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CHECK IT OUT!

GPSC: GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDENT COMMUNITY PANTRY-- NOW OPEN!

GPSC's community pantry is open to all graduate and professional students and is located at the GPSC House (306 Alexander Ave). The pantry is open from 3-6 PM every Tuesday and Saturday and is currently stocked with nonperishable foods, childcare items, school supplies, and gently used professional clothing. A valid graduate or professional Duke student ID is required for entry. If you would like to volunteer for this initiative, please contact Rashmi Joglekar at gpscpres@duke.edu. All donations are currently being accepted at our drop-off center, also located at the GPSC House.

GPSC: INTERESTED IN JOINING THE GPSC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE? DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS POSITION CURRENTLY AVAILABLE!

Please refer to our bylaws for a full description of the role. If you have experience with the General Assembly and are interested in applying for this position, please contact [Stephanie Stefanski](#) to arrange an informal interview.

GPSC: LAWYER ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

GPSC and DSG have partnered with a local law firm to continue the Lawyer Assistance Program. Attorneys are now available for three hours every Monday from 4-7PM for the remainder of the semester. The attorneys will answer questions regarding a wide range of legal issues, including street law and police community interactions.

**Upcoming/Ongoing Events,
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Publicize your Event Here:

Read this to get started **or fill out [this handy form](#)**. **The DEADLINE for event submission is Wednesday at 5PM.**

Did You Know?

GPSC has its own [Wikisite](#) where you can not only get info on housing, bars and restaurants, parking, and other matters of interest to

including street law and police-community interactions. Sign up for a 15-minute time-slot [here](#).

GPSC: APPLY TO BE A YOUNG TRUSTEE

All current graduate and professional students are encouraged to apply for the Young Trustee position, a sitting member on the Duke Board of Trustees. The application deadline is 11:59 PM EST, Monday, December 18th, 2017. If you have any questions, email the [young trustee screening committee](#). For more info on the application [click here](#).

THIS WEEK (10/23 - 10/29)

WISE WOMEN IN INDUSTRY PANEL

Contact: [Abigail Jackson](#)

Location: Gross Hall 270

Date : 10/24/17

Time: 5:30 pm

Join WISE for our third annual Women in Industry panel discussion! Our panelists will discuss opportunities for women in industry, how to move from academia into industry, and any other questions you may have!

[RSVP here](#).

COVER LETTER WORKSHOP

Contact: [Jessica Tarter](#)

Location: Center for Sexual and Gender Diversity, Bryan Center

Date : 10/25/17

Time: 10:30 am - 12 pm

RSVP: [Yes](#)

In this workshop you will learn a powerful structure for your cover letters and how to make explicit the fit between what you bring and what the employer wants.

GPSC: MOVIES ON THE LAWN WITH GPSC!

Location : GPSC House (306 Alexander Ave)

Date/Time : 10/26/2017, 7:30 pm

Bring a blanket or chair and enjoy a movie on the lawn. The event will be held at the GPSC house and we will provide pizza, popcorn, soda, and wine! The movie feature will be Hocus Pocus!

INFORMATIONAL INTERVIEW LAB

Contact: [Jessica Tarter](#)

Location: DIBS Lecture Hall, M035

grad students, but you can also ADD AND EDIT the info on it! [Check it out!](#)

GPSC Links:

[GPSC Website](#)
[Student Life Facebook](#)
[Student Life Email](#)
[Student Wiki](#)
[DukeList](#)
[GPSC House](#)

[Friend GPSC SL Chairs](#) on Facebook to always be up to date with GPSC Student Life events!

Date : 10/27/17

Time: 9-10 am

RSVP: [Yes](#)

Informational interviewing is one of the most common and most useful ways to reach out to professionals in different industries. In this lab, students will learn about the purpose of informational interviews and practice how to conduct these convos.

MAGIC SHOW

Contact: [Katy Wong](#)

Location: Page Auditorium

Date : 10/27/17

Time: 7-8 pm

Cost: Free with Duke ID

RSVP: [Yes](#)

DUU Speakers & Stage is hosting a magic show featuring PiP Comic Illusionist, who's bringing his acclaimed Las Vegas magic and comedy act all the way to Duke! Tickets are free for Duke students. Check the [FB page](#) for info about reserving tickets.

AFRICA INITIATIVE- DAGPSA INAUGURAL CONFERENCE ON RESEARCH IN AFRICA

Contact: [Rita Masese](#)

Location: Duke Rubenstein Library room 153 (Holsti-Anderson Family Room)

RSVP to attend Duke's inaugural conference on Research in Africa taking place from 9 am - 4 pm on October 27, 2017! Interested grad students and postdocs are encouraged to submit abstracts for presentation [here](#)

GPSC: WALLTOWN PARK COSTUME CLEAN-UP

Contact: [Emily Ury](#)

Location : 1308 W Club Blvd, Durham

Date : 10/28/17

Time : 10 am - 12 pm

Join the GPSC Community Outreach Committee for a fall park clean-up and planting. There will be a costume contest-- so pull out your best Halloween Costume! Gloves, tools, coffee and donuts provided. [Please RSVP](#) to our event on Facebook. Close-toed shoes, please.

