Graduate College News and Events

May Newsletter

Upcoming Workshops

Graduate Student Financial Planning Workshop
The Graduate College and BB&T Bank are offering a financial planning workshop based on the needs of graduate students. This workshop will focus on personal financial planning, credit scores and identity theft. You may attend the workshop at either of the below times.

May 28, 2013
noon-1 p.m.
Student Support Services Building, SU-132
May 30, 2013
5-6 p.m.
College of Business, BU-409

To register, click here.

Questions? Contact Janelle Petak at petakj@fau.edu

Scholarly Writing Workshops

Presenting Scholarly Work, Producing Scholarly Publications and Developing Theses & Dissertations, presented by Dr. David Reamer of the University of Tampa. There is no fee to attend, and students may participate in one, two, or all three workshops. Class sizes are limited; be sure to reserve your space early.

PRESENTING SCHOLARLY WORK

Friday, June 7, 2013, 9-11 a.m.

General Classroom South, GS-119

This workshop focuses on preparing and presenting scholarly work at conferences, seminars, and in other academic settings. Topics covered will include: following presentation format/guidelines, tailoring presentations/talks to a specified audience, presenting arguments concisely and appropriately, selecting the best media for presentations, and producing handouts and other visuals.

PRODUCING SCHOLARLY PUBLICATIONS

Friday, June 7, 2013, noon-2 p.m.

General Classroom South, GS-119

Writing is an important part of a graduate student’s intellectual and professional development. Participants will learn best practices for managing writing time as a graduate student; systems for planning, composing, revising and editing; and strategies for seeking publication. This workshop will focus on writing conference and journal papers, strategies for converting seminar papers and/or dissertation chapters into publishable articles, creating a web presence, and producing book reviews and editorials.
DEVELOPING THESES & DISSERTATIONS

Friday, June 7, 2013, 2:30-4:30 p.m.

General Classroom South, GS-119

This workshop will help students plan, research, write, revise, and edit a thesis or dissertation. The planning portion of the workshop will focus on academic timelines, committee selection, proposals, and writing cycles. Participants will learn note-taking strategies and technologies for documenting research. The writing portion of the workshop will range from strategies for composing a proposal, introduction, abstract, or problem statement to efficient practices for revising, editing and polishing the final product.

- To register please click here.

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**Deadlines for Fall 2013 Graduation**

**Friday, September 13, 2013**

Last day to submit Application for Degree to the Graduate College

**Friday, September 13, 2013**

Last day to submit Form 9, Revision to Existing Plan of Study, to the Graduate College (if needed)

**Tuesday, November 12, 2013**

Last day to submit completed doctoral dissertation (printed on draft paper) to the Graduate College for approval. Signed signature page(s) printed on bond paper must be included with the dissertation.
Monday, November 18, 2013
Last day to submit completed master’s thesis (printed on draft paper) to the Graduate College for approval. Signed signature page(s) printed on bond paper must be included with the thesis.

Tuesday, November 26, 2013
Last day to submit final manuscript package to the Graduate College

Tuesday, November 26, 2013
Last day to upload electronic thesis or dissertation (ETD) to the FAU library

**GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDENT ASSOCIATION (GPSA) NEWS AND EVENTS**

- **GPSA Summer Travel Funding Available**

  - Graduate students are eligible to receive travel funding from the Graduate & Professional Student Association to present their research and attend conferences. Funding for the summer is currently available. To apply, visit the GPSA website at [http://fau.edu/sg/services/student_travel/grad-student-travel.php](http://fau.edu/sg/services/student_travel/grad-student-travel.php) or email Kori Padron at gpsatravel@fau.edu for questions. Applications are due 5 weeks prior to departure.

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