February 26, 2019 GAC Highlights

At-a-glance deadlines:

- **March 4** Sherry Queener Graduate Student Excellence Award, IU/PU

Upcoming Events

- **March 5** Successfully Landing Your First Job
- **March 6** Diversity Speaker Series: Dr. Patricia Hill Collins
- **March 20** GradGrants Workshop
- **April 4** Accelerate Acceptance: The Secrets of Graduate Admissions Speed Sessions

Associate Dean’s Report

50 Faces of IUPUI – nominate students, staff, faculty and alumni [https://50.iupui.edu/faces/index.html](https://50.iupui.edu/faces/index.html)

IU policies on Programs Involving Children with information on background checks and training for graduate and professional students, staff and faculty [https://protect.iu.edu/police-safety/policies/programs-children/index.html](https://protect.iu.edu/police-safety/policies/programs-children/index.html)

Graduate Commons – study/work space in University Library available to all IUPUI graduate and professional students please encourage your students to use the space [https://graduate.iupui.edu/support/grad-commons.html](https://graduate.iupui.edu/support/grad-commons.html)

We have included files with updates on spring enrollment for 2019 as well as numbers of applications for fall 2019 for graduate and professional students. The columns on deposits and enrolled are purposefully blank at this time in the table on applicants/admissions. Feel free to share this with your colleagues or refer them to IRDS.

IRDS staff have updated three tables with graduate and professional student data so please take a look at these dashboards if you would like to check on student retention as well as enrollment.

- **Graduate enrollment:** [https://tableau.bi.iu.edu/t/prd/views/GraduateEnrollment-10YrsHeadcount/ReadMeHowtoUse](https://tableau.bi.iu.edu/t/prd/views/GraduateEnrollment-10YrsHeadcount/ReadMeHowtoUse)
- **Drop/Withdrawal/Fail rate for Graduate courses:** [https://tableau.bi.iu.edu/t/prd/views/DFWRatesforGraduateProfessionalCourses-SecuredVersion/ByCourse](https://tableau.bi.iu.edu/t/prd/views/DFWRatesforGraduateProfessionalCourses-SecuredVersion/ByCourse)
- **Graduate retention:** [https://tableau.bi.iu.edu/t/prd/views/IUPUIGraduateRetention/ReadMeHowtoUse](https://tableau.bi.iu.edu/t/prd/views/IUPUIGraduateRetention/ReadMeHowtoUse)

Assistant Dean’s Report

Our campus visit event “Getting you into IUPUI” will be April 3-6 for prospective underrepresented PhD and MFA students. We are particularly interested in juniors and those who have a year remaining in their undergraduate or grad (MS/MA) program. If there are students you have been in contact with that you think could benefit from the program please encourage them to apply.

Writing group will meet on Wednesday’s 3-5pm, now in the Grad Commons UL 4115U
**Tuesday 3/5 4-5pm, UL 1116** The Preparing Future Faculty Program will host a session on tips for the academic job search, with 3 PhD Candidates currently going through the job hunt process. (See attachment) Applications are accepted on a rolling basis at [https://graduate.iupui.edu/support/pffp/index.html](https://graduate.iupui.edu/support/pffp/index.html)

**On Tuesday 3/19 4-5pm** UPnGO meeting will be March 19th and we will be electing officers at that time.

We are launching our #IMAGRADJAG social media campaign to bring awareness to our grad and professional programs. Encourage your students to post using the hashtag #IMAGRADJAG we will especially promote this during our grad and professional student appreciation week April 8-12.

Dr. Hardy’s spring recruitment dates:

March 19-22  
Midwestern Association of Graduate Schools  
STL (3MT & distinguished masters from IUPUI)

March 24-27  
American Association of Blacks in Higher Ed  
Indianapolis, IN

March 27-31, 2019  
National Society of Black Engineers  
Detroit, MI

April 3-6, 2019  
Getting You into IUPUI  
Indianapolis, IN

April 11-13, 2019  
National Council for Undergraduate Research  
Kennesaw State University

May 28-June 1, 2019  
National Conference on Race & Ethnicity  
Portland, Oregon

Please contact me if you are interested in planning a Faculty Exchange at a Minority Serving Institution.
We recruit for all departments and schools at these events in an effort to find the best fit for potential students. We are always interested in being cost effective and pooling our efforts/resources so if you all are interested in attending and sharing a table then let us know.

**Graduate Office Report**

- Indiana University Graduate CAS update – high level key dates
  - IU Core Team - Business Requirements – March 22nd
  - Training late spring / early summer
  - July – Quadrant 4 build by programs
  - Go live September 3rd
  - Faculty and staff involved with admissions should join the listserv ASAP
    - **How to join the listserve:**
      - Send an email to: list@list.iu.edu
      - In the subject of the email, type: subscribe gradeappinfo-l YourFirstname YourLastname
      - Leave the body of the email blank.

- Graduate Recruiting Phase 1 (Planning Stage)
  - Initial stakeholder planning meetings complete.
o Functional group is meeting – project charter to be developed / approved then prioritized by CRM Executive Leadership to determine kickoff date

The GradGrants Workshop will be held on Wednesday, March 20 from 3:30-5:00 p.m. in UL 1126. A GradGrants representative will cover what types of grants graduate students typically seek out; demonstrate how to search the databases available; and provide grant-writing tips. This event is for IUPUI graduate/professional students only and registration is required. More information in the attached flyer.

