CGCS Agenda- Friday, Oct. 16
1pm via Zoom

> Enrollment update FS20
> Degrees Awarded FS19-SS20
> Technical Editing Stats
> T/D Writing Camp
> Fellowship Writing Camp
> Fellowship Opportunities
> Upcoming Events
> Reminders & Announcements
Enrollment Update

> FS2018:  
  - TOTAL GRAD: 1759  
    > PhD: 713  
      - Domestic: 246  
      - International: 467  
    > MS: 755  
      - Domestic: 537  
      - International: 218  
    > Cert: 291  

> FS2019:  
  - TOTAL GRAD: 1634  
    > PhD: 677  
      - Domestic: 237  
      - International: 440  
    > MS: 663  
      - Domestic: 505  
      - International: 158  
    > Cert: 294  

> FS2020:  
  - TOTAL GRAD: 1559  
    > PhD: 591  
      - Domestic: 228  
      - International: 363  
    > MS: 720  
      - Domestic: 582  
      - International: 138  
    > Cert: 248
# Degrees Awarded FS19-SS20

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Technical Editing Statistics, July 1 to Present

> Total Pages Edited: 1462 (548 pages since last meeting!)
> Total Documents Edited: 59 (27 since last meeting!)
  - Articles: 35
  - Conference Papers: 3
  - Dissertations: 6
  - Theses: 12
> Total Grad Students served: 36 (several twice)
  - Departments:
    > Mechanical & Aerospace Engineering: 19
    > Civil, Architectural, & Environmental Engineering: 7
    > Electrical & Computer Engineering: 2
    > Mining & Nuclear Engineering: 7
    > Materials Science & Engineering: 3
    > Biological Sciences: 2
    > Geosciences, Geology, Geological and Petroleum Engineering: 2
    > Chemical Engineering: 1
T/D Writing Camp

> September Writing Camp had 25 attendees.
> October Camp currently has 7 registered – please encourage students to attend this FREE event!

> Topics include:
  – Formatting your T/D
  – Editing for Yourself
  – Best Writing Practices
  – ESL Writing Tips
  – Mastering the Lit Review
  – Copyright
NSF GRFP Writing Camp

- NSF GRFP Fellowship Camp had 6 attendees.
- Lots of one-on-one discussion time
- Several follow up Zoom meetings to discuss writing
- 2-4 plan to submit applications this semester (applications due in the next week)
Fellowship Opportunities

> **NSF GRFP:**
  - Encourage your students to apply for the NSF GRFP
  - Applications due Oct. 19-22 (discipline dependent)

> **John W. Claypool Fund for Medical Research**
  - Availability of two $1,000 awards. Competition for the awards is open to all undergrad and grad students performing medical research activities during the Spring 2021 semester.
  - For students to apply, they must submit a two-page essay describing the proposed research. A faculty advisor to oversee the project should also be named in the essay. The faculty advisor should provide a brief recommendation letter. For application, students must, email their essay and recommendation letter to research@mst.edu no later than October 19, 2020.
Fellowship Opportunities

> **SMART Scholarship-for-Service Program**

- Available to undergraduate and graduate students pursuing a technical degree in one of the 21 STEM disciplines listed below.
  
- Scholarship includes:
  - Full tuition and education related fees
  - Stipend paid at a rate of $25,000 - $38,000 depending on degree
  - Summer research internships ranging from 8 to 12 weeks
  - An experienced mentor at one of the Sponsoring Facilities
  - Employment placement at a DoD facility after graduation.
  
- *All* awardees must be:
  - A citizen of the United States, Australia, Canada, New Zealand, or United Kingdom at time of application,
  - Able to complete at least one summer internship at a DoD facility,
  - Willing to accept post-graduate employment with the DoD,
  - A student in good standing with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale
  - Requesting at least 1.5 years of degree funding prior to graduation (which starts at the program start date)

- **Deadline to apply:** Dec. 1

- More info: [https://www.smartscholarship.org/smart](https://www.smartscholarship.org/smart)

> **Additional Funding Opportunities:**

- [https://grad.mst.edu/future-students/funding/external/](https://grad.mst.edu/future-students/funding/external/)
Upcoming Events

> We Dig Research!
> Faculty present their work, their results, their research agenda, their research plans, and anything and everything related to research. The presentation will be limited to 5 minutes with 5 minutes of follow-up questions.

  – Zoom information:
    > Friday, Oct. 30, 3pm – 5pm
    > Link: https://umsystem.zoom.us/j/92919746558?pwd=a3I6bFU0bGMIaMIzTa09QTUyWFR0QT09
    > Meeting ID: 929 1974 6558
    > Passcode: 504337

> Graduate Student Support Group (w/Counseling Services)

  – Grad students and a counselor meet for weekly support regarding unique challenges of grad school and other important life areas. Common topics of discussion address time management, procrastination, impostor syndrome, social anxiety, career planning/networking, mentoring/leading other students, communication/collaboration with advisors.

  – Fridays, 1-2pm via Zoom

  – Students can call x4211 to schedule an intro meeting with the group leader
Upcoming Events

> Academic Integrity at S&T – Presented by CAFÉ
  – Open to grad students who are teaching or interested in teaching
  – Tuesday, Oct. 27, 12:30-2 pm
  – Held via Zoom

> Thesis/Dissertation Writing Camp
  – Wednesday, Oct. 28 and Thursday, Oct. 29
    9am-11am and 1pm-3pm each day
  – Registration:
    https://grad.mst.edu/currentstudents/thesisanddissertationwritingcamp/

> Patents for Graduate Students
  – Thursday, Nov. 5
    12pm
    Zoom meeting link
Event to Share?

> Does your department have an event open to grad students that you would like shared with them?

> Send details to grad@mst.edu and we will include on social media and in our weekly emails to students!
Reminders and Announcements

> Friday, Oct. 23:
  – Last day for students to notify Graduate Studies if they will NOT be meeting the semester deadlines

> Monday, Nov. 2:
  – Last day dissertation or thesis will be accepted for 1st format check by Graduate Studies

> Wednesday, Nov. 11:
  – Form 2/7: Results of Final Defense

> Wednesday, Nov. 25:
  – Final Thesis/Dissertation Due

> Friday, Nov. 27:
  – Form 3: Results of MS Comp Exam

> All forms now accepted via email with electronic signatures and/or email approvals
Reminders and Announcements

> Degree Audits for Catalog Year 2020-2021
  – All MS and ME audits have been built
  – We will begin entering the Form 1’s we have received for students with an admit term of SS2020 and FS2020.
    > Any Form 1’s that were entered before the audits were built will need to be re-entered on the new audits.

> Graduating Degree Audits for FS2020
  – We are currently working on coding the audits and updating the list.

> Audits will be sent via campus mail and the list will be emailed early next week
Social Media

> Follow us on Facebook, YouTube, Instagram, & Twitter
  
  – Facebook: Missouri S&T Graduate Studies; @SandTGradstudies
  – Instagram: @SandTGradStudies
  – Twitter: @SandTGrdStudies
  – YouTube: Missouri S&T Graduate Studies
Thank you!
Next meeting November 20
via Zoom