



March 21, 2023

Check out upcoming events and deadlines for graduate and professional students. New items are in **red** and the online version is available [here](#) under newsletter archive.

Events:

Spring 2023 Lunch and Learn Series for Graduate Students (#1)

Introduction to Graduate Student Professional Development

In this virtual session offered over the lunch hour, you will learn about the resources available to you as a graduate student at the University of Houston.

Date/time: Friday, March 31, 12-1:00 pm.

Register [here](#).

Virtual CIRT Network Events in March:

Be Your Own Driver: Imagining Post-PhD Career Versatility Series- in this event, participants will identify the roles they play as mentors and advisors and articulate the skills they develop in interpersonal communication, multicultural competence, and active listening. Starts March 21, 12:30-2 PM CT and continues through April 11, register [here](#).

How to Complete Your Grad Student Tax Return (and Understand It, Too!) (Tax Year 2022) The purpose of this virtual, asynchronous workshop is to teach graduate students about the federal higher education tax benefits available to them, including how to tabulate, calculate, and report their funding and education expenses. This workshop is specifically for students

who are employed as graduate assistants. The [tax workshop](#) is asynchronous and includes videos and worksheets. The workshop cost is usually \$20 but the University of Houston Graduate School is providing access to the workshops free to the first 100 graduate students to register (preference will be given to graduate students who are employed as teaching or research assistants and to doctoral students). Register [here](#) for free access for the first 100 registrants. After you register you will receive a link to the workshop materials. **Who teaches the workshop?** Dr. Emily Roberts is a personal finance educator specializing in early-career PhDs. Through her business, Personal Finance for PhDs, she equips graduate students, postdocs, and PhDs with Real Jobs to make the most of their money.

Online Professional Development through pd.education

For an overview of these resources, see the attached handout. You can log in for **free** on demand online professional development at the [University of Houston pd.education](#) site. Your username will be your @uh.edu email address. DoctoralNet will email you the password to sign on and you will be able to change it after your first login. If you have difficulty logging in, click “unable to login?” for assistance.

Check out the University Career Services [Event Calendar](#).

Quick links to resources:

[Cougar Cupboard](#) - watch this [video](#) to learn more.

[Counseling and Psychological Services \(CAPS\)](#)- watch this [video](#) to learn more.

[University Career Services](#)

[Graduate Student Ombuds](#)- contact email: gradombuds@uh.edu

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