

THE SCHOLARS' CORNER BULLETIN ~ August 29, 2017

Dates & Deadlines

September 20 – Last day for graduate students to file ["Graduation Application"](#)

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

Dear MSU Graduate Students,

The MSU Writing Center will again be offering support through cross-disciplinary graduate writing groups this semester.

In a writing group, you will find that you deepen and advance your own writing experience. You have an immediate audience of peers for testing your ideas and writing, and you have access to others' processes and revisions, which may inform your own. Cross-disciplinary writing groups offer the additional benefit of allowing you to hear how researchers outside of your field respond to your writing. Finally, writing groups offer accountability in the writing process by establishing deadlines that will help you move your writing forward.



A Writing Center facilitator will participate to help guide the discussion, but the sessions ultimately revolve around the dialogue and needs of the writers.

If you are a current MSU graduate student who is interested and available to attend writing group meetings during the fall semester of 2017, [please share your contact information via this Google form.](#) We will contact you with more information concerning dates and times.

We look forward to working with you!

Warmly,

Erin Strickland

The Writing Center, Graduate Student Specialist

Final Reminder! Student representatives are needed to serve on the [University Graduate Council](#) (UGC), the [President's Commission on the Status of University Women](#) (PCSUW), and [Associated Students of Montana State University \(ASMSU\) President Advisory Council](#).

This is your chance to play an active role in matters pertaining to graduate education at Montana State University. The Graduate School will review applications and select students to serve on these committees. Decisions will be made by September 8, 2017. The attached application has additional information about UGC, PCSUW, and ASMSU. *The deadline to apply is 5:00 pm, Thursday, August 31.*

The Graduate School Gets Social! We're on [Twitter](#) (@MSU_Grad_School) and [Facebook](#) (@MontanaStateGradSchool). Follow us to hear news about students, alumni, faculty, and staff, and share news of your own!

Professional Development Activities for Graduate Students



October 3 – ETD (Electronic Theses & Dissertations) Workshop

Time: 1:00 – 2:00 pm
Location: Renne Library Innovative Learning Studio

Join a discussion with the MSU Library and The Graduate School to learn about how your research is archived at the Library and other library data services.

Save October 19 for the Graduate Student Research Rendezvous!

This poster session will feature graduate students from all academic colleges. This is an opportunity for students to present their research, receive feedback from a panel of judges, and compete for prizes. Details will be communicated to all graduate students as soon as they become available. [Click here to find out details about previous Research Rendezvous.](#)



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