

# TAMU AGEP & TAMUGE ACTIVITIES FOR FALL 2016

Student skill levels (A-Academic, C-Career, I&A-Instruction & Assessment, L&C-Leadership & Communication)

**TAMU AGEP & TAMUGE  
ACTIVITIES** are focused on  
graduate student and  
postdoc career and  
professional development.  
Pre-registration is required

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and registration information  
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to career and professional  
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Date	AGEP Led Major/Led/Co-Hosted Activities	Location	Time	Activity Type	Skill	Guest Speaker(s)
9/12/2016	Piazza Chat: How to get the mentoring you need. What are your expectations?	Online: Piazza.com	6:00PM-7:00PM	AGEP Led	L&C	AGEP Ambassador (Abner Mendoza)
9/22/2016	<b>AGEP Welcome Back Kick-Off // Essentials for Three Minute Elevator Speeches</b>	Evans 612	12:00 PM - 1:30 PM	AGEP Major Led	L&C	AGEP Staff
9/26/2016	Piazza Chat: Maintaining the mentor-mentee relationship. What are your responsibilities as a mentee?	Online: Piazza.com	6:00 PM - 7:00 PM	AGEP Led	L&C	AGEP Ambassador (Abner Mendoza)
9/27/2016	Peer Writing Group #1	Evans 612	5:30 PM - 6:30 PM	AGEP Led	L&C	Gina Wadas
9/28/2016	<b>AGEP Luncheon: Creating and managing an ePortfolio</b>	Evans 612	12:00 PM - 1:30 PM	AGEP Major Led	C	<b>Cindy Raisor, Lecturer and Director of the Bush School Writing Program</b>
10/4/2016	Peer Review Group #1	Evans 612	5:30 PM - 6:30 PM	AGEP Led	L&C	Ms. Gina Wadas
10/6/2016	AGEP/BTD Co-Led Activity: Best Practices in Writing Your Thesis or Dissertation	Wisnaker 236C	5:30 PM - 6:30 PM	AGEP Co-hosted	A	Dr. Mark Zoran (Professor and Associate Dean for College of Science)
10/10/2016	Piazza Chat: Dealing with burnout, doubt, and distractions	Online: Piazza.com	6:00 PM - 7:00 PM	AGEP Led	A	AGEP Ambassador (Adam Orendain)
10/12/2016	<b>AGEP Luncheon: Explaining Research to a Non-Scientist</b>	Evans 612	12:00PM - 1:30 PM	AGEP Major Led	I&A	TBD
10/13/2016	Peer Writing Group #2	Evans 612	5:30 PM - 6:30 PM	AGEP Led	L&C	Gina Wadas
10/18/2016	Peer Review Group #2	Evans 612	5:30 PM - 6:30 PM	AGEP Led	L&C	Gina Wadas
10/24/2016	Piazza Chat: Publishing your research	Online: Piazza.com	6:00 PM - 7:00 PM	AGEP Led	A	AGEP Ambassador (Adam Orendain)
10/25/2016	AGEP/BTD Co-Led Activity: Networking at Conferences	Wisnaker 236C	5:30 PM - 6:30 PM	AGEP Co-hosted	C	Dr. Michael Johnson (Associate Professor; Program Coordinator)
10/26/2016	Peer Writing Group #3	Evans 612	5:30 PM - 6:30 PM	AGEP Led	L&C	Gina Wadas
10/27/2016	<b>Southern Regional Education Board (SREB) - Compact for Faculty Diversity Institute on Teaching and Mentoring *for selected AGEP students (Oct. 27-Oct. 30, 2016)</b>	Marriott Tampa Hotel Waterside; Tampa, FL	Multiple Day Event	AGEP Major Led	A, C, I&A, L&C	Multiple Guest Speakers
10/31/2016	AGEP/BTD Co-Led Activity: Stress Management	Wisnaker 236C	5:30 PM - 6:30 PM	AGEP Co-hosted	A	Student Counseling Services Personnel
11/1/2016	Peer Review Group #3	Evans 612	5:30 PM - 6:30 PM	AGEP Led	L&C	Gina Wadas
11/3/2016	<b>4th Annual TAMUS AGEP Conference/ Pathways Student Research Symposium (Nov. 3-4, 2016)</b>	Prairie View A&M University	Multiple Day Event	AGEP Major Led	A, C, I&A, L&C	Multiple Guest Speakers

