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The E-Communiqué is published monthly with notices of upcoming deadlines, clinics and seminars, and other matters related to graduate education at ASU. View past issues of E-Communiqué at graduate.asu.edu/ecommunique.html.

Graduate and Professional Student Appreciation Week March 17-21, 2008

This annual celebration of ASU graduate and professional students will feature a week of special events, including an art exhibit, workshops, library open house, luncheon, and a Graduate Appreciation Picnic. Arizona state legislators will attend the picnic for the first time. Visit the GPSA website at www.asu.edu/gpsa for the schedule. All events will take place on the Tempe campus.

Preparing Future Faculty Applications due April 1, 2008

The PFF program is now accepting applications for the 2008-2009 class. Any PhD, MFA, or MSD student who will have completed one year of study by the start of the fall 2008 semester is eligible to apply. PFF is a professional development program for students who are interested in learning more about the roles of a faculty member. Applications are available at graduate.asu.edu/pff/applying.html and are due on **Apr 1 (T)**. For more information about the PFF program, please visit the website: graduate.asu.edu/pff

Mark Your Calendars - Fall 2008 TAD Face-to-Face Orientation Dates Set

All new TAs must complete the TAD program, including attendance at one of the two half-day Face-to-Face Orientations. The dates for the Fall 2008 Face-to-Face orientations are **Aug 18 (M)**, 1:00pm-5:00pm and **Aug 19 (T)**, 8:30am-12:30pm. Any TA who has not previously attended a TA Orientation or completed the TAD program must attend.

Would you like to schedule an Explore Graduate School Seminar for this summer?

If you are interested in co-sponsoring or offering an Explore Graduate School Seminar, contact Jennifer Cason at Jennifer.Cason@asu.edu. The Explore Graduate School Seminar series provides information on the graduate application process and financing graduate school to prospective graduate students including ASU juniors, seniors and the campus community. The Graduate College collaborates with the ASU Scholarship Office, Professional Enhancement Programs and other ASU colleges and departments interested in reaching prospective students. View the Spring schedule and find more information: graduate.asu.edu/explore_gradschool.html.

- Other Announcements/Reminders/Updates -

The University Graduate Council

Mar 7 (F) The deadline for receiving the final copies of all graduate proposals and supporting documents including all unit and college approvals for this meeting of the Council

Mar 25 (T) Council meeting

Apr 4 (F) The deadline for receiving the final copies of all graduate proposals and supporting documents including all unit and college approvals for this meeting of the Council. Please note: April dates are a change from previously published dates.

Apr 22 (T) Council meeting

The Council calendar for AY 2007-08, Council members'

- Upcoming Deadlines/Events -

Preparing Future Faculty

Apr 1 (T) Application Deadline

More Info at: graduate.asu.edu/pff/applying.html

Strategies for Success

Mar 24 (M) Interviewing for Academic Jobs, 1:15pm-2:45pm, COWDN 215 In this Strategies for Success workshop, we will talk about the formats for academic job interviews held at professional conferences, via phone, and on-campus. We will also discuss what usually happens in each of those formats.

Mar 25 (T) Preparing Your Curriculum Vitae (Part II), 1:30pm-3:00pm, BA 353 This Strategies for Success workshop is a hands-on interactive session to further

roster and Council agenda information can be found at: graduate.asu.edu/graduatecouncils.html

Curricular Development

For assistance with new graduate curricular initiatives/proposals, or development of new graduate curricular initiatives, please contact Dr. Filiz Ozel, Associate Vice Provost for Graduate Academic Programs at Ozel@asu.edu, Denise Campbell, Program Manager for Graduate Academic Programs at Denise.Campbell@asu.edu or Amanda Morales-Calderon, Administrative Associate at Amanda.Morales-Calderon@asu.edu.

More Info at: graduate.asu.edu/gapd/index.html, Forms: graduate.asu.edu/gapd/forms.html

University Curriculum Development information can be found at: www.asu.edu/provost/curriculum/

Graduate Student Recruitment Calendar

Check out the ASU graduate recruitment calendar at graduate.asu.edu/recruitment_events.html. Send your graduate recruitment event schedule to Jennifer Cason at Jennifer.Cason@asu.edu to be included in our calendar.

– Upcoming Fellowships Deadlines –

Apr 1 (T) Earl A. and Lenore H. Tripke Travel Award materials due for **travel between June 1, 2008 and August 31, 2008.**

More Info at: graduate.asu.edu/tripke.html

National Fellowships

graduate.asu.edu/nationalfellowships.html

Diversity Fellowships

graduate.asu.edu/gcfellowships.html

Dissertation/Thesis Fellowships

graduate.asu.edu/financial/thesis.html

Postdoctoral Fellowships

graduate.asu.edu/postdoctoral.html

develop your CV. Bring four copies of your CV. Don't worry how partial or rough it is because this is an opportunity to get feedback for revising your CV.

Apr 14 (M) *Preparing Your Curriculum Vitae (Part II)*, 1:15pm-2:45pm, COWDN 124 This Strategies for Success workshop is a hands-on interactive session to further develop your CV. Bring four copies of your CV. Don't worry how partial or rough it is because this is an opportunity to get feedback for revising your CV.

More Info at: graduate.asu.edu/sfs

Exploring Graduate School

Mar 18 (T) *Getting Into Graduate School*, 4:30pm-5:30pm, SSV 394 This workshop focuses on how to decide if graduate school is right for you, how to choose schools, and what is needed to market yourself to graduate programs as a desirable candidate.

Mar 20 (Th) *Getting Into Graduate School*, 4:00pm-5:00pm, MB-C 121, (For Barrett Honors Students Only) This workshop focuses on how to decide if graduate school is right for you, how to choose schools, and what is needed to market yourself to graduate programs as a desirable candidate.

Mar 27 (Th) *Preparing For the GMAT*, 4:00pm-5:00pm, GWC 487 This workshop focuses on helping you prepare for the GMAT, a standardized test required for admission by many graduate programs.

More Info at: graduate.asu.edu/explore_gradschool.html

– Helpful Hints from the GC –

The 2007-2008 Graduate Catalog

www.asu.edu/aad/catalogs/graduate/contents.html

GC Online Forms for Students

graduate.asu.edu/forms/index.html

Graduate Student Profiles

graduate.asu.edu/profiles/index.html Do you want to feature one of your graduate students? Notify Michele St George at Michele.stgeorge@asu.edu

Graduate Students in the News

Contact Kathy Douglas at kdouglas@asu.edu and Michele St George at michele.stgeorge@asu.edu with the information to link to the story.

The "Dean's Message"

Many of you use the dean's message in your packets to prospective students. A PDF file is ready for you to download and copy.

graduate.asu.edu/files/pdfs/DeansLtr.pdf