

Graduate College Update

(March 1, 2023)

- ◆ Frank Einhellig Graduate Interdisciplinary Forum. The EIDF will be held on April 29, 2023. Abstract submissions will be accepted until **April 3**. See website for additional information at <https://graduate.missouristate.edu/CurrentStudents/IDF.htm>.
- Outstanding Graduate Assistant Awards: Deadline for nominations – March 31. Information can be found at <https://graduate.missouristate.edu/CurrentStudents/GraduateAssistantAwards.htm>.
- Outstanding Graduate Mentor Award: Deadline for nominations – March 31. Information can be found at <https://graduate.missouristate.edu/CurrentStudents/outstanding-graduate-mentor-award.htm>.

- ◆ **Important Faculty related funding deadlines.** Guidelines and applications can be found at <https://graduate.missouristate.edu/facultystaff/ResearchSupport.htm>
 - International Travel Awards. Applications are due in the Graduate College on January 15, April 15, July 15 and October 15. No applications will be considered between the deadlines. Information available at <https://graduate.missouristate.edu/FacultyStaff/InternationalTravel.htm>.
 - Faculty Research Grants: Spring applications are due February 1. Fall applications are due October 1. Information available at <https://graduate.missouristate.edu/FacultyStaff/FacultyResearchGrants.htm>.
 - Summer Faculty Fellowships: Proposals are due in the Graduate College on October 30. Information available at <https://graduate.missouristate.edu/FacultyStaff/SummerFellowships.htm>.

- ◆ **Important Student related funding deadlines.**
 - Masterson Family Graduate Student Research Award information can be found at <https://www.missouristate.edu/FinancialAid/Scholarships/Graduate.htm>. Students must submit the MSU Annual Scholarship Application by March 1.
 - Aileen and Keith Ford Endowed Scholarship and the Basil and JoAnn Boritzki scholarship information can be found at <http://www.missouristate.edu/FinancialAid/scholarships/Graduate.htm>. Students must submit the MSU Annual Scholarship Application by March 1.
 - MSU Distinguished Thesis Award: October 1. Information can be found at <http://graduate.missouristate.edu/currentstudents/ThesisAward.htm>.
 - Non-Thesis Research Funding. Fall deadline – Sept 30; Spring deadline – Feb. 1. Information can be found at <http://graduate.missouristate.edu/currentstudents/Funding.htm>.
 - Thesis Funding: Fall deadline – Sept 30; Spring deadline – Feb 1. Information can be found at <http://graduate.missouristate.edu/currentstudents/Funding.htm>.
 - Need-Based Scholarship for Graduate Students. Deadlines are November 15 (for spring semester), April 1 (for summer semester) and June 1 (for fall semester). Information can be found at <https://www.missouristate.edu/FinancialAid/Scholarships/Graduate.htm>.
 - Graduate Student Travel Funding. Applications accepted all year - -should be submitted no later than 1 month prior to the travel. Information can be found at <http://graduate.missouristate.edu/currentstudents/Funding.htm>.

◆ **Other Deadlines**

- Distinguished Thesis Award. Next year's application deadline is September 15. Information can be found at <https://graduate.missouristate.edu/currentstudents/ThesisAward.htm>.
- Distinguished Teaching Assistant Award & MAGS nomination (Excellence in Teaching Award). Next year's application deadline is October 1. Information can be found at <https://graduate.missouristate.edu/currentstudents/TeachingAward.htm>

◆ **Graduation Deadlines**

- Due Now - - applications for SP23 graduation. Students need to apply by March 31 to have their name included in the Commencement program.
- April 24, 2023 - - Deadline for all assignments to be completed and the Thesis to be submitted in the Thesis Blackboard site.
- April 24, 2023 - - Deadline for submission of Seminar Report Form to Graduate College (for programs requiring form).
- May 11, 2023 - - Deadline for submission of **Comprehensive Exam Result Form** to the Graduate College.
- May 19, 2023 - - **Commencement**

9:00 a.m. McQueary College of Health and Human Services
 College of Humanities and Public Affairs

1:00 p.m. Reynolds College of Arts and Letters
 College of Education
 College of Natural and Applied Sciences

5:00 p.m. College of Business
 Darr College of Agriculture
 Interdisciplinary Academic Programs