NEXT WEEK (10/30-11/5)

GPSC: GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING

Contact: [Stephanie Stefanski](#)

Location : TSCHE Learning Hall 2050

Date : 10/31/17

Time : 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

GPSC's fourth General Assembly meeting of the fall. Dinner will be provided. We will be discussing and voting on various resolutions-- Halloween candy will be provided!!

ACADEMIC TECH FAIR

Contact: [Jeannine Sato](#)

Open-house event will feature faculty-oriented table-top demos and practical advice about Duke's most important technology services for teaching and learning. It's open to all faculty, instructors, and researchers. Food, prizes and giveaways. Drop in November 3rd from 1-4 pm to the [Telecommunications Bldg!](#)

GPSC: HURRICANE RELIEF 5K!

Contact: [Sara Stevens](#)

Location : East Campus Loop

Date : 11/4/17

Time : Registration 7:00 am, Race start 8:00 am

Come out and run (or walk!) for a cause with GPSC! Proceeds will go to the American Red Cross for hurricane relief. [Registration is here](#). \$15 early sign up, \$20 day of.

UPCOMING/ONGOING EVENTS, OPPORTUNITIES AND MORE!

GPSC: FALL GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETINGS

Interested in becoming more involved in the graduate and professional student community? Passionate about advocating for student issues on campus? Consider joining GPSC's General Assembly! The General Assembly will be meeting from 6:30-8:30PM in TSCHE Learning Hall on the following dates this semester: 10/31, & 11/14. Our meetings are open to all graduate and professional students. We hope you will join us! For more information, contact Stephanie Stefanski at stephanie.stefanski@duke.edu.

GPSC: ONEDUKE ACCESS FUND

The OneDuke Access Fund is currently under (re)construction for the new school year! Therefore, we

will not be giving out any emergency mini-grants for the months of September or October. If you have any urgent needs for food, school supplies, or professional wardrobe, please visit the GPSC Community Pantry located at the GPSC House (306 Alexander Ave). We hope to re-open a new and improved Fund in November!

COMMISSION ON MEMORY AND HISTORY

The [Commission on Memory and History](#) is soliciting input from the community about guidelines for appropriateness of a memorial or naming of a facility on campus, as well as options for the vacant spot in front of the Chapel. [Please provide your valuable input.](#)

RUBENSTEIN LIBRARY SEEKS HUMAN RIGHTS GRADUATE INTERN

Contact: SangHee Jeong

Under the supervision of the Human Rights Archivist and working with the Section Head, Manuscripts Processing, this position will provide support for technical services activities of the Human Rights Archive. May also support programming, outreach, and instruction related to human rights collections. For more info, [click here!](#)

INTERESTED IN BEING A BASKETBALL USHER?

Cameron Indoor Stadium is one of the only venues in America in which students are the primary ushering staff. If you're interested in being an usher, please follow [this link](#). For more info, contact [Duke Head Ushers](#).

PROVOST'S GRADUATE STUDENT FELLOWSHIP

Contact: Carolyn Mackman

The Provost's Office is currently seeking 1-2 graduate students for [administrative internships](#). The positions are nine-month internships, running from September to May 31. Each internship provides an annual stipend, as well as tuition and fees.

DUKE-DKU GLOBAL FELLOWS PROGRAM

Contact: Carolyn Mackman

Duke-DKU Fellows teach 2 courses at Duke Kunshan University over a 5 month stay at DKU. Assignment of classes will be determined by Fellow specific expertise and DKU teaching needs. The award carries a generous stipend and additional benefits. More info, [click here](#).

CAREFREE STUDY

Contact: Askia Dunnon MD

Contact: [Kara Dunham, MD](#)

Ongoing enrollment for the [CaREFREE study](#). We are currently recruiting healthy female participants in a local pilot study evaluating the effect of energy availability on the female reproductive cycle. Compensation provided.

PASSING THE TORCH MENTORSHIP PROGRAM

Contact: [Bibi Gnagno](#)

Passing the Torch is an undergraduate-graduate student mentorship program which seeks to connect mentors and mentees with mutual interests in hopes of facilitating the growth of an informative, supportive and mutually beneficial relationship. For more info, [click here!](#)

OCTOBER IS CYBER SECURITY AWARENESS MONTH

Contact: [Cara Bonnett](#)

As part of National Cybersecurity Awareness Month in October, Duke users who take the cybersecurity "mindfulness" quiz will be entered in a raffle to win an AppleWatch Series 3. Take the quiz and learn more at [security.duke.edu](#).

GPSC: NEED A PLACE TO HOST YOUR EVENT? GPSC HAS YOUR ANSWER!

Student groups may reserve rooms in the [GPSC House](#), located at 306 Alexander Avenue on Central Campus. The house has a living room area, kitchen, conference room, meeting rooms and a yard. It is equipped to meet the needs of your events and meetings with an e-print station, photo printer, television, projector and some games. To reserve: [Click here](#).

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Visit GPSC's website [here](#).

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Don't Forget to Check out GPSC Student Life's Facebook Page.

- Find the full version of Duke's events calendar at [Events@Duke](#)
- Check out useful information on grad student resources on the [GPSC Wiki Site](#)
- Post classifieds at <http://dukelist.duke.edu>

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