11/7/2016	Piazza Chat: How to not get lost in the crowd; tips to maximize your exposure during a national conference.	Online: Piazza.com	6:00 PM - 7:00 PM	AGEP Led	C	AGEP Ambassador
11/10/2016	Peer Writing Group #4	Evans 612	5:30 PM - 6:30 PM	AGEP Led	L&C	Gina Wadas
11/17/2016	Peer Review Group #4	Evans 612	5:30 PM - 6:30 PM	AGEP Led	L&C	Gina Wadas
11/21/2016	Piazza Chat: Research, teaching, conferences, and well-being; how to take positive steps to have a fulfilled and productive career	Online: Piazza.com	6:00 PM - 7:00 PM	AGEP Led	C	AGEP Ambassador
11/29/2016	Peer Writing Group #5	Evans 612	5:30 PM - 6:30 PM	AGEP Led	L&C	Gina Wadas
12/6/2016	Peer Review Group #5	Evans 612	5:30 PM - 6:30 PM	AGEP Led	L&C	Gina Wadas
<b>12/7/2016</b>	<b>End of Semester AGEP Family and Mentor Dinner (Networking in a Social Environment)</b>	<b>Evans 612</b>	<b>6:00 PM - 8:00 PM</b>	<b>AGEP Major Led</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>TBD</b>

Date	Other activities	Location	Time	Activity Type	Skill	Guest Speaker(s)
9/6/2016	G.R.A.D. Aggies: The Information Landscape of Dissertation and Theses	Evans 204B	1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	Other	A	Texas A&M Libraries
9/7/2016	G.R.A.D. Aggies: Getting the Most out of Google Scholar (Sept. 7 - 8, 2016)	MSL Education Center	6:00 PM - 7:00 PM	Other	I&A	Texas A&M Libraries
9/9/2016	G.R.A.D. Aggies: Navigating your First Year	Evans 612	2:00 PM - 3:00 PM	Other	A	OGAPS
9/9/2016	Academy for Future Faculty - Conflict Management in the Classroom	MSC 1400	5:30PM - 6:30PM	Other	I&A	Center for Teaching Excellence (CTE)
9/12/2016	Money Mondays - Money Management	Pavilion - Room 236	1:50 PM	Other	A	Scholarship and Financial Aid
9/13/2016	Developing a Literature Matrix (Sept. 13- Sept. 14, 2016)	MSL Education Center	6:00 PM - 7:00 PM	Other	A	Texas A&M Libraries
9/14/2016	G.R.A.D. Aggies: Post-Career Fair Networking	Rudder 501	4:30 PM - 6:00 PM	Other	C	Rudder 510
9/14/2016	Business Communication Skills	Pavilion - Room 236	2:00 PM	Other	L&C	Scholarship and Financial Aid
9/14/2016	CIRTL: Writing a Teaching Philosophy Statement (Part 1)	www.cirtl.net	2:30 PM - 4:00 PM	Other	I&A	CIRTL Network
9/14/2016	Personal Branding: How to successfully Promote Yourself	<a href="http://IU.zoom.us/my/be.inspired">http://IU.zoom.us/my/be.inspired</a>	6:00PM - 7:00 PM	Other	C	Brian Thomas (KIPNspire Group); online session
9/15/2016	G.R.A.D. Aggies: RefWorks Basics	Library Annex 410	1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	Other	I&A	Texas A&M Libraries
9/15/2016	G.R.A.D. Aggies: Facilitating Group Work to Maximize Engagement	TBD	11:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Other	L&C	Center for Teaching Excellence (CTE)

