Welcome to Summer Semester!

**Dates & Deadlines:**

June 10: Last day for graduate students to file [Graduation Application](#) for summer graduation.

July 17: Last day for master’s and doctoral comprehensive examination or thesis/dissertation defense if the student plans to graduate summer 2018; last day for approval of thesis, dissertation, or professional paper (if the professional paper is submitted to the library) by the [Formatting Advisor](#).

August 3: Last day to withdraw summer graduation application; last day to file a fall [one-credit extension](#) graduation application.

Summer deadlines: Regardless of the summer session in which a degree candidate is enrolled, the above deadlines are the same.

[Click here to review future deadlines](#).

**Professional Development Activities for Graduate Students**

**Inter-Campus Science and Engineering Symposium Call for Abstracts**
Abstracts due June 8th end of day
**Symposium Event:** June 13th 9:00 am – 5:00 pm
**Chemistry and Biochemistry Building, Byker Auditorium**

This event is open to graduate students and post-docs interested in sharing their research with others on campus to foster collaboration. Research presentations will be featured throughout the day and lunch will be provided. Register [here](#).

Questions: [humberto.sanchez@montana.edu](mailto:humberto.sanchez@montana.edu).

**June 14: EndNote Basics Workshop**
3:00 – 4:00 pm
**Renne Library, Innovative Learning Studio**

Learn how the new EndNote X8 makes formatting citations and managing bibliographies easy! Learn how to search, import records, add notes, manage PDFs and format papers. Register [here](#).

**June 21: EndNote Q&A**
4:00 – 5:00 pm
Renne Library, Innovative Learning Studio
Learn more about advanced EndNote features. Bring your questions about EndNote, EndNote Online, citations, sharing libraries or any related queries to this open workshop. Register here.

Department of Microbiology & Immunology Scientific Proposal Writing Course (MB591)
Tuesdays and Thursdays 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM, July 31st – August 30th
In today’s highly competitive funding climate, research scientists and engineers must be skilled grant writers. The goal of this course is to provide doctoral students with strategies, practical skills, and experience in seeking funding for their research as well as writing and evaluating scientific proposals. The student should leave this course with a research proposal that is ready or near-ready for submission to an identified funding agency. Instructors: Dr. Blake Wiedenheft and Dr. Eric Boyd. Email Ileana.yatesjohnson@montana.edu to sign up or ask questions.

Volunteer Opportunities

Gallatin College, MSU Dual Enrollment Access and Outreach Project VISTA
Serve with Gallatin College to increase first generation, low income, rural high school students’ access to post-secondary education through dual credit courses. As a VISTA you will use technology to remove barriers for students through the creation and implementation of an online dual enrollment orientation, registration process, and instructor training workshops. Apply to serve here.

Gallatin Valley Summer Lunch Internship with HRDC
The HRDC Summer Lunch Program is a rewarding internship opportunity that involves preparing meals for summer meals sites, delivering/serving and supervising meals at site locations and supporting volunteers in a variety of tasks. Summer lunch interns will work alongside volunteers, interns, AmeriCorps VISTA’s and Community Café staff in a kitchen environment as well as outdoors for meal service Summer Lunch provides nutritionally-balanced meals to local children during the summer months at 11 meals sites across the valley. To apply, submit a resume and cover letter to Lyra Leigh-Nedbor summerlunch@thehrdc.org.