SPRING 2018 EVENT SCHEDULE

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"Speed Geeking;" Or, How I Learned to Love Talking about My Research Outside of My Discipline
Date & Time: Monday, January 22 @2:30-4pm & Wednesday, April 25th @12:30pm-2:30pm
Location: Stamp Student Union (Jan 22); McKeldin 4123B (Apr 25)
Are you building an academic or professional network? Do you find yourself at conferences and not quite prepared to talk about yourself and your research? Come get some practice with us at Speed Geeking!

Managing Data from Your Research
Date & Time: Tuesday, February 6th @1pm-3pm & Tuesday March 27th @12pm-2pm
Location: McKeldin 6107
Collecting data as you research and need a management plan? Interested in practical tips and resources for curating and preserving data?
Join us for an introduction to the research-data life cycle, an overview of data preservation concepts, methodology, and for a discussion of what qualifies as research data. Learn how data management applies to your research and hear tips on how to better prepare yourself to meet the challenges required for funding agencies and grant writing.

Creating Your Academic Presence Online
Date & Time: Tuesday, February 13th @10:30am-12:30pm & Tuesday April 10th @ 10:30am-12:30pm
Location: McKeldin 6107
Have you considered establishing an online presence for your academic identity? Wondering how to leverage social media to build academic contacts and publicize your own work? Want to learn how open access publication and repositories might benefit you? Did you know there are library resources that could help with these topics and more?
This workshop will help you to think about how to approach social media as a professional, how you might engage in the professional online conversations in your field, and best practices for sharing your own work or others'.

The Ins and Outs of Academic Publishing: A Graduate Student Panel
Date & Time: Monday, February 19th @1pm-3pm
Location: McKeldin 4123B
Are you a grad student trying to wrap your head around the academic publishing process? Not sure if you're at the right stage to get started? Need to know what to expect? Interested in knowing what publishing is like for grad students in different disciplines? Come ask your questions and hear some answers from other students like you!

Getting Started with Poster Design
Date & Time: Tuesday, February 27th @12pm-2pm & Tuesday April 2nd @12pm-2pm
Location: McKeldin 6107
Are you interested in participating in poster sessions at conferences or other events but don't know how to get started? Want to learn how you might easily include some graphic design into how you communicate about your scholarship? Then come join us to get started with poster design!

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All About Conferencing: A Graduate Student Panel

Date & Time: Wednesday, March 7th @1pm-3pm
Location: McKeldin 4123B

Are you new to conferencing and interested in hearing about graduate students’ conferencing experiences? Have an upcoming conference and not sure what to anticipate? Looking to make the most of your conference experiences? Come ask your questions and hear some answers from graduate students like you!

Organizing Your Research and Using Citation Managers

Date & Time: Monday, March 12 @11am-1pm & Wednesday, April 18 @1pm-3pm
Location: McKeldin 6107

Still adapting your workflow to graduate school? Starting a new project and worried about staying organized? Need a solution for keeping track of your PDFs and other files?

Learn strategies for organizing your research, hear the experiences of other graduate students, consider the benefits of cloud storage apps, and get introduced to citation managers like EndNote Web, Mendeley, and Zotero.

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