9/19/2016	Money Mondays - Money Management	Pavilion - Room 236	3:00 PM	Other	A	Scholarship and Financial Aid
9/19/2016	G.R.A.D. Aggies: Abstracts - Learn how to write both informative and descriptive abstracts	Evans 211	7:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Other	A	University Writing Center
9/21/2016	Finding a Balance	Pavilion - Room 236	2:00 PM	Other	A	Scholarship and Financial Aid
9/21/2016	G.R.A.D. Aggies: Introduction to Web of Science	Library Annex 116A	1:00 PM - 2:00PM	Other	I&A	Texas A&M Libraries
9/22/2016	Gaining Cross Cultural Skills	Pavilion - Room 236	3:00 PM	Other	I&A	Scholarship and Financial Aid
9/26/2016	G.R.A.D. Aggies: Research Statements - Learn to write effective research statements for grant and funding applications	Evans 0468	7:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Other	L&C	University Writing Center
9/28/2016	G.R.A.D. Aggies: Industry / Corporate Job Interview	Rudder 501	4:30 PM – 6:00 PM	Other	C	Rudder 510
9/28/2016	CIRTL: Writing a Teaching Philosophy Statement (Part 2)	www.cirtl.net	2:30 PM - 4:00 PM	Other	I&A	CIRTL Network
10/3/2016	G.R.A.D. Aggies: Academic Integrity with Dr. Candace Hastings	Evans 0468	7:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Other	A	University Writing Center
10/3/2016	Leveraging Mobile Technology for Teaching and Learning	MSC 1400	5:30PM - 6:30PM	Other	I&A	Academy of Future Faculty (AFF)
10/4/2016	Writing Effective Multiple-Choice Exam Questions	www.cirtl.net	10:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Other	I&A	CIRTL Network
10/6/2016	CORE: Developing the Teaching Statement	MSC 1400	5:00 PM – 6:00 PM	Other	C	Academy of Future Faculty (AFF)
10/10/2016	G.R.A.D. Aggies: Research Posters - Design posters that effectively convey your message to an academic audience	Evans 0468	7:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Other	A	University Writing Center
10/11/2016	G.R.A.D. Aggies: Professional Development: Where to Start?	Evans 612	11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Other	C	OGAPS
10/13/2016	Creating Effective Learning Communities in Teaching and Research (Part 2)	www.cirtl.net	1:00 PM - 2:30 PM	Other	I&A	CIRTL Network
10/17/2016	G.R.A.D. Aggies: Digital Research Tools - There's more to life than Microsoft Word!	Evans 0468	7:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Other	I&A	University Writing Center
10/18/2016	Gaining Cross Cultural Skills	Pavilion - Room 236	1:30 PM	Other	I&A	Scholarship and Financial Aid
10/24/2016	Multicultural Issues in Teaching	MSC 1400	5:30PM - 6:30PM	Other	I&A	Academy of Future Faculty (AFF)

10/24/2016	G.R.A.D. Aggies: CV's and Resumes with Dr. Katharyn Stober	Evans 211	7:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Other	C	University Writing Center
10/27/2016	G.R.A.D. Aggies: Graduate Student Approach: Strategies for Building and Maintaining a Mentoring Partnership	MSC 2401	5:00 PM - 6:30 PM	Other	C	OGAPS and Center for Teaching Excellence (CTE)
10/27/2016	Creating Effective Learning Communities in Teaching and Research (Part 2)	www.cirtl.net	1:00 PM - 2:30 PM	Other	I&A	CIRTL Network
10/31/2016	G.R.A.D. Aggies: Managing Deadlines - Habits for meeting both short- and long-term deadlines	Evans 0468	7:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Other	A	University Writing Center
11/7/2016	CORE: Curriculum Vitae	MSC 1400	5:00 PM - 6:30 PM	Other	C	Texas A&M Career Services
11/7/2016	G.R.A.D. Aggies: Proofreading - Find and fix your own errors BEFORE you send your writing out to others	Evans 0468	7:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Other	L&C	University Writing Center
11/8/2016	Business Communication Skills	Pavilion - Room 236	3:00 PM	Other	L&C	Scholarship and Financial Aid
11/9/2016	G.R.A.D. Aggies: Effective Writing Habits	Evans 612	10:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Other	L&C	OGAPS
11/15/2016	Finding a Balance	Pavilion - Room 236	1:00 PM	Other	A	Scholarship and Financial Aid
11/16/2016	Universal Design for Learning: Reaching and Teaching Diverse Learners	www.cirtl.net	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	Other	L&C	CIRTL Network
11/29/2016	Developing Work-Life Resilience	www.cirtl.net	1:00 PM - 2:30 PM	Other	A	CIRTL Network