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A Newsletter for Graduate Students in Arts & Sciences

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NOMINATIONS SOUGHT FOR AWARDS FOR EXCELLENCE IN UNDERGRADUATE MENTORING.

In the spring of 2009, the A&S Graduate Studies Advisory Board and the A&S Committee on Graduate Studies voted unanimously in support of the Board’s concept for initiating and funding these annual awards to A&S graduate students in recognition of outstanding undergraduate mentoring in scholarship and research outside of classroom teaching. A total of 16, $250 awards have been presented at the Symposium since 2010. Unlike the Teaching Assistant awards that are currently offered within some departments/programs, this award recognizes mentoring in the context of undergraduate scholarship and research outside of classroom teaching. Such mentoring might include, among other examples, graduate students who mentor undergraduates in the context of the undergraduate students' senior theses, honors theses, writing projects, term papers, or research in a laboratory, field site, museum, or archive. The 2013-2014 awards will be presented at the 2014 Graduate Research Symposium’s awards luncheon on March 22, 2014, drawing more undergraduate students and faculty to the symposium and luncheon and increasing visibility for the important contributions of graduate students in mentoring undergraduate students in scholarship and research. Guidelines and a nomination form http://www.wm.edu/as/graduate/gradadvisoryboard/undergradmentor/index.php are available for undergraduate students and faculty, who are invited to nominate current graduate students. The deadline is January 31, 2014 at 11:59 p.m. E.S.T., for receipt of a complete nomination consisting of a nomination form from a current or past W&M undergraduate student AND a second nomination form from a current or past W&M faculty member.
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2014 KEIO UNIVERSITY/ COLLEGE OF WILLIAM & MARY CROSS-CULTURAL COLLABORATION JOB OPPORTUNITY

The Keio University, College of William & Mary Cross-Cultural Collaboration is a program centered on experiential learning which allows both Japanese and American students to study questions of cultural difference and national identity. The program brings forty Japanese university students to America for three weeks to study and experience first-hand American society and culture with William & Mary graduate and undergraduate students. Students attend lectures on a variety of topics including race, religion, and pop culture while engaging with American culture firsthand through fieldwork activities such as trips to Colonial Williamsburg, Hampton University,
and a four-day stay in Washington, D.C. The Reves Center for International Studies announces two positions are currently accepting applications for the administering and overseeing of the Keio program:

**ACADEMIC DIRECTOR**

The Academic Director is responsible for overseeing the Keio/W&M Cross-Cultural Collaboration program both academically and logistically, ensuring the quality and continued development of this established and successful program. Beginning with the Spring 2014 semester, the Academic Director’s main duties will include: assisting in the selection of Classroom Instructors (CIs), who lead classroom discussions, review work produced in the classroom, and participate in afternoon and evening activities; and recruiting, interviewing, and selecting Peer Assistants (PAs), who work individually with the small teams of Japanese students to assist them with their projects and daily activities. The Academic Director will plan and hold an orientation session for PAs and CIs, and produce a tentative schedule for guest speakers, activities, and excursions. This work will be assisted by staff from the Global Education Office at the Reves Center.

The Academic Director is in charge of the general welfare of the Keio students, overall supervision of professional and student staff, the coordination of all academic, social and cultural programming for Keio students, and for the financial administration of the program.

**JOB REQUIREMENT:** Previous experience in the Keio program. Successful candidates should possess demonstrable leadership skills, strong organizational abilities, commitment to supporting the needs of students, staff, and faculty, and a strong interest in cross-cultural and/or international education.

**Compensation:** $5,500

**Application Deadline: Friday January 17, 2014**

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**ASSISTANT DIRECTOR**

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**NOTE:** Both the Academic Director and Assistant Director live with the students in the dormitory and in Washington, D.C. and will receive a meal supplement.

**JOB REQUIREMENT:** Previous experience in the Keio program. Successful candidate will possess strong team-building and communication skills, interest in cross-cultural and/or international education.

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GRADUATE CENTER PROGRAMS

The Graduate Center, located in the Stetson House at 232 Jamestown Road, offers courses and workshops intended to complement your academic curriculum. Meeting times are chosen to avoid conflicts with your primary academic commitments.

COLL 503 (Section 1): Listening, Speaking & Pronunciation Skills - 25763; Begins January 28, 2014 (0 credit, P/F) Instructor – Lee Alexander Tuesday, 5:00 – 6:50pm, Blow 332
Listening and speaking are inextricably linked. Active listening is a key component to correcting pronunciation errors, and is essential for academic, professional, and personal success. This course is designed for nonnative English speakers who wish to develop their English proficiency. A variety of resources including film, CDs, and the Internet, expose students to different American accents and speech patterns. Recorded assignments provide opportunities for self-assessment and instructor feedback.

COLL 503 (Section 2): Listening, Speaking & Pronunciation Skills - 28805; Begins January 30, 2014 (0 credit, P/F) Instructor – Lee Alexander Thursday, 7:00 – 8:50 pm, Blow 333
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COLL 530: Thesis/Dissertation Writing - 24329; Begins January 29, 2014 (0 credit, P/F) Instructor – Kristin Maurice, Wednesday, 1100 – 12:20pm, Blow 331
A course for domestic and international students beginning their theses/dissertations. Thesis/dissertation guidelines will be discussed and sample chapters from specific fields will be analyzed. In collaboration with their academic advisor and in consultation with the instructor, students will organize and write individual chapters, simultaneously reviewing and revising their writing.

COLL 550: College Teaching - 29679; Begins January 27, 2014 (0 credit, P/F) Instructors – Heather MacDonald and Sharon Zuber Monday, 2:00 – 3:20pm, Millington 117
Discussion and exploration of college teaching including general issues in college teaching; various teaching strategies including lectures, discussions, group work, writing assignments; course design, syllabus and test construction, and grading; integrating research and education; and job search and application strategies. Students will develop a portfolio to include sample assignments and a general teaching statement. Readings on teaching and learning and on university education.

UPCOMING EVENTS

IMPORTANT COMMENCEMENT INFORMATION
Anyone who is interested in Commencement 2014 is encouraged to attend -- undergrads, grad students, staff, parents, etc. It should last no more than an hour and it will be a good opportunity for students to ask any questions they might have about Commencement-related activities.
This year's Commencement Weekend is planned for May 9-11, 2014. Here are some important things to keep in mind:

How you will be contacted:
All Commencement information will be sent via your W&M email account. If you use an alternate email account on a regular basis, please make sure your email.wm.edu address is forwarded there so that you will not miss any emails.

Registration and tickets:
Degree candidates who wish to walk in the Academic Procession at the main Commencement Ceremony and receive guest tickets must register. Online registration to receive up to four (4) guest tickets will run from February 17-March 17. Degree candidates who walk in the academic procession do not need a ticket for themselves. If any tickets remain after the registration period, degree candidates may enter a lottery for one additional ticket. Stay tuned for more on this.

Regalia (caps, gowns, hoods) and Graduation Announcements:
The W&M Bookstore (757-221-1669) is your primary source for these items. You may purchase regalia and other graduation-related items at the Grad Finale sales events held as follows:
Sadler Center -- March 18 (11-6); March 19 (10-4) (For undergrad and grad students. We will send you more information closer to the time of this event)
Law School – March 13 (11-4) – Lobby (you will receive information directly from the Law School)

Student Speaker Competition:
All graduating students -- undergraduates and graduate students alike -- are eligible to apply. Please visit the “Preparing for Commencement” section of the website for more information and application instructions. The deadline to apply is March 12, 2014 (at 11:59 p.m.)

Winter grads, etc.:
Plan on coming back for the May Commencement ceremony? It is your responsibility to notify your school or department so they know you will be in attendance. If you register to receive guest tickets (and are no longer in the Williamsburg area) you will be provided with the opportunity to make alternate arrangements to receive your tickets. Information will be provided in the spring. If you have completed your degree and are a participant in this year’s Commencement we will continue to contact you via your W&M email. For additional information, check out the Commencement website. Also, follow us on Facebook and Twitter for regular updates, important deadlines, and useful information.

Important information on W&M health care and insurance eligibility for 2013-2014

Students who want to be eligible for the College Student Insurance Plan and for use of the Student Health Center in 2013-2014 should be sure to understand this information and review the information on the Student Health Center website. The 2013-2014 annual student premium is $1,541 ($709 for the fall coverage period and $832 for the Spring/Summer coverage period. It is the student’s responsibility to verify whether or not the Health Insurance Policy charge has been billed to your student account correctly. If there is a billing error, you should contact the Student Insurance Coordinator immediately. Students who want more information can contact the Student Insurance Coordinator (trsike@wm.edu) after reviewing the information provided at http://www.wm.edu/offices/healthcenter/studentinsurance/plan/index.php

Students admitted Fall 2006 or after and who register full-time or with Research Graduate status, and all F-1 and J-1 international students, will be enrolled in the College-endorsed Student Insurance Plan and the cost will be billed to their student account in two installments (fall and spring semester) UNLESS proof of other adequate health insurance coverage is provided by submitting a waiver request by the posted deadline each academic year and the waiver request is approved. Waiver requests submitted after the deadline will be considered at the discretion of the College. The waiver request is available at https://studentcenter.uhcsr.com/wm. For more information review the Insurance page of the Student Health Center website (http://www.wm.edu/offices/healthcenter/studentinsurance/waiverinfo/index.php). This requirement also applies to students who receive a W&M degree and then continue in a different W&M degree program (i.e., Bachelor's to Master's or Master's to PhD).

STUDENTS WHO WILL BE ENROLLED WITH FULL-TIME/GRADUATE RESEARCH STATUS BOTH SEMESTERS
1. If you don’t submit a waiver request by the deadline, you will have the College’s Insurance Policy billed to your student account in two installments (fall and spring semester). You MUST be enrolled at the College with either full-time or Graduate Research statuses BOTH semesters (Fall 2013 & Spring 2014) to maintain your insurance eligibility for the entire policy year (08/01/2013-07/31/2014). There is no option to change or convert your coverage later, so if you think there is a chance you may not be enrolled with full-time or Graduate Research status for the Spring 2014, read the appropriate section below.

