

Div II - Div III Transition

Advice from Div III Students

- Div III committee - really important
- IRB - asking for people for help; from others;
- Funding or money, getting in touch with faculty re funding - CORC listing of grants,
- pooling funds from multiple grants
- start early
- resource - Carla Costa, creativity center
- work with someone who is tough and honest
- accept of harsh criticism
- Div III committee - member, don't limit to content area, if can't find perfect person, find someone who knows you and can support you, mix of members
- don't take it too seriously - it's a learning process, failures throughout give you lots to write about
- strive to feel challenged
- keep a journal, so you can literally see the process
- do not judge yourself by comparing yourself to others, all Div III's are different
- just do something every day
- having your committee being hard on you - tough love - but know what you want to do and what you want get out of it
- Div III shouldn't be your life - it's your last year at hampshire; practice self care
- find a friend, a roommate, someone who knows you as a sounding board/confidant
- ghost advisor - can be really helpful for content or process
- next level peer mentoring - find someone who did something kinda similar in the Div III Archive online or in the Library and contact them - can you take their work further

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- time off btw Div II and Div III - was tough to come back and have very different ideas
- Spring-Fall version of Div III - you have the summer to think about things; more time for research; but, less of community