Dear Graduate and Professional Students,

Below is the November Graduate Student Association (GSA) newsletter for the 2015-16 school year. You will find important information concerning events and opportunities specific to graduate students.

The GSA has several events and opportunities planned for you the remaining of this year, from the informative to the fun!

If you haven’t already, please connect with us on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram. We share important and useful information for graduate students. As always, if you have any questions or if the GSA can support you in any way please email us.

I am looking forward to what I know will be a fantastic rest of the year.

Go Gamecocks!

Sincerely,

Andrew G Fogner

**Graduate Student Association Newsletter**

**WORKSHOPS YOU CAN USE:**

NOV 3 – FLIP: Focus on Learning, Innovation and Pedagogy
NOV 3 – Mutual Expectations: Academic Integrity and Civility in the 21st Century
NOV 4 – Land Ho! Charting Your Course to an Approved Distributed Learning Course
NOV 5 – Fostering Integrative Learning Through Reflection
NOV 9 – Voyages into the Technology Frontier: Robotics
NOV 10 – Active Learning Strategies for Any Discipline
NOV 11 – Improve Your Vocal Presence in the Classroom
NOV 17 – Turbo–Tech Tuesday: Adobe Presenter
NOV 17 – FLIP: Focus on Learning, Innovation and Pedagogy
NOV 18 – Best Practices for Facilitating Effective Team Projects in the Classroom
NOV 19 – Five Common Student Writing Issues and How to Address Them
WHAT’S HAPPENING ON CAMPUS:

The Graduate Student Association of University of South Carolina (USC GSA) would like to hear from YOU! We would like to better understand how the GSA could help you. Please contact our new executive cabinet and liaisons!

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**NEWS YOU CAN USE:**

**UPCOMING EVENTS:**

**NOVEMBER**

Veterans Service Association, Nov 9th at 11am-2pm on Green Street
Grad Student Writing Day, Nov 12th at 9am-1pm in Byrnes 704
Green Networking Breakfast, Nov 18th at 8am-9:30am in DM
  *Sign up at www.sc.edu/green/breakfast
Green Zone Training, Nov 17th at 2:15pm-4:15pm
  *Sign up at the Student Success Center
GSA Football Tailgate, Nov 28th in Fair Grounds
Benefit for USC PD, Nov TBA

**DECEMBER**

IHI, December 2nd at 5-7pm in the RH Ballroom
IMPORTANT:

Funding:
The GSA has a fund for you to apply for money to aid you in putting on your events and activities. We are on an all-rolling process this year, so we just ask that you apply at least 2 weeks ahead of time to give the Finance Committee time to process your requests. Please email GSA Treasurer with questions.

University Libraries Committee:
The GSA is looking for a diverse group of graduate students to form a committee concerning graduate needs in the Thomas Cooper Library. Students will meet 2-3 times a semester with Library Administration. Please email sogsa@mailbox.sc.edu if you are interested in serving!