2. Full-time or Research Graduate students who are enrolled in either the Annual, Annual in Installments or Spring/Summer coverage will continue to be eligible for the Student Insurance Plan during the Summer 2014 terms(s) even if you graduate in May and/or are not registered during the summer.

STUDENTS WHO MAY NOT BE ENROLLED WITH FULL-TIME/GRADUATE RESEARCH STATUS BOTH SEMESTERS.
1. If you think you will become a part-time or continuous enrollment student in the Spring 2014 semester and you wish to maintain your insurance eligibility for the entire policy year (08/01/2013-07/31/2014), you MUST actively enroll in the Annual coverage (not Annual in Installments) in the Fall 2013 semester. If you enroll in the Annual in Installments or you enroll in the Fall coverage only, you will NOT be eligible for the Student Insurance Plan in the Spring 2014 semester when you become a part-time or continuous enrollment student. There is no option to change or convert your coverage later so you should plan ahead.

2. If you must actively enroll in the Annual coverage (not Annual in Installments), you may do so by completing the College Enrollment Request form at https://forms.wm.edu/9618, which authorizes W&M to process your annual enrollment and bill your student account accordingly. You MUST select the Annual coverage period only, not any other coverage period and you will be billed for the entire annual premium in the Fall 2013 semester.

3. If you choose the Annual coverage but you cannot afford to pay the entire premium in the Fall, you will have the option to pay your insurance premium in installments utilizing the College’s eServices Tuition Payment Plan, You will not have the option to pay your insurance premium in installments unless you utilize the College’s eServices Tuition Payment Plan, http://www.wm.edu/offices/financialoperations/sa/eservices/paymentplan/index.php.

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2014 Jack Kent Cooke Foundation Dissertation Fellowship

The Jack Kent Cooke Foundation, through its scholarship and grant making programs, advances the education of exceptionally promising students who have financial need. Our work allows us to see first-hand how high-achieving students with financial need overcome obstacles and excel academically. Our research, however, has shown that many high-potential, low-income students are unable to successfully navigate these obstacles.

In The Achievement Trap (2007), we found that there is a significant drop off in the number of low-income students who are identified as high-achieving throughout the primary and secondary education system. These student experiences raise important questions about the factors and contexts that help some students with financial need overcome personal adversity, limited educational opportunities, and challenging socioeconomic circumstances to excel academically, and how a deeper understanding of such matters can be used to design programs and interventions that will help more low-income students identified as high achieving early in their primary and secondary school years to sustain their academic achievement levels through college and beyond.

Important information on W&M Student Health Center eligibility for 2013-2014

All full-time or Research Graduate students are eligible for services at the W&M Student Health Center (SHC). Services offered at the SHC include a variety of primary care medical services (including laboratory testing) and pharmacy services.
In response to this gap in knowledge, the Foundation has created the Cooke Dissertation Fellowship for advanced doctoral students who are completing dissertations that further the understanding of the educational pathways and experiences of exceptionally promising students who have financial need. The fellowship is intended to focus more scholarly attention on the population of students the Foundation serves in order to enable practitioners, parents, schools and communities to better support such students in achieving their full potential.

Dissertation fellowships are intended to support the doctoral student for work done after the student’s dissertation proposal has been successfully defended. Applications are encouraged from a variety of disciplines such as, but not limited to, education, sociology, economics, psychology, statistics, and psychometrics. Although applicants must be candidates for a doctoral degree at a graduate school in the United States, they need not be US citizens. Please note that the applicants’ graduate study may be in a diverse range of academic disciplines (e.g., policy studies, economics, psychology, education) but their topic must be tied to the Foundation’s mission: advancing the education of exceptionally promising students who have financial need.

The fellowship is a one-time award of up to $25,000, which may be used for a period of not less than nine months and up to 18 months, beginning in June 2014. Award decisions are announced in May. See this link for 2014 timeline. We expect to offer six in 2014. Eligible applicants must have completed all pre-dissertation requirements.

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New Grant Advisor-Funding Opportunities - (Cynthia Corbett)
The new issue of the Grant Advisor is now available at [www.grantadvisor.com/tgaplus/](http://www.grantadvisor.com/tgaplus/)
If you are off-campus, go to [www.grantadvisor.com/tgapass/](http://www.grantadvisor.com/tgapass/) and enter "tga" (without the quotes) as the username and "hello" as the password.
This publication lists deadlines for grants and fellowship opportunities broken down by the following categories:

NSF has released their February 2014 (NSF 14-1) Proposal and Award Policies and Procedures Guide (PAPPG), effective for proposals submitted or due on or after February 24, 2014. For proposals submitted prior to February 24, 2014, the guidelines in NSF 13-1 apply.

W&M INTERNAL PROGRAMS:

Community of Scholars Fund, no deadline; [http://www.wm.edu/as/charlescenter/scholars/communityfund/index.php](http://www.wm.edu/as/charlescenter/scholars/communityfund/index.php):
Mini-grants from the Community of Scholars Fund are available to faculty, staff, and students to encourage intellectual interaction between faculty and students outside the classroom. Possible uses for this funding include book or film discussion groups; or trips to lectures, museums, performances, laboratories, or field sites, including associated travel and/or meal expenses.

Distinguished Lectures in International Studies, rolling deadline, [http://www.wm.edu/offices/revescenter/funding/facultyfunding/lectures/index.php](http://www.wm.edu/offices/revescenter/funding/facultyfunding/lectures/index.php):
The Reves Center for International Studies is pleased to help support internationally-focused public lectures and performances. Funding is available to William & Mary faculty who wish to host distinguished scholars, artists, and practitioners whose public events and visits will contribute to international education at the university.

Faculty International Conference Travel Grants, rolling deadline, [http://www.wm.edu/offices/revescenter/funding/facultyfunding/conferencegrants/index.php](http://www.wm.edu/offices/revescenter/funding/facultyfunding/conferencegrants/index.php):
The Reves Center for International Studies offers grants of up to $500 for W&M faculty who are presenting papers at international conferences or presenting papers on international, global, or trans-national topics at conferences in the U.S.

Grants for On-Campus Conferences on International Topics, rolling deadline; [http://www.wm.edu/offices/revescenter/funding/facultyfunding/oncampus/index.php](http://www.wm.edu/offices/revescenter/funding/facultyfunding/oncampus/index.php):
Funding is available to support William & Mary faculty who are hosting on-campus professional conferences that will contribute to international education at the College. Proposals making use of the university's Washington, D.C. Office are also welcome.

Supports the production, documentation, and presentation of media-rich international projects featuring student learning, research, and community involvement.

NSF MRI:
NSF has announced their annual Major Research Instrumentation program. The NSF deadline is 1/23/14; however, since 3 institutional applications are allowed, the Faculty Research Committee (FRC) will hold a pre-application competition. Details will be announced soon in the W&M Digest and [http://www.wm.edu/offices/sponsoredprograms/announcements/index.php](http://www.wm.edu/offices/sponsoredprograms/announcements/index.php).

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[http://www.wm.edu/as/graduate/](http://www.wm.edu/as/graduate/)
CRCF FY2014 spring solicitation - [http://www.cit.org/initiatives/crcf/fy2014-solicitation/](http://www.cit.org/initiatives/crcf/fy2014-solicitation/) Mandatory Letters of Intent. This is a limited submission RFP. Additional information will be published this week. LOIs due 1/31/2014.

**ARTS & HUMANITIES:**


**SOCIAL SCIENCES:**


**SCIENCE & RESEARCH/FEDERAL:**


Folded Non-Natural Polymers with Biological Function (Fold F(x)), DARPA, deadlines: white papers 2/3/14; full proposal 4/3/14; [https://www.fbo.gov/index?s=opportunity&mode=form&id=a21445c20e3a9d9878a0a80a1fa6435e&tab=core&_cview=0](https://www.fbo.gov/index?s=opportunity&mode=form&id=a21445c20e3a9d9878a0a80a1fa6435e&tab=core&_cview=0).


**FOUNDATION:**


**STUDENT:**

Explorers 2014 Student Research Grants Proposals - [http://www.explorersclubdc.org/tag/graduate-student-grants/](http://www.explorersclubdc.org/tag/graduate-student-grants/) “…disciplines appropriate for support are anthropology, archaeology, ecology, entomology, botany, linguistics, ornithology, geography, ichthyology, geology, oceanography, glaciology, and similar disciplines” – due 2/1/13


Ruth J. Simmons Post-Doctoral Fellow in Slavery and Justice, Brown University, Center for the Study of Slavery and Justice, deadline: 2/15/14; [http://brown.edu/initiatives/slavery-and-justice/fellows](http://brown.edu/initiatives/slavery-and-justice/fellows).


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Office Hours with the President
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SPECIAL CAREER CENTER EVENT FOR W&M GRAD STUDENTS IN ARTS & SCIENCES

The Cohen Career Center and the Office of Graduate Studies and Research will kick off this semester on Friday, January 24th with “Finding a Job Outside Academia” workshops for sciences and humanities!

Finding Jobs Outside of Academia - Sciences
Friday, January 24th, 1:30-2:30 pm
The workshop panel will feature: Jessica Belton, a Mass Spec Lab Technologist at Health Diagnostic Laboratory, Inc. Kathryn A. Moretti, Lieutenant Commander in the United States Coast Guard Atlantic Area, LANT-7, and an operations research analyst. Lisa J. Bair, the founder and main consultant of Lisa Jean Bair Analytics. Please RSVP and join us at Cohen Career Center Presentation Rooms A&B.

Finding Jobs Outside of Academia - Humanities
Friday, January 24th, 2:45-3:45
The workshop panel will feature: John H. Sprinkle, Jr., Deputy Director at the Federal Preservation Institute. Anna Gibson Holloway, the Archer M. Huntington Chair for the Study of History and Curator of the USS Monitor Center at The Mariners’ Museum Neil Luther, Director of Henrico County Recreation and Parks. Please RSVP and join us at Cohen Career Center Presentation Rooms A&B.

