid-May. The first Emerging Scholars program cohort will begin work in January 2026.

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