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### OGSR Reminders

1. [Continuing students begin to register for spring 2019](#) on October 22, 2018. It's time to register for next semester! Don't wait. Get this done now.
2. [Call for Proposals: Graduate Research Symposium](#). The 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Graduate Research Symposium (GRS) will be held March 15-16, 2019 in the Sadler Center. The deadline to submit a presentation abstract is 11:59 pm EST on December 7, 2018. Watch for an email from the GRS committee today with more information.

### Graduate Center Programs

1. [Preparing to submit your dissertation or thesis in preparation to graduate?](#) Want more information about embargoes and tips for navigating the Electronic Thesis and Dissertation (ETD) system? Join us for an info session tomorrow, October 23 12-1:30 p.m. in the Ford Classroom in Swem. Bring your brownbag lunch and have your questions answered about the thesis/dissertation submission process.
2. [Science Writing Retreat](#), January 7-11, 2019. This writing bootcamp, primarily for students in terminal masters programs in the sciences, is intended to help you get a jumpstart on your thesis writing. The retreat is facilitated by Sarah Glosson. To be registered, [please fill out this form](#) or email [sgglos@wm.edu](mailto:sgglos@wm.edu) by November 15.
3. [Digital Humanities Bootcamp](#), January 7-11, 2019. Interested in gaining hands-on experience with a variety of programming and computing skills for a digital humanities project or to help you manage and automate working with your humanities "data" (e.g., archival materials, photographs)? Sign up for the Computing for the Humanities bootcamp taught by Prof. Jim Deverick in computer science. Email Sarah Glosson for details and to sign up.
4. [The Graduate Women in Sciences](#) group will meet again, November 7, 5 p.m. in the Grad Commons (Swem 2<sup>nd</sup> floor). All women and those who identify as women are welcome to stop by for a "Guac Talk," a time for informal conversation and delicious guacamole! Student run & organized; sponsored by the Grad Center.
5. The new Graduate LGBTQ+ Social Group is planning an interest meeting, November 13 at 5 p.m. If you're interested, [please RSVP here](#); this form is anonymous and the results will only be used to get a headcount for reserving an appropriate space. All members of the W&M graduate student community are welcome. Student run & organized; sponsored by the Grad Center.

### W&M Events & Opportunities

1. Today: Swem's Special Collections is hosting an [LGBTQIA+ History Open House](#), 2-5 p.m. Explore archival records of local LGBT history, including journals, books, oral histories.

2. [Upcoming talk](#): “Being a Mentor, Being a Mentee. Building a Professional Community” presented by Prof. Mary Silber, U. of Chicago. Thurs., October 25, 4-5 p.m. in ISC 3020. Open to the public.
3. [“My Mother Was a Computer”: Legacies of Gender and Technology](#). A symposium on November 2, 2018, open to all. To commemorate the 100th anniversary of coeducation, the 2018-2019 digital humanities symposium builds on the existing body of work created by scholarly collectives studying feminism and technology. [Register online](#).

### **Funding, Fellowships, and More**

1. [The Omohundro Institute offers various Fellowships](#). November 1, 2018 deadline.
2. The Reves Center offers [Opportunity Awards](#) of up to \$500 for international students. November 2, 2018 deadline.
3. [A&S Graduate Research Grants for Fall 2018](#). Students are encouraged to apply for research support up to \$350 from the OGSR to collect data at museums or archives, conduct research, or travel to field work sites. Fall 2018 grants cover expenses incurred January 1 to April 15, 2019. Application deadline: December 7, 2018, 4:00 p.m.
4. [OGSR/GSA Supplemental Conference Travel Funding for Fall 2018](#). Through a collaborative effort between the OGSR and the GSA, a limited number of awards are available to assist A&S graduate students who are attending or presenting at a research conference between January 1 to April 15, 2019. Application deadline: December 7, 2018, 5:00 p.m.