2014 KEIO UNIVERSITY/ COLLEGE OF WILLIAM & MARY CROSS-CULTURAL COLLABORATION JOB OPPORTUNITY

The Keio University, College of William & Mary Cross-Cultural Collaboration is a program centered on experiential learning which allows both Japanese and American students to study questions of cultural difference and national identity. The program brings forty Japanese university students to America for three weeks to study and experience first-hand American society and culture with William & Mary graduate and undergraduate students. Students attend lectures on a variety of topics including race, religion, and pop culture while engaging with American culture firsthand through fieldwork activities such as trips to Colonial Williamsburg, Hampton University, and a four-day stay in Washington, D.C. The Reves Center for International Studies announces two positions are currently accepting applications for the administering and overseeing of the Keio program:

ACADEMIC DIRECTOR
The Academic Director is responsible for overseeing the Keio/W&M Cross-Cultural Collaboration program both academically and logistically, ensuring the quality and continued development of this established and successful program. Beginning with the Spring 2014 semester, the Academic Director’s main duties will include: assisting in the selection of Classroom Instructors (CIs), who lead classroom discussions, review work produced in the classroom, and participate in afternoon and evening activities; and recruiting, interviewing, and selecting Peer Assistants (PAs), who work individually with the small teams of Japanese students to assist them with their projects and daily activities. The Academic Director will plan and hold an orientation session for PAs and CIs, and produce a tentative schedule for guest speakers, activities, and excursions. This work will be assisted by staff from the Global Education Office at the Reves Center.

JOB REQUIREMENT: Previous experience in the Keio program. Successful candidates should possess demonstrable leadership skills, strong organizational abilities, commitment to supporting the needs of students, staff, and faculty, and a strong interest in cross-cultural and/or international education.

Compensation: $5,500

Application Deadline: Friday January 17, 2014
To apply, please send the following documents to the attention of Sylvia Mitterndorfer, Director of Global Education at the Reves Center:
• Letter of application
• Current resume or CV
• List of 3 references with their contact information

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR
The Assistant Director supports the Academic Director in planning and implementing both academic and logistical aspects of the Keio/W&M Cross-Cultural Collaboration program. Beginning in the Spring 2014 semester, the duties include assisting in the selection of Classroom Instructors (CIs), who lead classroom discussions, review work produced in the classroom, and participate in afternoon and evening activities; and the recruiting,
interviewing, and selecting Peer Assistants (PAs), who work individually with the small teams of Japanese students to assist them with their projects and daily activities. The Assistant Director, in conjunction with the Academic Director helps to plan and hold an orientation session for PAs and CIs, and assists on deciding the tentative schedule. Global Education Office staff members at the Reves Center also assist in planning and implementing these activities.

NOTE: Both the Academic Director and Assistant Director live with the students in the dormitory and in Washington, D.C. and will receive a meal supplement.

JOB REQUIREMENT: Previous experience in the Keio program. Successful candidate will possess

strong team-building and communication skills, interest in cross-cultural and/or international education.

Compensation: $3,700

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If you have any questions about this position, please email Sylvia Mitterndorfer at smmitt@wm.edu

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COLL 530: Thesis/Dissertation Writing - 24329; Begins January 29, 2014 (0 credit, P/F)
Instructor – Kristin Maurice, Wednesday, 11:00 – 12:20pm, Blow 331
A course for domestic and international students beginning their theses/dissertations.
Thesis/dissertation guidelines will be discussed and sample chapters from specific fields will be analyzed. In collaboration with their academic advisor and in consultation with the instructor, students will organize and write individual chapters, simultaneously reviewing and revising their writing.

COLL 550: College Teaching - 29679; Begins January 27, 2014 (0 credit, P/F)
Instructors – Heather MacDonald and Sharon Zuber
Monday, 2:00 – 3:20pm, Millington 117
Discussion and exploration of college teaching including general issues in college teaching; various teaching strategies including lectures, discussions, group work, writing assignments; course design, syllabus and test construction, and grading; integrating research and education; and job search and application strategies. Students will develop a portfolio to include sample assignments and a general teaching statement. Readings on teaching and learning and on university education.

UPCOMING EVENTS

IMPORTANT COMMENCEMENT INFORMATION
Anyone who is interested in Commencement 2014 is encouraged to attend -- undergrads, grad students, staff, parents, etc. It should last no more than an hour and it will be a good opportunity for students to ask any questions they might have about Commencement-related activities.
This year’s Commencement Weekend is planned for May 9-11, 2014. Here are some important things to keep in mind:

http://www.wm.edu/as/graduate/
How you will be contacted:
All Commencement information will be sent via your W&M email account. If you use an alternate email account on a regular basis, please make sure your email.wm.edu address is forwarded there so that you will not miss any emails.

Registration and tickets:
Degree candidates who wish to walk in the Academic Procession at the main Commencement Ceremony and receive guest tickets must register. Online registration to receive up to four (4) guest tickets will run from February 17-March 17. Degree candidates who walk in the academic procession do not need a ticket for themselves. If any tickets remain after the registration period, degree candidates may enter a lottery for one additional ticket. Stay tuned for more on this.

Regalia (caps, gowns, hoods) and Graduation Announcements:
The W&M Bookstore (757-221-1669) is your primary source for these items. You may purchase regalia and other graduation-related items at the Grad Finale sales events held as follows:
Sadler Center -- March 18 (11-6); March 19 (10-4)
(For undergrad and grad students. We will send you more information closer to the time of this event)
Law School – March 13 (11-4) – Lobby (you will receive information directly from the Law School)

Student Speaker Competition:
All graduating students -- undergraduates and graduate students alike -- are eligible to apply. Please visit the “Preparing for Commencement” section of the website for more information and application instructions. The deadline to apply is March 12, 2014 (at 11:59 p.m.)

Winter grads, etc.:
Plan on coming back for the May Commencement ceremony? It is your responsibility to notify your school or department so they know you will be in attendance. If you register to receive guest tickets (and are no longer in the Williamsburg area) you will be provided with the opportunity to make alternate arrangements to receive your tickets. Information will be provided in the spring. If you have completed your degree and are a participant in this year’s Commencement we will continue to contact you via your W&M email. For additional information, check out the Commencement website. Also, follow us on Facebook and Twitter for regular updates, important deadlines, and useful information.

Commencement 101
A primer for graduates
Commencement 101 forums are designed to give graduating students the basics of what you need to know to prepare for graduation and Commencement Weekend. Topics we cover include the major weekend events, registration, tickets, the main ceremony, departmental ceremonies, regalia, disability accommodations, and parking. There is an opportunity to ask questions during and after the forum.

2014 Forum Dates
(all forums take place in Sadler Center, Commonwealth Auditorium)

- Wednesday, January 29, 2014 (5:00 - 5:45 p.m.)
- Monday, February 3 (6:00-6:45 p.m. & 7:00-7:45 p.m.)
- Thursday, February 6 (6:00-6:45 p.m. & 7:00-7:45 p.m.)
- Tuesday, February 11 (5:00-5:45 p.m. & 6:00-6:45 p.m.)

2014 Forum Information

- Commencement Forum Slide Presentation (Powerpoint or PDF)
- Commencement Fact Sheet and FAQs (PDF)
- Commencement Weekend Schedule (PDF)

Questions? Please email Commencement or call 757-221-1236

Important information on W&M health care and insurance eligibility for 2013-2014

Students who want to be eligible for the College Student Insurance Plan and for use of the Student Health Center in 2013-2014 should be sure to understand this information and review the information on the Student Health Center website. The 2013-2014 annual student premium is $1,541 ($709 for the fall coverage period and $832 for the Spring/Summer coverage period). It is the student’s responsibility to verify whether or not the Health Insurance Policy charge has been billed to your student account correctly. If there is a billing error, you should contact the Student Insurance Coordinator immediately. Students who want more information can contact the Student Insurance Coordinator (trsike@wm.edu) after reviewing the information provided at http://www.wm.edu/offices/healthcenter/studentinsurance/plan/index.php
Students admitted Fall 2006 or after and who register full-time or with Research Graduate status, and all F-1 and J-1 international students, will be enrolled in the College-endorsed Student Insurance Plan and the cost will be billed to their student account in two installments (fall and spring semester) UNLESS proof of other adequate health insurance coverage is provided by submitting a waiver request by the posted deadline each academic year and the waiver request is approved. Waiver requests submitted after the deadline will be considered at the discretion of the College. The waiver request is available at https://studentcenter.uhcsr.com/wm. For more information review the Insurance page of the Student Health Center website (http://www.wm.edu/offices/healthcenter/studentinsurance/waiverinfo/index.php). This requirement also applies to students who receive a W&M degree and then continue in a different W&M degree program (i.e., Bachelor’s to Master’s or Master’s to PhD).

STUDENTS WHO WILL BE ENROLLED WITH FULL-TIME/GRADUATE RESEARCH STATUS BOTH SEMESTERS

1. If you don’t submit a waiver request by the deadline, you will have the College’s Insurance Policy billed to your student account in two installments (fall and spring semester). You MUST be enrolled at the College with either full-time or Graduate Research statuses BOTH semesters (Fall 2013 & Spring 2014) to maintain your insurance eligibility for the entire policy year (08/01/2013-07/31/2014). There is no option to change or convert your coverage later, so if you think there is a chance you may not be enrolled with full-time or Graduate Research status for the Spring 2014, read the appropriate section below.

2. Full-time or Research Graduate students who are enrolled in either the Annual, Annual in Installments or Spring/Summer coverage will continue to be eligible for the Student Insurance Plan during the Spring 2014 semester and the Summer 2014 term(s) even if you graduate in May and/or are not registered during the summer.

Important information on W&M Student Health Center eligibility for 2013-2014
All full-time or Research Graduate students are eligible for services at the W&M Student Health Center (SHC). Services offered at the SHC include a variety of primary care medical services (including laboratory testing) and pharmacy services.

1. Full-time students are assessed a Student Health Center fee as part of their tuition and fees during the fall and spring semesters.

2. Research Graduate students will need to make arrangements for the payment of the
Student Health Center fee before accessing services during the fall and spring semesters.

3. Full-time or Research Graduate statuses in the spring semester qualifies students for use of the Student Health Center in the summer, with payment of the summer Student Health Center fee, unless the student graduates in May.

4. Part-time or continuous enrollment students are not eligible for services at the Student Health Center.

5. Students who have the College’s Student Insurance Plan but who are no longer eligible to use the services of the Student Health Center due to a change in student status (part-time, continuous enrollment or graduation), may still use the pharmacy services but may not use the medical services at the SHC.

