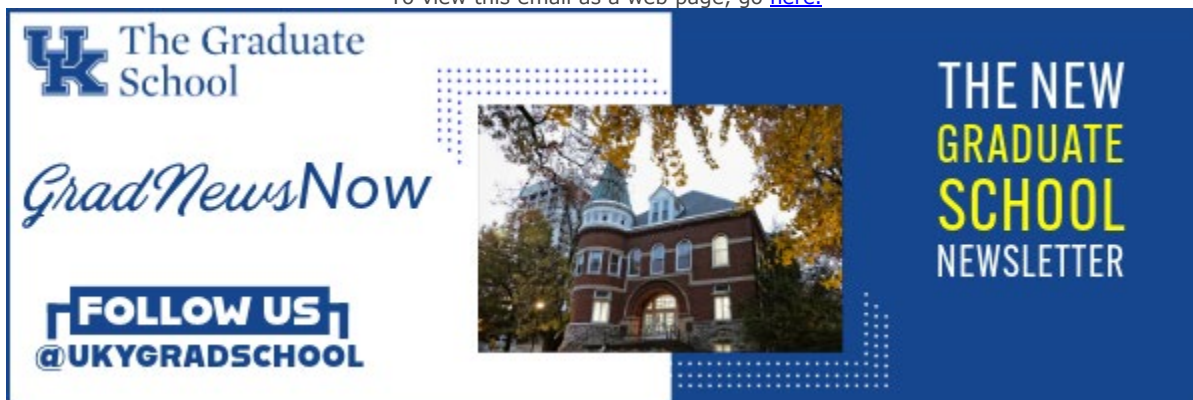


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## Graduate Student *Spotlight*



**Congratulations** to the **GradTeach Live! Winners** and a great job to all those who participated!

**1st Place: Anika Jensen** [College of Arts and Sciences](#) (English)

**2nd: Stephen Farley** [College of Education](#) (Higher Education)

**3rd: Morgan Knutsen** [Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food and Environment](#) (Entomology)

**People's Choice: Deborah Adeyemi-Alabi** [College of Arts and Sciences](#) (Chemistry)

*The Graduate Student Professional Enhancement Office [offers more experiences and resources](#) to help improve your teaching!*

## Research *Spotlight*



## Education doctoral student champions building resilience for Kentucky youth

“I’ve always felt that my doctoral work complements my career” - Hannah Edelen, doctoral student in the [UK College of Education](#) Department of [Educational Policy Studies and Evaluation](#)

[FULL STORY >>](#)

## Need to Know

**\*For Graduating Master (Plan A & Plan B) and Specialist Students:**

### [Degree Audit](#)

Conducting a [DEGREE AUDIT](#) is critically important during the [semester you intend to graduate](#), as it gives you a view of the requirements you have satisfied and those that are remaining!

If you discover a course that was wrongly assigned to a requirement, or not credited, you should bring this to the attention of your **DGS (Director of Graduate Studies) or your program advisor**. The program should contact the student affairs officer for the area/ discipline well in advance of the final examination to resolve. If there are requirements that have not been met, then you and your program will need to decide if there are substitutions that will fulfill that requirement.

Questions? [Connect with Academic Services >>](#)

## Funding Opportunities

### [Northern KY/Greater Cincinnati UK Alumni Club Fellowship](#)

Applications Open: January 6, 2025

Application Deadline: **March 30, 2025**

2025 ETS [Student Scholarships](#) and [Summer Internships](#) portal is now open. [ETS](#) provides scholarships to create college access and several directly impact graduate students.