Graduate Mentoring Center Report

We received 31 nominations for the 2019 IUPUI Outstanding Graduate & Professional Mentor Award. The judging process is underway and this award will be given at the Elite 50 banquet on April 10.

We have Midday Mentoring Dialogues (see attachment) for graduate and professional students scheduled throughout the semester. We will have sessions on Work/Life Balance (Feb 28), Networking (March 28) and Negotiating (April 25). See https://graduate.iupui.edu/support/gmc/ for more information and registration.

IUPUI is hosting Culturally Aware Mentor Training on February 15 (29 attendees) and March 1 (37 attendees). We are grateful for the Deans from 10 Schools and the IUPUI 50th Anniversary fund that are helping to sponsor this event.

On March 6, we are co-sponsoring the Diversity Speaker Series with the Division of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion. Dr. Patricia Hill Collins will address students about mentoring from 3:30-4:30 and will give a general lecture at 6 pm. (See attachment for more details and registration).

Committee Reports

Fellowship

- Meeting on March 5th – University Fellowship and PDI rosters will be sent out shortly after
  - 75 PhD nominations
  - 26 Master’s nominations
  - 18 Diversity nominations (9 IU and 9 PU)

Queener Award deadline is March 4th

Graduate Recruitment Council

The Graduate Recruitment Council met last week. Monica updated members with information on the new Grad e-App and we discussed the IU CRM Initiative among other items.

We are hosting our annual workshop for prospective students called Accelerate Acceptance: The Secrets of Graduate Admissions Speed Sessions which will be held on Thursday, April 4 from 4 to 5:30 in the Campus Center. Prospective students may register here: https://survey.graduate.iu.edu/machform/view.php?id=14275

The next Graduate Recruitment Council meeting is Thursday, May 16 from 2:30-4 p.m. in UL 1126.
The following are attachments to the February 26 Highlights:

- PFFP Successfully Landing Your First Job
- GradGrants Workshop
- Midday Mentoring Dialogues
- Diversity Speaker Series: Dr. Patricia Hill Collins
SUCCESSFULLY LANDING YOUR FIRST JOB: YOUR GUIDE TO THE ACADEMIC JOB SEARCH

Presenters will discuss the entire job search process from deciding when to enter the job market through accepting an offer, as well as how to balance finishing your dissertation, teaching, working, and family life along the way.

Topics include:

• Updating your CVs/Resumés
• Selecting references
• Organizing your Applications
• Preparing for Campus Visits and Interviews
• Getting an Offer and Negotiating

Presented by
Matthew Walsh, Evan Harris, and Stephanie Quinn Quiring, PhD Candidates in Social Work

March 5, 2019
4:00 PM to 5:00 PM
University Library UL 1116

RSVP: http://go.iu.edu/29H8
Snacks will be provided.
GRADGRANTS WORKSHOP
The GradGrants Office helps you find funding for graduate school

Wednesday March 20
3:30–5 p.m.

University Library, Room 1126
IUPUI Graduate/Professional Students Only
Registration is required: go.iu.edu/29R7
Space is limited. Pizza provided.

Types of grants for graduates
How to search available databases
Grant-writing tips

Make an in-person personal appointment with GradGrants consultant Elise Anderson on Wednesday, March 20th! Only 5 appointments available. Apply here: https://goo.gl/forms/VgFuY73elZqyHKOF2
MIDDAY MENTORING DIALOGUES

Pizza provided: 12-1 PM in the Campus Center

Come enjoy the following conversations for Graduate & Professional Students:

January 31st: Impostor Syndrome
with guest speaker: Gina Sanchez-Gibau
Rm. CE305 Campus Center

February 28th: Work/Life Balance
with Faculty & Student Panel
Rm. CE305 Campus Center

March 28th: Networking
with guest speaker: Willow King-Locke
Rm. 1126 University Library

April 25th: Negotiating Your Next Position
Rm. CE305 Campus Center

Please either scan the QR-code provided or use the link below to RSVP:
http://go.iu.edu/2820
Recognized as one of the founding theorists and researchers studying the intersections of race, gender, class, sexuality and nationality, Patricia Hill Collins is a sociologist and former President of the American Sociological Association (ASA). In fact, in 2009 Dr. Hill Collins was the organization’s 100th President and first African American woman elected to the position.

Patricia Hill Collins is the recipient of numerous prestigious awards and recognitions including the Jessie Bernard Award and the Distinguished Publication Award from ASA, as well as the C Wright Mills Award from the Society for the Study of Social Problems. These awards were in recognition of her groundbreaking and inspiring books *Black Feminist Thought: Knowledge, Consciousness and the Power of Empowerment* (1990, 2008) and *Black Sexual Politics: African Americans, Gender and the New Racism* (2005).

“Knowledge without wisdom is adequate for the powerful, but wisdom is essential to the survival of the subordinate.”

– Patricia Hill Collins

**Wednesday, March 6, 2019**

3:30-4:30 pm  
Multicultural Center UC 104  
Open to Students Only

6:00 pm  
Evening Lecture  
Campus Center 450B  
Free and Open to the Public  
*Parking validations provided to off-campus guest*

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