2014 Jack Kent Cooke Foundation Dissertation Fellowship

The Jack Kent Cooke Foundation, through its scholarship and grant making programs, advances the education of exceptionally promising students who have financial need. Our work allows us to see first-hand how high-achieving students with financial need overcome obstacles and excel academically. Our research, however, has shown that many high-potential, low-income students are unable to successfully navigate these obstacles.

In The Achievement Trap (2007), we found that there is a significant drop off in the number of low-income students who are identified as high-achieving throughout the primary and secondary education system. These student experiences raise important questions about the factors and contexts that help some students with financial need overcome personal adversity, limited educational opportunities, and challenging socioeconomic circumstances to excel academically, and how a deeper understanding of such matters can be used to design programs and interventions that will help more low-income students identified as high achieving early in their primary and secondary school years to sustain their academic achievement levels through college and beyond.

In response to this gap in knowledge, the Foundation has created the Cooke Dissertation Fellowship for advanced doctoral students who are completing dissertations that further the understanding of the educational pathways and experiences of exceptionally promising students who have financial need. The fellowship is intended to focus more scholarly attention on the population of students the Foundation serves in order to enable practitioners, parents, schools and communities to better support such students in achieving their full potential.

Dissertation fellowships are intended to support the doctoral student for work done after the student’s dissertation proposal has been successfully defended. Applications are encouraged from a variety of disciplines such as, but not limited to, education, sociology, economics, psychology, statistics, and psychometrics.

Although applicants must be candidates for a doctoral degree at a graduate school in the United States, they need not be US citizens. Please note that the applicants’ graduate study may be in a diverse range of academic disciplines (e.g., policy studies, economics, psychology, education) but their topic must be tied to the Foundation’s mission: advancing the education of exceptionally promising students who have financial need.

The fellowship is a one-time award of up to $25,000, which may be used for a period of not less than nine months and up to 18 months, beginning in June 2014. Award decisions are announced in May. See this link for 2014 timeline. We expect to offer six in 2014.

Eligible applicants must have completed all pre-dissertation requirements.

Additional information is available at our website.

Application Deadline: February 4, 2014

DID YOU KNOW THAT? The newsletter for Graduate Students in Arts & Sciences is published each week during the fall and spring semesters. We welcome your submissions. Copy may be edited for length. Submission should be sent to vlthompsondopp@wm.edu.

http://www.wm.edu/
FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

New Grant Advisor-Funding Opportunities - (Cynthia Corbett)
The new issue of the Grant Advisor is now available at www.grantadvisor.com/tgaplus/
If you are off-campus, go to www.grantadvisor.com/tgapass/ and enter "tga" (without the quotes) as the username
and "hello" as the password.
This publication lists deadlines for grants and fellowship opportunities broken down by the following categories:
Fine Arts, Humanities, Social Sciences, Sciences, Education, International, Health Related, Minorities/Women,
Unrestricted/Other, Federal Register.

NSF has released their February 2014 (NSF 14-1) Proposal and Award Policies and Procedures Guide (PAPPG),
effective for proposals submitted or due on or after February 24, 2014. For proposals submitted prior to February
24, 2014, the guidelines in NSF 13-1 apply.

W&M INTERNAL PROGRAMS:

Community of Scholars Fund, no deadline;
http://www.wm.edu/as/charlescenter/scholars/communityfund/index.php:
Mini-grants from the Community of Scholars Fund are available to faculty, staff, and students to encourage intellectual interaction between
faculty and students outside the classroom. Possible uses for this funding include book or film discussion groups; or trips to lectures,
museums, performances, laboratories, or field sites, including associated travel and/or meal expenses.

Distinguished Lectures in International Studies, rolling deadline,
http://www.wm.edu/offices/revescenter/funding/facultyfunding/lectures/index.php:
The Reves Center for International Studies is pleased to help support internationally-focused public lectures and performances. Funding is available to
William & Mary faculty who wish to host distinguished scholars, artists, and practitioners whose public events and visits will contribute to international
education at the university.

Faculty International Conference Travel Grants, rolling deadline,
http://www.wm.edu/offices/revescenter/funding/facultyfunding/conferencegrants/index.php:
The Reves Center for International Studies offers grants of up to $500 for W&M faculty who are presenting papers at international conferences or presenting
papers on international, global, or trans-national topics at conferences in the U.S.

Grants for On-Campus Conferences on International Topics, rolling deadline;
http://www.wm.edu/offices/revescenter/funding/facultyfunding/oncampus/index.php:
Funding is available to support William & Mary faculty who are hosting on-campus professional conferences that will contribute to international education
at the College. Proposals making use of the university's Washington, D.C. Office are also welcome.

Mapping W&M Project, Mapping W&M Committee, deadline: 1/31/14; http://mapping.wm.edu/call-for-proposals-2014/:
Supports the production, documentation, and presentation of media-rich international projects featuring student learning, research, and community
involvement.

NSF MRI:
NSF has announced their annual Major Research Instrumentation program. The NSF deadline is
1/23/14; however, since 3 institutional applications are allowed, the Faculty Research Committee (FRC)
will hold a pre-application competition. Details will be announced soon in the W&M Digest and

CENTER FOR INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGY

http://www.wm.edu/as/graduate/
CRCF FY2014 spring solicitation - http://www.cit.org/initiatives/crcf/fy2014-solicitation/ Mandatory Letters of Intent. This is a limited submission RFP. Additional information will be published this week. LOIs due 1/31/2014.

**ARTS & HUMANITIES:**


**SOCIAL SCIENCES:**


**SCIENCE & RESEARCH/FEDERAL:**


Folded Non-Natural Polymers with Biological Function (Fold F(x)), DARPA, deadlines: white papers 2/3/14; full proposal 4/3/14; [https://www.fbo.gov/index?s=opportunity&mode=form&id=a21445c20e3a9d9878a0a80a1fa6435e&tab=core&_cview=0](https://www.fbo.gov/index?s=opportunity&mode=form&id=a21445c20e3a9d9878a0a80a1fa6435e&tab=core&_cview=0).


**FOUNDATION:**


STUDENT:
Explorers 2014 Student Research Grants Proposals - http://www.explorersclubdc.org/tag/graduate-student-grants/ “…disciplines appropriate for support are anthropology, archaeology, ecology, entomology, botany, linguistics, ornithology, geography, ichthyology, geology, oceanography, glaciology, and similar disciplines” – due 2/1/13


Ruth J. Simmons Post-Doctoral Fellow in Slavery and Justice, Brown University, Center for the Study of Slavery and Justice, deadline: 2/15/14; http://brown.edu/initiatives/slavery-and-justice/fellows.

Student Research Grant Program, Society of Wetland Scientists, deadline: 2/17/14; http://www.sws.org/studentgrants/index.mgi.

Internship Program, Center on Budget and Policy Priorities, deadlines: March 1, June 15, October 15; http://www.cbpp.org/jobs/index.cfm?fa=internships.


2014-15 Turkish Studies Grants, The Institute of Turkish Studies, deadline: 3/7/14; http://turkishstudies.org/grants/grants_competition.shtml:


VIRGINIA SPACE GRANT CONSORTIUM GRADUATE RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS, application deadline February 10, 2014.

W&M graduate students have been very successful in receiving these research fellowships of $5000. During the past four years, sixteen W&M A&S graduate students have received new $5,000 research fellowships and ten W&M A&S grad students have received $5,000 renewals. Students must be U.S. citizens and can be pursuing any field of study with aerospace relevance (STEM fields as well as social science fields). The term "aerospace" is interpreted very broadly, although the application must explain the aerospace relevance of the proposed research. If you have questions about these fellowships, please e-mail Dean Virginia Torczon (vitorc@wm.edu). More information about Virginia Space Grant Consortium can be found at http://www.vsgc.odu.edu. Application for 2014-15 Graduate STEM Research Fellowship Program can be found at http://www.vsgc.odu.edu/sf/gradfellow/

DATES TO REMEMBER

Add/Drop Period: Students can add and drop courses online beginning Tuesday, January 15 at 3:00pm through 5:00pm January 27.

Withdrawal Period: After January 28 registration changes must be submitted on an Add/Drop/Withdrawal form for the Dean’s approval and processing. Please contact the Registrar and Administrator of Graduate Student Services (wdcart@wm.edu) if you have questions.

NOMINATIONS SOUGHT FOR AWARDS FOR EXCELLENCE IN UNDERGRADUATE MENTORING.

In the spring of 2009, the A&S Graduate Studies Advisory Board and the A&S Committee on Graduate Studies voted unanimously in support of the Board’s concept for initiating and funding these annual awards to A&S graduate students in recognition of outstanding undergraduate mentoring in scholarship and research outside of classroom teaching. A total of 16, $250 awards have been presented at the Symposium since 2010. Unlike the Teaching Assistant awards that are currently offered within some departments/programs, this award recognizes mentoring in the context of undergraduate scholarship and research outside of classroom teaching. Such mentoring might include, among other examples, graduate students who mentor undergraduates in the context of the undergraduate students' senior theses, honors theses, writing projects, term papers, or research in a laboratory, field site, museum, or archive. The 2013-2014 awards will be presented at the 2014 Graduate Research Symposium’s awards luncheon on March 22, 2014, drawing more undergraduate students and faculty to the symposium and luncheon and increasing visibility for the important contributions of graduate students in mentoring undergraduate students in scholarship and research. Guidelines and a nomination form http://www.wm.edu/as/graduate/gradadvisoryboard/undergradmentor/index.php are available for undergraduate students and faculty, who are invited to nominate current graduate students. The deadline is January 31, 2014 at 11:59 p.m. E.S.T., for receipt of a complete nomination consisting of a nomination form from a current or past W&M undergraduate student AND a second nomination form from a current or past W&M faculty member.
RESEARCH & TRAVEL FUNDING

GSA SUPPLEMENTAL CONFERENCE TRAVEL FUNDING. Through a collaborative effort between the Office of Graduate Studies and Research (OGSR) and the GSA, a limited number of awards are available to assist selected Arts & Sciences graduate students who are attending or presenting at a research conference. Beginning in Spring 2014, Conference travel awards will be increased to the following: $400 for an invited presentation, $300 for accepted presenter (speaker or poster) and $200 to attend a conference. Students attending International Conferences (i.e.: anywhere outside the 50 U.S. States and D.C.) are required to complete the International Travel waiver form as well as purchase the required CISI Travel/Medical Insurance prior to your departure. The insurance premium is $34 per month for the duration of your travel. GSA will award you an additional $34 to cover this insurance. Both the waiver form and a copy of the CISI insurance form must be submitted to your Department/Program prior to your departure. Information concerning the required CISI Travel/Medical Insurance can be found on the web at http://tinyurl.com/atj62cy. The CISI Insurance is coordinated through the Reves Center. (Note the travel/medical insurance has been a requirement since Summer 2013). The OGSR/GSA Conference Funding competitively awards Arts & Sciences graduate students who wish to attend or present at research conferences in their field of study. Conference Funding is financed through the Office of Graduate Studies and Research; however, it is solely administered by the GSA. The goal of Conference Funding is to supplement other funding sources and to help offset the expenses that graduate students accrue advancing their scholarship and knowledge. Since conference experience and attendance are critical for the job market, Conference Funding is designed to encourage graduate student presence at conferences by addressing some of the limitations of other funding sources. The application deadline for conference travel taken during the period January 1, 2014 through April 15, 2014 is 5:00pm on January 31, 2014. For more information and the application, please see http://wmpeople.wm.edu/site/page/gsa/conferencefunding.

