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This newsletter will be delivered to you on a monthly basis with content curated for USask's grad community. Scroll through to learn about upcoming events, opportunities and more.

What's coming up?

Deadlines

Aug. 15: [USask Distinguished Teacher Award Nomination Deadline](#)

Events

June 28: [CGPS Professional Skills: Exploring Professional Communication](#)

June 29: [CGPS Professional Skills: Project Management Frameworks Graduate Programs](#)

July 11: [Designing Assessment in a ChatGPT Context](#)

July 17: [Designing Assessment in a ChatGPT Context](#)

July 19: [Ethics Bowl](#)

July 24: [Teaching Skills Short Course \(TSSC\)](#)

July 27: [Designing Assessment in a ChatGPT Context](#)

[View all upcoming CGPS events in our calendar.](#)

What's happening?

Get help preparing for your future career

Exploring and preparing for your career can be exciting but may leave you feeling overwhelmed and confused. The good news is, it's never too early or late to start, and [Career Services](#) can help!

USask students (and alumni) can [book an appointment with a career educator](#), [attend employer events](#), apply for jobs on CareerLink and access online resources.



Let's get ethical!

On July 19th, 2023, the College of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies is hosting their first ever [Ethics Bowl](#). An Ethics Bowl is a collaborative and competitive event where teams of multidisciplinary graduate students analyze and discuss ethical dilemmas while responding to questions from

other teams and a panel of judges.

Registration has closed for this event, but graduate students, faculty, and staff are invited to attend this event in-person on July 19th in the Thorvaldson Building from 1pm to 5pm to learn more.

2022 Distinguished Graduate Mentor Award-Winners

Throughout June, USask has been celebrating the many achievements of faculty, students and staff who go above and beyond in their dedication to the University of Saskatchewan.



Congratulations to the latest recipients of the [CGPS Distinguished Graduate Mentor Award](#), Dr. Julia Boughner (PhD, Hon.BSc.) and Dr. Daniel Chen (PhD, P.Eng.).



USask Distinguished Teacher Award

The annual call for the nominations for the Fall USask Distinguished Teacher Award is now open!

The recently renamed University of Saskatchewan Distinguished Teacher Award recognizes faculty members who make outstanding contributions to the learning and working environments of USask.

Nominations due by August 15, 2023. [Learn more about the award.](#)

Stepping Stones: Resources for Indigenous Health, Wellness and Reconciliation

[Stepping Stones](#) is a resource webpage hosted by the USask Health Sciences to help meaningfully address current health inequalities rooted in colonization and systemic racism.



Follow the stepping stones to Indigenous health and wellness that resonate with you and self-direct your unique journey towards more appropriate, equitable, inclusive and caring interactions.

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University Library: Grad Summer Supports

Whether you are a new or returning USask grad student, our librarians, learning specialists, library assistants, writing tutors, and peer mentors are here to support you.

Learn more about the [graduate learning supports](#) available throughout the summer. Questions about services and supports? [Contact the University Library.](#)

Workshops & Resources: Gwenna Moss Centre for Teaching & Learning

This summer, the Gwenna Moss Centre for Teaching & Learning is offering a variety of



workshops and resources for faculty members, instructors, and post-doctoral fellows at USask.

For a full look at upcoming courses and workshops, visit the [Gwenna Moss website](#).



Registration now open: Both online and in-person GPS981 courses available now

Are you an international student new to USask? Registration is now open for [GPS981: Academic Preparation for International Graduate Students](#). Limited seats are available for both online and in-person course offerings.

Students who prefer a more **structured** environment to **ask questions** and **interact with classmates** are encouraged to register for the in-person section (CRN #87945). For students with **strong time-management skills** who prefer a more **flexible schedule**, the online section (CRN #90596) may be a better option.

Graduate students recognized with Governor General's Gold Medal awards

Throughout June, USask has been celebrating the many achievements of faculty, students and staff who go above and beyond in their dedication to the University of Saskatchewan.



Congratulations to this year's [Governor General's Academic Gold Medal recipients](#), Caroline Aubry-Wake (PhD) and Josh Neudorf (PhD).



Save the Date: JumpStart Your Learning 2023

Mark your calendars! Jumpstart 2023 will be kicking off with online sessions from August 16-18 to provide new graduate students with information to help you succeed at USask.

[Learn more about the event.](#)

Do you have news to share with the grad community?

We want to hear it! Contact cgps.comms@usask.ca to learn how you can be featured in next month's newsletter.

