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Hello, DGS's, DGC's, and Graduate Staff!

Welcome to *The DGS 411 Insider Volume 2* - updates specifically for you, addressing important information, ongoing technical changes, and key reminders. Please make it a habit to read each issue, which we plan to release quarterly. We hope this will help keep everyone apprised of "behind the scenes" improvements. Thank you for all you do to support the graduate students of UK!

Sincerely, Padraic Kenney

P.S. - Please consider sharing this with graduate faculty and staff

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Please Help Ensure Your Students Register

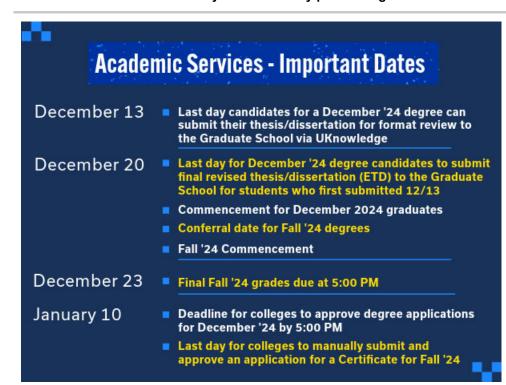
Many students still need to <u>register</u> for Spring 2025. Please remind your students the registration window is still open. They can register at <u>myuk.uky.edu</u> and can contact <u>registration@uky.edu</u> for assistance. <u>https://registrar.uky.edu/registration</u>

Students are expected to register prior to the first day of classes to avoid late registration and fees.

Important: If a student is NOT planning on registering, please review the Leave

of Absence procedure.

Registration Holds: All students should review the 'mylnfo' section of myUK ASAP to check for any holds that may prevent registration.



Admissions - Important Dates

- Over 180 applications awaiting program decisions for Spring 2025
- Deadline to provide information to IC and request an I-20 has passed
- Admissions evaluates the applicant's credentials once your decision comes to us and that does take time.

We would like to get all Spring 2025 applications wrapped up and released to applicants by December 20th. Please enter decisions or contact us to defer applications to a future semester as soon as possible Identify 13
Start of Classes

In person attendance on the first day is an immigration requirement for international students



TA "Need to Know" Dates

Classroom observations and end-of-the-semester evaluations for TAs are due February 1st

- Online forms are automatically submitted to The Graduate School.
- PDF forms should be collected by the department, alphabetized, and emailed to Chadwick.gilpin@uky.edu in a single PDF document by 2/1/25.

New TA Orientation is REQUIRED for all new TAs, and for TAs who did not go through orientation this fall. TAs should NOT register themselves. Registration Link. Email chadwick.gilpin@uky.edu with questions.

Friday, December 13th

Deadline to register TAs for orientation

Online orientation In-person New TA available

Friday, Tuesday/Wednesday,
December 20th January 7th - 8th

Orientation

*GSAS Spring Semester Dates

Spring GSAS Open: 11/18/24 - 1/13/25

Exception to Business Procedures needed for GSAS not submitted

by: 1/13/25

Deadline for students to accept GSAS form: 1/20/25

Universal Tuition Account Field Edit open: 11/18/24 - 2/21/25

Updated instructions for GSAS entry have been posted on the Graduate School website: https://gradschool.uky.edu/gsas

> SLATE INFORMATION

> > *New email!

For Slate access, training or a refresher course, please contact:

grad.tech@uky.edu*

Next DGS Monthly Meeting via Zoom



Zoom Link

The **Graduate School website** is being overhauled.

We are making it more user friendly, visually engaging, and a better resource repository for users.

Stay tuned.











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