A&S GRADUATE STUDENT RESEARCH GRANTS. A&S Graduate students are encouraged to apply for support [maximum of $300] from the Office of Graduate Studies and Research (OGSR) that will allow them to collect data at museums or archives, conduct research, and travel to field work sites. The purpose of the support is to enhance the graduate students’ professional preparation. Not all applicants will receive funding or full funding; therefore, students are encouraged to apply for additional aid or matching funds from other sources and to indicate this information on their applications. Such information will be viewed favorably in the evaluation process. Funding will be limited to direct research related activities. Eligibility: Any graduate student actively enrolled in a graduate program of Arts & Sciences, and who is in good academic standing may apply. Students who have previously received a Graduate Student Research Grant from the OGSR are eligible to apply, but applications from students who have received fewer OGSR Graduate Student Research Grants recently will be given higher funding priority. 2013-2014 GRADUATE STUDENT RESEARCH GRANTS Application Procedure: There will be three opportunities to apply (one in October, one in February and one in April). Applications for Spring 2014 must be received in the Office of Graduate Studies and Research by 4:00 p.m. on February 14, 2014, and will cover expenses incurred January 1 through April 15, 2014. Late applications will not be accepted. Applications must be signed by the student’s faculty advisor, and must also include a signed Institutional Compliance Form. Guidelines and an application can be found at: http://www.wm.edu/as/graduate/studentresources/researchgrants/index.php. Students seeking funding for conference travel should not apply to this program, but should see application guidelines for the GSA Supplemental Conference Travel funds at http://wmpeople.wm.edu/site/page/gsa/conferencefunding.

Office Hours with the President
Come chat with President Reveley during office hours. 15 minute appointments are available on January 28 from 2:30-3:30, February 17 from 3-4:00 and March 20 from 11-12 noon. Contact Carla Costello to sign up: cacostello@wm.edu

http://www.wm.edu/as/graduate/
UPDATE YOUR ADDRESS TODAY, TO ENSURE PROPER DELIVERY OF YOUR W-2.
You can update your address via Self-Service by logging in to myWM.edu. Remember to click on Personal Information and Update your Address(s) and Phone(s). If you have any questions, please call 221-2842. For information please visit: http://www.wm.edu/offices/financialoperations/payroll/electronicw2/index.php

CHARTER DAY FEBRUARY 8
Virginia Governor Terry McAuliffe will give remarks at William & Mary's Charter Day ceremony at 4 p.m. on Feb. 8, 2014, in Kaplan Arena. Governor McAuliffe will also receive an honorary degree along with Emeritus Chancellor Professor of Mathematics David Lutzer.

The 2014 Charter Day ceremony, which is free and open to the public, will mark the 321th anniversary of the College receiving its royal charter from King William III and Queen Mary II of England.

The William & Mary Alumni Association will honor three alumni with the Alumni Medallion at a special ceremony on Saturday, February 8th at 10 a.m. in the Commonwealth Auditorium in the Sadler Center. All in the campus community are invited to attend. The 2014 recipients are:
- James B. Comey, Jr. ’82, LL.D. ‘08
- Gary D. LeClair ’77
- Joyce House Shields ’64

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Tickets for the WILLIAM & MARY CHARTER DAY CONCERT Wiz Khalifa to perform William & Mary's 2014 Charter Day concert with special guest Chevy Woods. at the College's 3rd Annual Charter Day Concert on Saturday, February 8th at 8pm.

All faculty and staff may receive a $5 discount on public ticket sales. Enter code “CHARTER14“ upon checkout. Public tickets went on sale Wed., Jan. 8th at 8:30am and can be purchased online, by phone, or in person at the Tribe Ticket Office in Kaplan Arena. Online: /www.ticketreturn.com/ By phone: 757-221-3340 Brought to you by Alma Mater Productions and the Student Assembly

FROM THE A&S GRADUATE STUDENT ASSOCIATION (GSA)

GSA MEETING SCHEDULE
The next GSA meeting will be held:
Wednesday, February 05, 2014
Wednesday, March 12, 2014
Wednesday, April 02, 2014
Wednesday, April 23, 2014
All meetings will be held from 6:15 – 7:15 in the Sadler Center's James Room. Pizza and refreshments will be provided. Please remember that representation at these meetings ensures your program remains eligible for GSA conference funding. If you're a department representative, please contact Nabeel Siddiqui at nasiddiqui@email.wm.edu for more information.

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A course for domestic and international students beginning their theses/dissertations. Thesis/dissertation guidelines will be discussed and sample chapters from specific fields will be analyzed. In collaboration with their academic advisor and in consultation with the instructor, students will organize and write individual chapters, simultaneously reviewing and revising their writing.

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Monday, 2:00 – 3:20 pm, Millington 117
Discussion and exploration of college teaching including general issues in college teaching; various teaching strategies including lectures, discussions, group work, writing assignments; course design, syllabus and test construction, and grading; integrating research and education; and job search and application strategies. Students will develop a portfolio to include sample assignments and a general teaching statement. Readings on teaching and learning and on university education.

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Supports the production, documentation, and presentation of media-rich international projects featuring student learning, research, and community
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ARTS & HUMANITIES:

2015 Creative Writing (Poetry) Fellowships, NEA, deadline: 3/14/14; http://arts.gov/grants-
individuals/creative-writing-fellowships.

SOCIAL SCIENCES:

Personnel Development To Improve Services and Results for Children With Disabilities--
Preparation of Special Education, Early Intervention, and Related Services Leadership Personnel.


**SCIENCE & RESEARCH/FEDERAL:**


Archaeology and Archaeometry, NSF, target dates: Archaeology - Senior Research, 7/1/14; Archaeometry, 12/1/14; Archaeology - Senior Research, 12/20/14; Doctoral Dissertation Research - Proposals accepted at any time; High-Risk Research in Physical Anthropology and Archaeology (HRRPA) - Proposals accepted at any time; [http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=11690](http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=11690).


FOUNDATION:


New Civics Initiative, Spencer Foundation, deadlines: 2/6/14 and 4/29/14 – please see website for details; http://www.spencer.org/content.cfm/the-new-civics-rfp.


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OTHER:

2015-16 Core Fulbright Scholar Program Competition OPENS February 1, http://www.cies.org/.

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Virginia Space Grant Consortium programs:


Space Life Sciences (undergraduate) Training Program (SLSTP), NASA, Ames Research Center, deadline: 3/15/14; [http://spacebiosciences.arc.nasa.gov/slstp](http://spacebiosciences.arc.nasa.gov/slstp).

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Application for 2014-15 Graduate STEM Research Fellowship Program can be found at [http://www.vsgc.odu.edu/sf/gradfellow/](http://www.vsgc.odu.edu/sf/gradfellow/)

**DATES TO REMEMBER**

**Withdrawal Period:** After January 28 registration changes must be submitted on an Add/Drop/Withdrawal form for the Dean’s approval and processing. Please contact the Registrar and Administrator of Graduate Student Services (wdcart@wm.edu) if you have questions.

**RESEARCH FUNDING**

**A&S GRADUATE STUDENT RESEARCH GRANTS.** A&S Graduate students are encouraged to apply for support [maximum of $300] from the Office of Graduate Studies and Research (OGSR) that will allow them to collect data at museums or archives, conduct research, and travel to field work sites. The purpose of the support is to enhance the graduate students’ professional preparation. Not all applicants will receive funding or full funding; therefore, students are encouraged to apply for additional aid or matching funds from other sources and to indicate this information on their applications. Such information will be viewed favorably in the evaluation process. Funding will be limited to direct research related activities.

**Eligibility:** Any graduate student actively enrolled in a graduate program of Arts & Sciences, and who is in good academic standing may apply. Students who have previously received a Graduate Student Research Grant from the OGSR are eligible to apply, but applications from students who have received fewer OGSR Graduate Student Research Grants recently will be given higher funding priority.

**2013-2014 GRADUATE STUDENT RESEARCH GRANTS Application Procedure:** There will be three opportunities to apply (one in October, one in February and one in April). **Applications for Spring 2014** must be received in the Office of Graduate Studies and Research by 4:00 p.m. on **February 14, 2014**, and will cover expenses incurred January 1 through April 15, 2014. Late applications will not be accepted. Applications must be signed by the student’s faculty advisor, and must also include a signed Institutional Compliance Form. Guidelines and an application can be found at: [http://www.wm.edu/as/graduate/studentresources/researchgrants/index.php](http://www.wm.edu/as/graduate/studentresources/researchgrants/index.php). Students seeking funding for conference travel should not apply to this program, but should see application guidelines for the GSA Supplemental Conference Travel funds at [http://wmpeople.wm.edu/site/page/gsa/conferencefunding](http://wmpeople.wm.edu/site/page/gsa/conferencefunding).
CHARTER DAY FEBRUARY 8
Virginia Governor Terry McAuliffe will give remarks at William & Mary’s Charter Day ceremony at 4 p.m. on Feb. 8, 2014, in Kaplan Arena. Governor McAuliffe will also receive an honorary degree along with Emeritus Chancellor Professor of Mathematics David Lutzer.

