



# Professional Development

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EVENT NAME & DATE	EVENT DESCRIPTION
<b>Shut-Up &amp; Write</b> August 16—18 9:00—4:00PM SCE Rm 216	Writing can be tough. Setting aside blocks of time and locating a quiet space to writing can be a challenge. This concept is simple. Show up. Set a goal. Open your laptop, grab a cup of coffee or tea, settle in and write.
<b>Write-In Booster Sessions</b> Check Site for Multiple dates	A Write-In Booster session is a 3.5-hour block set aside for those who have completed the 5-day or 2-day Write-In workshop to continue writing projects.
<b>Dissertation Workshop Series: Research</b> September 7 12:00-1:30PM Classroom 1 Library North	Working on your literature review? Come learn more about the process, including finding the databases you need, advanced search strategies, and techniques for keeping up with new research in your field. This workshop will include time for hands-on practice.
<b>Grant Writing Basics</b> September 15 10:00—11:30am 201 Urban Life Bldg.	Introduction to funding research, grant writing, and grant writing assistance for GSU graduate students and postdoctoral associates.
<b>Dissertation Workshop Series: Citation Management</b> September 21 12:00-1:30PM Classroom 1 Library North	Have you heard of citation managers? Come learn about tools like Zotero, Endnote and Mendeley. Learn what these tools do, how they differ from one another, and how to use them with Word to help you spend more time writing and less time fighting with citations.
<b>Dissertation Workshop Series: Copyright and Publishing Essentials for Dissertations</b> September 28 12:00-1:30PM Classroom 1 Library North	Are you working on your dissertation and including copyrighted works of others in your paper? Are you unsure about when you need permission and how to get it? Are you unclear about the pros and cons of online access to your dissertation, and how to control when it is available? This workshop will answer these common copyright questions that graduate students encounter as they write and prepare to publish their own thesis or dissertation.
<b>Navigating the Internal Review Board Process</b> October TBD	Institutional Review Board staff will provide an overview of the process, timing, approval channels, best practices and address questions.
<b>Graduate Student Write-In</b> October 31—November 4 9:00—4:30PM	A 5-day workshop designed to help graduate students break through personal barriers by implementing effective strategies to aid in the completion of a thesis, dissertation, prospectus, or manuscript. Students also have the opportunity to work with a writing consultant for individualized assistance. Choose your schedule for the week full, AM 1/2 or PM 1/2 days.

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