May 2023

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
June 5: CIHR Q&A Session - Registration Deadline

Events
June 1: Pride Flag Raising Ceremony
June 5-9: Spring Convocation
June 7: A Toast to PhDs
June 13: CIHR Q&A Session - English
June 15: CIHR Q&A Session - French
What's happening?

Questions about CIHR awards?

The Canadian Institutes of Health Research will be offering two Q&A sessions for trainees and postdoctoral researchers regarding award programs offered.

Register by June 5th deadline and you'll have the opportunity to submit your questions in-advance of the session.

A Toast to PhDs

To honour the tremendous achievement of earning a doctorate, Spring 2023 PhD graduates, their guests and supervisors are invited to A Toast to USask's PhDs featuring a short program with champagne toasts. A light lunch will be served.

The event will be hosted by Dean Debby Burshtyn on June 7th from 11:30am TO 1:00pm at the Holiday Inn Express & Suites on College Ave.

Joseph Neapetung: Celebrating Indigenous Grad Student Success

PhD student Joseph Neapetung discusses his journey to post-secondary education, research at the College of Medicine, and advice for Indigenous grad students at the University of Saskatchewan.

Read Joseph's full story.
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. Learn more.

MS Teams for grad students - opt-in now available!

MS Teams, currently available to faculty and staff, will now be available to graduate students through an opt-in process via their PAWS MyProfile starting on May 1, 2023. Teams is considered as an all-in-one collaborative solution for teamwork; from scheduling meetings, starting spontaneous chats, and easy syncing with Outlook and OneDrive.

Visit MS Teams, group collaboration, and messaging info for more information.

Ayicia Nabigon: Bringing Indigenous Knowledge into Research

For Ayicia, the decline of the moose population in her home community was a major motivation for her to start studying the natural environment. Her research focuses on the declining moose populations in the boreal forest of northern Saskatchewan and the potential impacts of climate change, human activities, and disease on these populations.

Read Ayicia’s full story.

Upcoming Workshops - Gwenna Moss Centre for Teaching and Learning

The Gwenna Moss Centre is committed to supporting and improving teaching and learning, please see our upcoming short courses and workshops for June and July!

workshops.php

https://teaching.usask.ca/events/courses-and-
Resources available - visit the Library Learning Hub!

From searching for sources to preparing for presentations, visit the Learning Hub to learn how the library supports your success in graduate school.

Winter 2023 Graduate student and postdoctoral survey - results available!

Working together with the support of CGPS, a group of service units from across campus, including Career Services, GMCTL, and the Library, recently surveyed graduate students and postdoctoral scholars to gain insight into the USask experience.

View the infographic for an overview of the survey results.

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.