The 2014 Charter Day ceremony, which is free and open to the public, will mark the 321th anniversary of the College receiving its royal charter from King William III and Queen Mary II of England.

The William & Mary Alumni Association will honor three alumni with the Alumni Medallion at a special ceremony on Saturday, February 8th at 10 a.m. in the Commonwealth Auditorium in the Sadler Center. All in the campus community are invited to attend.

The 2014 recipients are:
- James B. Comey, Jr. ’82, LL.D. ’08
- Gary D. LeClair ’77
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Tickets for the WILLIAM & MARY CHARTER DAY CONCERT Wiz Khalifa to perform William & Mary's 2014 Charter Day concert with special guest Chevy Woods. at the College's 3rd Annual Charter Day Concert on Saturday, February 8th at 8pm.

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FROM THE A&S GRADUATE STUDENT ASSOCIATION (GSA)
GSA MEETING SCHEDULE
The next GSA meeting will be held:
Wednesday, February 05, 2014
Wednesday, March 12, 2014
Wednesday, April 02, 2014
Wednesday, April 23, 2014

All meetings will be held from 6:15 – 7:15 in the Sadler Center's James Room. Pizza and refreshments will be provided. Please remember that representation at these meetings ensures your program remains eligible for GSA conference funding. If you're a department representative, please contact Nabeel Siddiqui at nasiddiqui@email.wm.edu for more information.

A Discussion of The Steps We Need To Take to Implement the Arts & Sciences Curriculum
Wednesday, February 5, 2014
Blow 201, noon-1PM

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Coordinated by: Deborah Morse, Nicholas Popper, John Riofrio, and Gene Tracy, the new Center for the Liberal Arts Fellows.

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Virginia Commonwealth University – Alzheimer’s and Related Diseases Research Award Fund – Letter of Intent due 3/3/14; applications due 4/1/14

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Fox Foundation Resident Actor, Theatre Communications Group, deadline: 4/1/14;

Project Grants, New Music USA, deadlines: 4/1/14 and 11/1/14;
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SOCIAL SCIENCES:


SCIENCE & RESEARCH/FEDERAL:


Administrative Supplements to Existing NIH Grants and Cooperative Agreements (Parent Admin Supp), NIH, deadline: Due dates may vary by awarding IC. See the awarding IC’s web site for any applicable Application Due Dates; http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-14-077.html.

Big Mechanism, DARPA, deadline: 3/18/14; http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=250696:
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OTHER:

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Research Report Stipends, IBM Center for the Business of Government, deadlines: 4/1/14 and 10/1/14; http://www.businessofgovernment.org/content/research-report-stipends-0.


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International Award for Research in Germany, Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, deadlines: April 15, October 15; http://www.humboldt-foundation.de/web/alexander-von-humboldt-professorship.html.


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STUDENT:


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**Publication Example:** George Smith and Karen Jones. "Lost without Lost." The Journal of Popular Film and Television. 12.3 (Spring 2014): 50-60., **Karen Jones, PhD, American Studies**

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**Public Policy:** Mackenzie Doss
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OIEAHC Colloquium - Feb. 11
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Location: Kellock Library Conference Room at the Institute, Swem Library, Ground Floor.
For information or a copy of the paper, please contact Melody Smith (mlsmit@wm.edu), phone 221-1197. For complete Fall 2014 Schedule: oieahc.wm.edu/colloquia.html

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For additional information, check out the Commencement website. Also, follow us on Facebook and Twitter for regular updates, important deadlines, and useful information.

Commencement 101
A primer for graduates
Commencement 101 forums are designed to give graduating students the basics of what you need to know to prepare for graduation and Commencement Weekend. Topics we cover include the major weekend events, registration, tickets, the main ceremony, departmental ceremonies, regalia, disability accommodations, and parking. There is an opportunity to ask questions during and after the forum.

2014 Forum Dates
(all forums take place in Sadler Center, Commonwealth Auditorium)
• Tuesday, February 11 (5:00-5:45 p.m. & 6:00-6:45 p.m.)

2014 Forum Information
• Commencement Forum Slide Presentation (Powerpoint or PDF)
• Commencement Fact Sheet and FAQs (PDF)
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Questions? Please email Commencement or call 757-221-1236

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FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

New Grant Advisor-Funding Opportunities - (Cynthia Corbett)
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If you are off-campus, go to www.grantadvisor.com/tgapass/ and enter "tga" (without the quotes) as the username and "phlox" as the password.
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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA – THE VIRGINIA CENTER ON AGING

Virginia Commonwealth University – Alzheimer’s and Related Diseases Research Award Fund – Letter of Intent due 3/3/14; applications due 4/1/14

ARTS & HUMANITIES:

Fox Foundation Resident Actor, Theatre Communications Group, deadline: 4/1/14;

Project Grants, New Music USA, deadlines: 4/1/14 and 11/1/14;
https://www.newmusicusa.org/round/fall-2013/.
SOCIAL SCIENCES:


SCIENCE & RESEARCH/FEDERAL:


Administrative Supplements to Existing NIH Grants and Cooperative Agreements (Parent Admin Supp), NIH, deadline: Due dates may vary by awarding IC. See the awarding IC's web site for any applicable Application Due Dates; http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-14-077.html.

Big Mechanism, DARPA, deadline: 3/18/14; http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=250696;

*The Big Mechanism program will develop technology to read research abstracts and papers to extract fragments of causal mechanisms, assemble these fragments into more complete causal models, and reason over these models to produce explanations. The domain of the program will be cancer biology with an emphasis on signaling pathways.

OTHER:


*research areas: physical, natural or social sciences or humanities.

Research Report Stipends, IBM Center for the Business of Government, deadlines: 4/1/14 and 10/1/14; http://www.businessofgovernment.org/content/research-report-stipends-0.


Humanities and Social Science Fellowships, Netherlands Institute for Advanced Study (NIAS), deadline: 4/15/14; http://www.nias.knaw.nl/fellowships/how-apply:

**FOUNDATION:**


** If you are interested in this opportunity, please contact Rob Breckenridge, W&M Development, rebreckinridge@wm.edu or 1-1036, to coordinate efforts prior to contacting the Foundation.

International Award for Research in Germany, Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, deadlines: April 15, October 15; http://www.humboldt-foundation.de/web/alexander-von-humboldt-professorship.html.


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**STUDENT:**


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29th Annual Hampton University Graduate Studies (HUGS) summer school, Jefferson Lab, deadline: 4/2/14; http://www.jlab.org/hugs/.
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A Newsletter for Graduate Students in Arts & Sciences

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GRADUATION FEES MAY 2014

Master’s and Doctoral Degree Students
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Doctoral Degree Students only
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- Copyright Fee (optional $55)
- Dissertation Publishing Fee (Open Access, optional $95). Please note that if you select one of the Open Access publishing options, you must also pay this fee at the Cashier’s office.

Survey of Earned Doctorates Form
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ProQuest/UMI Dissertation Agreement Form
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GRADUATE A&S WORKSHOP
“DESIGNING CONFERENCE POSTERS”

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SHAPE THE FUTURE OF WILLIAM & MARY - TOWN HALL MTG

Time: Feb 20th Two sessions: 3 - 5 pm and 6:30 - 8:30pm Location: Sadler Center; Chesapeake A

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http://www.ddcf.org/Programs/Arts/Initiatives--Strategies/National-Sector-Building/Fund-for-National-Projects/:
Organizations are encouraged to submit letters of inquiry for projects that strengthen the national infrastructure of the professional nonprofit dance, jazz, presenting and/or theatre fields, or that improve conditions for the national community of performing artists in dance, jazz and theatre.


Fellowships, NEH, deadline: 5/1/14; http://www.neh.gov/grants/research/fellowships.


SOCIAL SCIENCES:

Steven H. Sandell Grant Program for scholars in the field of retirement research and policy, Center for Retirement Research at Boston College, deadline: 2/14/14; http://crr.bc.edu/about-us/grant-programs/steven-h-sandell-grant-program-2/.

Foundations of a Strategic Trade Control System for Kosovo, Department of State Office of Export Control Cooperation, deadline: 2/21/14; http://www.grants.gov/view-opportunity.html?oppId=251084.


Archie Green Fellowships, American Folklife Center, deadline: 3/10/14; http://www.loc.gov/folklife/grants.html#archie:

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New Grant Advisor-Funding Opportunities - (Cynthia Corbett)
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W&M INTERNAL PROGRAMS:

Community of Scholars Fund, no deadline;
http://www.wm.edu/as/charlescenter/scholars/communityfund/index.php:
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http://www.ddcf.org/Programs/Arts/Initiatives--Strategies/National-Sector-Building/Fund-for-National-Projects/.
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**Career Development Award Program**, Giovanni Armenise-Harvard Foundation, deadline: July 15;  

**OTHER:**

**2014 Korean Studies Grant**, Visiting Lectureships, Competitive Research Funding, Workshop and Conference Support, deadline: 3/16/14;  

**Scientific Associates Programme**, CERN, deadline: 3/13/14;  
[http://jobs.web.cern.ch/job/10950].

**STUDENT:**

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[http://www.ajsnet.org/berman.htm].

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[http://honors.agu.org/research-grants-and-awards/the-horton-hydrology-research-grant/].

[http://www.sociologyofreligion.com/lectures-papers/fichter-research-grant-competition/].

**United Soybean Board (USB) Fellowship**, American Society of Agronomy, deadline: 4/10/14;  
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Please join us for an interdisciplinary discussion panel of “future” technology and strong artificial intelligence on Friday, March 21 from 3:45-5:00pm in Tidewater B. Panel members include Michael Green (Law School), Mark Hinders (Applied Science), Graduate Studies Advisory Board Members Cynthia Morton and Ed Watson, and David Ward, Colonel Retired, USA, and current MA/PhD History student. The panel will be moderated by John Griffin, Dean of Undergraduate Studies.