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### Kentucky Graduate Internship Scholarship

*"It provided a push and financed an opportunity to do meaningful work that I otherwise would not have had the capacity to do." - Jimmy Robinson, Sociology Ph.D. Candidate*

Summer internship funding support available: [Application Now Open!](#)

## Upcoming Events

**GradScholar**  
A Doctoral Re-Orientation

The Graduate School

**- Friday, April 4 -**  
**1:00 - 4:00 PM**

**HELPING DOCTORAL CANDIDATES NAVIGATE THE TRANSITION FROM GRADUATE STUDENT TO INDEPENDENT SCHOLAR**

📌 Calling all newly minted doctoral candidates! 🎓

Ready to **TRANSITION** from **GRAD STUDENT** to **INDEPENDENT SCHOLAR**?

Join us at **GradScholar: A Doctoral Re-Orientation** on **April 4**, from 1:00 to 4:00 PM in Room 330AB, Gatton Student Center. For more info. visit [gradschool.uky.edu/gradscholar](https://gradschool.uky.edu/gradscholar)

*"A good dissertation is a done dissertation, a great dissertation is a published dissertation, a perfect dissertation is neither."*



## Graduate & Professional Student Appreciation Week 2025

Stay tuned for some exciting news about Grad Student Appreciation Week which starts **April 7th!**

We can't wait to celebrate **YOU!**


## Career Corner

### HOW TO ACE YOUR *Interview*

Master's and  
Doctoral  
Students



[Register Here \(Master's\)](#)

 **Attention master's and doctoral students (online and in-person)**

**March 19 | ACE YOUR INTERVIEW**  
12 - 12:45 p.m. ET - Doctoral Students  
2 - 2:30 p.m. ET - Master's Students

No-cost webinars tailored specifically for master's and doctoral students. **Create an account to register today!**

[Register Here \(Ph.D. Students\)](#)

## Graduate Student *Resources*



UK VIP Center  
Office for Student Success

Find Your  
Green Dot

**Green Dot  
Bystander Workshop**

### **Bystander Workshop**

Attend an interactive session, equipping you with the knowledge and skills to recognize and prevent power-based personal violence.

**April 2, 5:00 – 6:30 PM**  
(Pizza & Mocktails!)

[REGISTER >>](#)



### Airport Shuttle

A service available for students and staff!

**Return trips** from LEX, CVG, and SDF airports to campus are scheduled for **noon** and **7 p.m. Sunday, March 23.**

[Sign up for a ride](#)

**Registration must be requested at least one day in advance.**



### Campus Updates for Spring Break

Many dining locations will have adjusted hours found [here](#). Many libraries will remain open during the break, hours are [here](#).

[Talkspace](#): Available for all students, provides convenient, personal online messaging therapy.

Check out [UK Transportation Services](#) to stay up to date on parking info.



### Are You Following Us on Social Media?

We post events, reminders, important information, and share student spotlights!

[Email us](#) if you have a grad success to share!

[Instagram](#) | [Facebook](#) | [LinkedIn](#) | [X](#)

## Graduate and Professional Resources



Career Exploration



Recruitment



Development Plans



Resources



How we do this work



Connect with GPS

## Center for Graduate & Professional Services

Check out their resources, including **Community of Belonging Grants**, which help graduate and professional student groups and organizations fund cultural events that educate our campus community and create spaces for belonging and fellowship. [MORE >>](#)

## Income Tax Webinars for UK J-1 scholars and F-1/J-1 international students

Learn about filing a tax return for federal, state tax income or other tax filing forms.

Sprintax Nonresident Tax Webinar – **Mar 31, 4PM - Online or In-person.** [Register here.](#) In-person attendees come to the [ISSS](#) Multipurpose Room and bring your laptop for individual assistance during the webinar. <https://international.uky.edu/iss/taxes>

## Self-Care Resources



...to help make life a little easier

- [Talkspace](#) therapy credits provide online mental health support.
- The [Big Blue Pantry](#) provides groceries and essential food items to students facing food insecurity.
- The [Thomas D. Clark Graduate Study](#) is a dedicated study space for graduate students and postdocs.
- Access design, video editing and photography programs. ([Adobe Creative Suite](#))



HAVE A GREAT  
*Spring Break*  
WILDCATS!



*Grad Students*

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