

ChEGSA TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY Newsletter



RECENT NEWS

UPCOMING EVENTS

Dr. Jun Axup from IndieBio

Friday, April 7th 6:00 pm-7:00 pm | JEB 106

Come learn about how you can turn your idea from the bench into a product on the market. Hear stories about graduate students just like you who have started companies in therapeutics, research tools, food, and synthetic biology.

Sign up: https://goo.gl/forms/MBLP7G49US7rAQSp1

Dr. Vikram Gopal from Ascend Performance Materials

Monday, April 17th 3:00 pm-4:00 pm | JEB 106

We are presented with choices every day, and critical decisions made have a lasting impact on personal and professional life. I will be discussing the importance of developing a Vision and Mission in one's life which enables proactive personal learning and furthers societal improvement.

Sign up: https://goo.gl/forms/FezmhPviKGmCPSPm2

ChEGSA Elections

Nominations open until Wednesday, April 12th 11:59 PM Nominee presentations on Wednesday, April 19th 5:30 PM Elections end on Friday, April 21st noon

ChEGSA Racquetball League

All skill levels are welcome to join, and instructional time will be offered for those who want to learn and participate. The aim is to have open-league play culminating in an end-of-season tournament to crown a champion. Weekly participation is not necessary—come when you can! Email Melanie at mdesessa@tamu.edu for info.



ChEGSA participated in The Big Event and cleaned out a barn at a horse farm! ©

RESEARCH SPOTLIGHT

We are currently looking for graduate students to highlight on his/her research. If you're interested in being featured in the ChEGSA newsletter, please fill out the following form. (You can also nominate someone!) If you are selected for the next newsletter, you will be contacted via email.

Link: https://goo.gl/NLniSU

AWARDS

GPSC Summer Travel Award

Applications for the Graduate and Professional Student Council's Summer 2017 Travel Awards are now open for professional travel during the period between June 1, 2017 and August 31, 2017.

Application info: http://www.qpsctamu.org/travel-awards-application.html

Dr. Jo Howze Engineering Excellence Award:

The Engineering Excellence Award was created by the Student Engineers' Council (SEC) to recognize an individual who exhibits outstanding leadership, academics and service in the Dwight Look College of Engineering and University. One individual will be selected for the \$1,000 award.

Application: https://tamu.qualtrics.com/SE/?SID=SV_8ADWHUYaasJOog5&Q_JFE=o

Dr. W. Dan Turner Engineering Leadership Award:

The Engineering Leadership Award was created by Student Engineers' Council (SEC) to recognize an individual who exhibits outstanding leadership in the Dwight Look College of Engineering. One individual will be selected for the \$1,000 award.

Application: https://tamu.gualtrics.com/SE/?SID=SV_cFHqViqLEOoCJYV&Q_JFE=o

OGAPS Student Research and Presentation Travel Grants

The Office of Graduate and Professional Studies Graduate Research and Presentation Grant Program provides educational opportunities that reimburses up to \$1,000 for travel expenses associated with academic conferences, research projects, and study abroad or internships in the United States and abroad. (For travel between June and September)

More information: https://goo.ql/6IOJXu

DEADLINES

Friday, April 7th at 11:59 PM

Friday, April 14th by noon

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Monday, May 1st

UNIVERSITY EVENTS

Community of Scholars

Tuesday, April 11th 5:30 pm-8:30 pm | MSC 2300 The evening will include a full dinner and powerful presentations from graduate and professional students on Developing Your Professional Identity, followed by interactive discussion at each dinner table led by Texas A&M faculty members.

Register: https://goo.gl/O10j3Z

Graduate Engineering Students Town Hall

Thursday, April 13th 11:30 am-1:30 pm | MSC2300

Register: tx.ag/gradmeet

Texas A&M Soccer vs. Houston Dash

Thursday, April 6^{th,} 8:oopm-10:oopm | Ellis Field The Texas A&M soccer team is taking on the pros in an NWSL preseason game! The **game is free (no ticket required)** and is right here in our own backyard at Ellis Field. Dash On and Gig 'Em!

Paint Night with GradSWE!

Friday, April 7th, 6:oopm-8:3opm | Pinot's Pallette Please join GradSWE for a night of painting and fun! The **price to paint is \$25**.

Sign up: https://www.pinotspalette.com/collegestation/event/155267

GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDENT CAREER CENTER RESOURCES

Graduate School walk-in advising is every Monday & Friday from 8:30-11am & every Wednesday from 1:30-4pm! Stop by 209 Koldus with your printed resume or quick, general questions!

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