Not presenting at the Symposium, but still want to get involved? We are looking for volunteers to help serve as room proctors. Please email Jenna Carlson jkcarlson@email.wm.edu if interested.

GRADUATE A&S WORKSHOP “DESIGNING CONFERENCE POSTERS”

Today

The Graduate Center and Cohen Career Center will host a 90 minute hands-on workshop “Designing Conference Posters” March 10, 2014 from 5-6:30pm, in the Cohen Career Center Presentation Room A. Standard formatting, eye appeal, parallel construction, and text-to-graphic ratios are all important considerations when designing a conference poster. This workshop will present strategies for creating effective academic posters that will be sure to catch your audience’s attention. Sample posters, representing a variety of different fields, will be critiqued. Students are encouraged to bring their own academic posters to receive individualized, constructive feedback. If you are currently working on a conference poster, please bring a paper or electronic copy with you. There will be opportunities at the end of this workshop to receive feedback on your work. No need to RSVP. Please contact bgmont@wm.edu with questions!
CV, RESUME, NETWORKING, & MORE! (SCIENCES)
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Cohen Career Center, Presentation Rooms A & B. 180 Stadium Dr Williamsburg, VA 23185
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Contact KATARINA HOEGER (CCC SCIENCES LIAISON)

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BUILDING A FEDERAL RESUME WORKSHOP Tuesday, March 25th 2014 12:30pm - 1:30pm
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Learn how to tailor your resume for Federal internships and jobs. Resumes for applications in the federal sector are very different from regular resumes and application styles. This workshop will show you how to alter your resume to fit Federal internship and job applications requirements.
More Information
http://www.wm.edu/offices/career/articles/writing_docs/index.php
Contact career@wm.edu or 757-221-3231

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Summer Session registration information is below
March 10 – May 26 Summer Session 1 & Summer Session 3 Registration
March 10 – June 30 Summer Session 2 Registration

IMPORTANT INFORMATION on registration:
All returning A&S graduate students must register by July 1.
If a continuing student who’s eligible for an out-of-state tuition waiver is not registered by July 1, the Financial Aid office cannot apply the tuition waiver to the student’s account in a timely manner and the student’s next E-bill may charge out-of-state tuition. Neither the Financial Aid office nor the Office of Graduate Studies & Research will be able to correct the tuition charges until a subsequent E-bill cycle, which means that late fees may be due on the incorrect charge for out-of-state tuition. If the
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Reminder – Students who are Virginia residents but have not submitted the “Application for Virginia In-state Tuition Privileges” http://www.wm.edu/offices/registrar/documents/tuition/Domicile_Application.pdf must do so prior to registering for classes or you will be charged tuition at the out-of-state rate. Students currently classified as out-of-state may also submit this form to the Registrar’s office if you believe you may now be eligible for in-state classification.

FROM THE A&S GRADUATE
STUDENT ASSOCIATION (GSA)

GSA MEETING SCHEDULE
The next GSA meeting will be held:
Wednesday, March 12, 2014
Wednesday, April 02, 2014
Wednesday, April 23, 2014
All meetings will be held from 6:15 – 7:15 in the Sadler Center’s James Room. Pizza and refreshments will be provided. Please remember that representation at these meetings ensures your program remains eligible for GSA conference funding. If you’re a department representative, please contact Nabeel Siddiqui at nasiddiqui@email.wm.edu for more information.

PHYSICAL STANDARDS FOR
THESES AND DISSERTATIONS

ALL students must adhere to the guidelines which were revised dated 2/25/14. The updated standards and templates can be found on the following site. http://www.wm.edu/as/graduate/studentresources/physicalstandards/index.php

It is your responsibility to review the entire document to make sure you are in compliance with the Physical Standards. Please check with your Department/Program Graduate Administrator for help reviewing the thesis/dissertation for formatting standards per the physical standards document prior to submission to the Office of Graduate Studies.

Revisions include the following:
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2) It is required that students submit one complete draft of their thesis/dissertation for review of format by the OGSR 3 weeks prior to the published deadline before submitting the final copies. For May 2014 graduation, the draft deadline is March 28, 2014. The OGSR prefers to receive this required draft by electronic copy to apgrad@wm.edu.

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Binding Fees (3 copies, $7.00 ea.)
Doctoral Degree Students only
• Dissertation Filing Fee ($65 – formerly Microfilming Fee)
• Copyright Fee (optional $55)
• Dissertation Publishing Fee (Open Access, optional $95). Please note that if you select one of the Open Access publishing options, you must also pay this fee at the Cashier’s office.

Survey of Earned Doctorates Form
The 2013-2014 Survey of Earned Doctorates form must be submitted by graduating doctoral degree students and can be obtained at http://www.norc.org/Research/Projects/Pages/survey-of-earned-doctorates-(sed).aspx

ProQuest/UMI Dissertation Agreement Form
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Physical Standards for Theses and Dissertations. Please note that the Physical Standards for Theses and Dissertations have been updated. Students must adhere to the new guidelines which have revisions dated 02/25/14. The updated standards can be found
4TH LEMON PROJECT SPRING SYMPOSIUM

Join us for the 2014 Lemon Project Symposium. On Friday, March 14 at 6pm, Craig Steven Wilder, historian and author, will lead a discussion of his most recent book, Ebony & Ivy: Race, Slavery, and the Troubled History of America's Universities. This event will be followed by a Poetry Slam at 8:30pm. Dr. Wilder will offer the keynote address on Saturday, at 9am followed by research presentations. This event is free and open to the public, but you need to register. To see the full schedule and register please go to: www.wm.edu/sites/le ... /2014%20symp/index.php

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His Royal Highness Prince Turki Al-Faisal of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia will speak at William & Mary on Tuesday, March 11.

The title of Prince Turki's open forum will be "Saudi Views on Today's Middle East," which is free and open to the public. Tickets are not required for the event, which takes place in the Sadler Center's Commonwealth Auditorium from 4 – 5 p.m.

Prince Turki's visit to the university is part of the 25th anniversary of the founding of the Reves Center for International Studies at William & Mary.

“It is an honor to have Prince Turki Al-Faisal visit our campus and speak with our students, faculty, staff and community," said Vice Provost for International Affairs and Director of the Reves Center for International Studies Stephen E. Hanson. “Having world class speakers like Prince Turki Al-Faisal helps us to broaden our global understanding, and significantly contributes to the internationalization of our university.”

“We are indeed privileged to host HRH Prince Turki at this critical moment in U.S.-Saudi relations,” said Tamara Sonn, the William R. Kenan, Jr., Distinguished Professor of Humanities and Religious Studies.

Prince Turki is a well-known diplomat and commentator on Middle Eastern affairs. He was formerly the director of the Saudi General Intelligence Directorate from 1977 to 2001, was

The Virginia Crouch Memorial Research Grant

The Virginia Crouch Memorial Scholarship is a tribute to the extraordinary life of Virginia Crouch ’90, who died in a 1997 fire.

This grant provides a $1000 summer research grant on an alternating basis to a continuing Biology student studying field Botany and a continuing History student studying Virginia history. Graduate as well as continuing undergraduate students are eligible.

In 2014 the award will go to a History student. Please contact Professor Leisa Meyer (ldmeye@wm.edu), Chair of the History department, for more information.

OGSR/GSA SUPPLEMENTAL CONFERENCE TRAVEL FUNDING.

Through a collaborative effort between the Office of Graduate Studies and Research (OGSR) and the GSA, a limited number of $200 awards are available to assist selected Arts & Sciences graduate students who are attending or presenting at a research conference. The OGSR/GSA Conference Funding competitively awards Arts & Sciences graduate students who wish to attend or present at research conferences in their field of study. Conference Funding is financed through the Office of Graduate Studies and Research; however, it is solely administered by the GSA. The goal of Conference Funding is to supplement other funding sources and to help offset the expenses that graduate students accrue advancing their scholarship and knowledge. Since conference experience and attendance are critical for the job market, Conference Funding is designed to encourage graduate student presence at conferences by addressing some of the limitations of other funding sources. The application deadline for conference travel taken during the period April 16, 2014 through August 31, 2014 is 5:00pm on March 28, 2014. For more information and the application, please see http://wmpeople.wm.edu/site/page/gsa/conferencefunding
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AIA LECTURE
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Andrews 101. Professor Margaret Laird, Independent Scholar, will be speaking on Red Meat in Black and White: Imperial Cult in the Fire Station at Ancient Ostia. All are welcome to attend. For more information: **JOYCE HOLMES**

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If you would like to have an intercultural experience -- become a virtual conversation partner with an incoming international student through Skype! VCPP is a new initiative sponsored by the Reves Center.

Accepting APPLICATIONS.

Since the international students confirm their acceptance into W&M at different time, you have the flexibility to decide when to start the Skype conversation based on your own schedule. Ideally we hope the conversation would last for three months (anytime between May and August), 1 hour per week, before the international students arrive at W&M. This is a volunteer position. It counts as service hours. We will have an orientation on April 18th (2-4 p.m., Reves Room) and a recognition reception in September!

Questions? Contact: JXZHAN@EMAIL.WM.EDU. Or visit our website: HTTP://VCPP.BLOGS.WM.EDU/

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New Grant Advisor-External Funding Opportunities - (Cynthia Corbett)
The new issue of the Grant Advisor is now available at www.grantadvisor.com/tgaplus/
If you are off-campus, go to www.grantadvisor.com/tgapass/ and enter "tga" (without the quotes) as the username and "marks" as the password.
This publication lists deadlines for grants and fellowship opportunities broken down by the following categories: Fine Arts, Humanities, Social Sciences, Sciences, Education, International, Health Related, Minorities/Women, Unrestricted/Other, Federal Register.

W&M INTERNAL PROGRAMS:

Community of Scholars Fund, no deadline;
http://www.wm.edu/as/charlescenter/scholars/communityfund/index.php:
Mini-grants from the Community of Scholars Fund are available to faculty, staff, and students to encourage intellectual interaction between faculty and students outside the classroom. Possible uses for this funding include book or film discussion groups; or trips to lectures, museums, performances, laboratories, or field sites, including associated travel and/or meal expenses.

