Vol. 13, No. 28 March 28, 2016

The Graduate Student Association’s (GSA) next meeting will be tomorrow March 29rd from 6:00 – 7:30 pm at the Sadler Center York Room.  More

Leonidas Aliaga-Soplin, Physics will present his Oral Exam for the Ph.D., titled: “Neutrino Flux Prediction for the NuMI Beaml ine” this Wednesday, March 30th 2016 from 10am - 1pm in Small Hall, Room 122.  More

Announcements

· The Committee on Sustainability is accepting applications for the 2016-2017 graduate student representative position. Students are voting members of COS, speak for the student body, help decide on Green Fee dissemination, and supervise working groups through co-chairing one of three COS subcommittees. Deadline for graduate students to apply is this Wednesday March 30, 2016.  More

· *May 2016 Graduates* - The new Theses and Dissertations website is now available. The William & Mary Electronic Thesis & Dissertation (ETD) Administrator website is also available now (Please note: to access all sections of the site, your submission needs to be completed in sequential order). All thesis and dissertation drafts will be submitted to the William & Mary ETD Administrator website for review and approval. All parts of your thesis/dissertation must follow the formatting specified in the Physical Standards for Theses and Dissertations. The May 2016 Graduation theses and dissertations submission deadlines are: April 15, 2016 for the Final submission. The Defense Must be scheduled and completed by April 8, 2016 so that any potential changes will be finalized by the final submission date.  NOTE: 1) There will be no required fees for this new process. 2) there are new requirements for the Final submission outlined in the Theses and Dissertations website.

· Journal Club is a weekly, informal opportunity for A&S and VIMS graduate students to share their research, practice their presentation skills, and interact with other grads from an array of different fields, with FREE snacks and beverages served to attendees This will be every Thursday, 5:30 p.m. – 7:30pm. in McGlothlin-Street Hall, Room 20. March 3 will be canceled - Up next will be March 31: Helis Sikk, American Studies - title to be announced.  More

· Don’t miss the Mass Digitization of Cultural Heritage: Why Copyright Obstacles Must Be Overcome lecture next Tuesday, April 5th 2016 from 3:30pm - 5pm in the Law School, Room 127.  More
Zhengrui Qin’s, Computer Science doctoral Defense, titled: Security Supports for Cyber-
Physical System and Its Communication Networks, will be Wednesday, April 6th 2016 from 9:30am - 11:30am in the Wren Building, Grammar School Classroom.  

Shengye Wan’s, Computer Science, masters Defense, titled: Protecting Web Contents against Persistent Crawlers, will be Wednesday, April 6th 2016 from 12pm - 2pm in the Wren Building, Grammar School Classroom.  

The Cohen Career invites all A&S Graduate Students to the Teaching Outside Higher Ed with an Arts & Sciences Graduate Degree workshop on Tuesday, April 12th 2016 from 6pm - 7:30pm in the Cohen Career Center, Presentation Room.  

Reminders

Fall Priority Registration for Continuing Students continues through July 1st 2016 and Fall schedule adjustments begins March 26, 2016 through July 1, 2016.  

Summer Session 1 (S1): New and continuing degree-seeking student registration continues through May 23rd 2016 (More) and Summer Session 2 (S2): New and continuing degree-seeking student registration will continue through Friday, July 1st 2016 (More)  

The Department of Energy's (DOE) Office of Science is pleased to announce that the Office of Science Graduate Student Research (SCGSR) program is now accepting applications for the 2016 Solicitation 1. Applications are due 5:00pm ET on Wednesday May 11, 2016. Starting from 2015 Solicitation 2, the SCGSR program is open to graduate students with Permanent Resident status, in addition to U.S. Citizens, who meet all other eligibility requirements. Please see the SCGSR website for detailed information about the program, including eligibility requirements and access to the online application system.  

Commencement 2016 Information - This year's Commencement Weekend is planned for May 13-15, 2016.  

Graduate A&S Commencement Reception is scheduled for Saturday, May 14, 2016 at 3:00 p.m. in Undergraduate Admissions Sessions Room. This is by invitation only for January, May and August 2016 Degree Candidates.  

Please Note: Apply to graduate in January, May and August 2017 with the Online Graduation Application.