Distinguished Lectures in International Studies, rolling deadline,
http://www.wm.edu/offices/revescenter/funding/facultyfunding/lectures/index.php:
The Reves Center for International Studies is pleased to help support internationally-focused public lectures and performances. Funding is available to William & Mary faculty who wish to host distinguished scholars, artists, and practitioners whose public events and visits will contribute to international education at the university.

Faculty International Conference Travel Grants, rolling deadline,
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ARTS & HUMANITIES:

Concert Music Commissions, Fromm Music Foundation, Harvard University, deadline: 6/1/14;

SOCIAL SCIENCES:

ATA Executive Forum for the Study of Terrorism, Diplomatic Security, deadline: 3/28/14;

Dr. Guido Goldman Fellowship for the Study of German and European Economic and International Affairs, American Council on Germany, deadline: 7/1/14;


SCIENCE & RESEARCH/FEDERAL:


Technologies for Healthy Independent Living (R01), NIH, deadlines: LOI 30-days prior to deadline; application deadline 9/23/14; http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-14-118.html.


Nanotechnology Undergraduate Education (NUE) in Engineering, NSF, deadline: 5/27/14; http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2014/nsf14541/nsf14541.htm: *only one institutional application allowed – if you are interested in applying, please notify us ASAP.


2014 Research and Education Grant request for pre-proposals, Southern Region USDA Program on Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education (SARE), USDA, preproposal deadline: 6/2/14; http://www.southernsare.org/Grants/Apply-for-a-Grant.

Bioengineering Research Grants (BRG) (R01), NIH, standard deadlines: NEW February 5, June 5, October 5; RESUBMISSION/RENEWAL/REVISION March 5, July 5, November 5; http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-13-137.html.

Basic Mechanisms of Brain Development for Substance Use and Dependence (R01), NIH, standard deadlines: NEW February 5, June 5, October 5; RESUBMISSION/RENEWAL/REVISION March 5, July 5, November 5; http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-14-026.html.


Conservation of Turtles, Marine Turtle Conservation Fund, USFWS, deadlines: October 1, April 1; http://www.fws.gov/international/grants-and-reporting/how-to-apply.html.

2014 Commissioner’s Fellowship Program, FDA, deadline: 5/26/14; http://www.fda.gov/AboutFDA/WorkingatFDA/FellowshipInternshipGraduateFacultyPrograms/CommissionersFellowshipProgram/default.htm.

Independent Scientist Award (Parent K02), NIH, standard deadlines: NEW February 12, June 12, October 12; RESUBMISSION/RENEWAL/REVISION March 12, July 12, November 12; http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-14-045.html.

FOUNDATION:

Research Grants and Grants-in-Aid, Whitehall Foundation, deadlines: LOI January 15, April 15, October 1; application June 1, September 1, February 15; http://www.whitehall.org/grants/.
** If you are interested in this opportunity, please contact Rob Breckenridge, W&M Development, rebreckinridge@wm.edu or 1-1036, to coordinate efforts prior to contacting the Foundation.

Grand Challenges Explorations Grants -- Round 13, Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, deadline: 5/6/14; http://www.grandchallenges.org/explorations/Pages/introduction.aspx:
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- Explore New Ways to Measure Fetal and Infant Brain Development - new!
- Inciting Healthy Behaviors: nudge, disrupt, leapfrog, reach
- Novel Enabling Tools and Models Supporting Development of Interventions for Enteric Dysfunction
- Innovations in Feedback & Accountability Systems for Agricultural Development

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OTHER:


2015-2016 Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program Core Competition, CIES, deadline 8/1/14; http://www.cies.org/program/core-fulbright-us-scholar-program.

Scientific Research Grants, American Floral Endowment, deadline, preproposals: June 1; invited full proposals November 1; http://www.endowment.org/floriculture-research-funding/application-details-timeline.html.

Fulbright NEXUS Scholar Program, CIES, deadline: 4/1/14; http://www.cies.org/program/fulbright-nexus-regional-scholar-program:
The Fulbright NEXUS Program will provide a platform for scholars from across the region to engage in collaborative thinking, analysis, problem-solving and multi-disciplinary research in one of five areas:
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13th Annual Graduate Research Symposium

Our heartfelt thanks to everyone who participated in this year’s event. There were more than 150 poster and oral presentations by graduate students from W&M and from 19 regional institutions. We especially want to give a special thanks to the volunteers and presenters who gave generously of their time. Preliminary numbers indicate that this year’s event exceeded last year’s participation levels and an early review of the evaluations indicates a high satisfaction with the event overall. The Symposium needs dedicated and enthusiastic volunteers for next year. If you are interested in taking a more active role in the Symposium, please contact Chasity Roberts at grs@wm.edu. One of the highlights of this year’s event was the Robotics Interdisciplinary Panel Discussion and Networking Reception. Our congratulations to the following award recipients for Excellence in Scholarship!

Market Access International, Inc. Award for Excellence in Scholarship in the Humanities and Social Sciences - $1,000.00
KRISTINA POZNA
The College of William and Mary, History, Advisor: Dr. Scott Nelson

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Funding is available to support William & Mary faculty who are hosting on-campus professional conferences that will contribute to international education at the College. Proposals making use of the university's Washington, D.C. Office are also welcome.

ARTS & HUMANITIES:

Fellowship Program, National Park Service’s Longfellow House, deadline: 4/7/14;
http://www.friendsoflongfellowhouse.org/2010/05/fellowship-program.html:
*The collections of the National Park Service’s Longfellow House—Washington’s Headquarters National Historic Site in Cambridge, Massachusetts, include a significant archive of materials (letters, diaries, photographs, art, books, and material objects) from the 17th to early 20th century on a variety of subjects. Many relate to Henry Wadsworth Longfellow’s family, relatives (such as the Dana family), and literary circle.

SOCIAL SCIENCES:

Estimating the Economic Costs of Alzheimer’s Disease and Related Dementias (R01),


Implications of the Economic Downturn for Health, Wealth, and Work at Older Ages (R01), NIH, standard deadlines: NEW February 5, June 5, October 5; RENEWAL/RESUBMISSION/REVISION March 5, July 5, November 5; http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-009.html.

**SCIENCE & RESEARCH/FEDERAL:**

Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award (NRSA) Individual Postdoctoral Fellowship (Parent F32), NIH, standard deadlines: April 8, August 8, December 8; http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-14-149.html.

Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award (NRSA) Individual Senior Fellowship (Parent F33), NIH, standard deadlines: April 8, August 8, December 8; http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-14-151.html.


Analytical Modeling for Extreme-Scale Computing Environments, DOE, deadline: 4/18/14; https://www.fedconnect.net/FedConnect/PublicPages/PublicSearch/Public_Opportunities.aspx.


Effects of adolescent binge drinking on brain development (R01), NIH, standard deadlines: NEW February 5, June 5, October 5; RENEWAL/RESUBMISSION/REVISION March 5, July 5, November 5; http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-027.html.

http://www.wm.edu/as/graduate/
Examination of Survivorship Care Planning Efficacy and Impact [R01], NIH, standard deadlines: NEW February 5, June 5, October 5; RESUBMISSION/RENEWAL/REVISION March 5, July 5, November 5; http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-275.html.


Safe and Secure Operations Office Wide BAA, Intelligence Advanced Research Projects Activity (IARPA), BAA open until 3/9/15; https://www.fbo.gov/index?s=opportunity&mode=form&id=a764ab8aa604142bf3b6e091096f2466&tab=core_cview=0.

Office of Smart Collection Office-Wide Broad Agency Announcement (BAA), Intelligence Advanced Research Projects Activity (IARPA), BAA open until 3/9/14; https://www.fbo.gov/index?s=opportunity&mode=form&id=70286b31155fea374b6f5d602112c999&tab=core_cview=0.


FOUNDATION:

2014 W.T. Grant Scholars, W. T. Grant Foundation, deadline: 7/9/14; http://www.wtgrantfoundation.org/funding_opportunities/fellowships/william_t__grant_scholars.

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**OTHER:**

**Awards Program**, Materials Research Society, deadlines: April 1, August 1; [http://www.mrs.org/awards/](http://www.mrs.org/awards/).

**STUDENT:**

Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award (NRSA) Individual Predoctoral Fellowship (Parent F31), NIH, standard deadlines: April 8, August 8, December 8; [http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/PA-14-147.html](http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/PA-14-147.html).


Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award (NRSA) Individual Postdoctoral Fellowship (Parent F32), NIH, standard deadlines: April 8, August 8, December 8; [http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/PA-14-149.html](http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/PA-14-149.html).

Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award (NRSA) Individual Predoctoral MD/PhD or Other Dual-Doctoral Degree Fellowship (Parent F30), NIH, standard deadlines: April 8, August 8, December 8; [http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/PA-14-150.html](http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/PA-14-150.html).


Graduate Student Awards Program, Materials Research Society, deadline: December 1; [http://www.mrs.org/awards/](http://www.mrs.org/awards/).


Young Activist Award, Mario Savio Memorial Lecture Fund, deadline: June 30; [http://www.savio.org/young_activist_award.html](http://www.savio.org/young_activist_award.html).
29th Annual Hampton University Graduate Studies (HUGS) summer school, Jefferson Lab, deadline: 4/11/14; http://www.jlab.org/hugs/.
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This week we are featuring important deadlines and upcoming events. Thank you for those who have completed the survey. We appreciate your feedback. If you have yet to complete the survey, please take a moment to do so.

**Deadlines**
- **Physical Standards for Theses and Dissertations**: Final Draft Deadline April 18
- A&S Graduate Student Research Grants: **Deadline April 25** (see .pdf attachment)
- **Nominations from Faculty for Distinguished Thesis and Dissertations Awards**: Deadline April 18
- Registration deadline for all returning students: July 1
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- **Summer Session 2 Registration**: March 10 to June 30
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**Events**
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- **Communications in the Workplace**: April 10
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**Useful Links**
- **Theses and Dissertations Fees for May 2014**

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- Virginia Crouch Memorial Research Grant: No Deadline

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This is the last edition of “Did You Know That?” for the semester. The newsletter is going on a summer hiatus and will return on August 25, 2014.

Deadlines
- **Important information on W&M health care and insurance eligibility for 2014-2015** (complete .pdf attached)
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