

GRADUATE STUDENT LIFE

WEEKLY DIGEST

Graduate Student Life Weekly Digest Week of February 12, 2024

Welcome to the Graduate Student Life Weekly Digest!

This weekly digest serves as official communication from the Office of Graduate Student Life and keeps you up-to-date on events, opportunities, campus resources and support services for graduate students at Rutgers! Share with your friends and tell them to subscribe [HERE!](#) You can contact the Office of Graduate Student Life by emailing gradstudentlife@echo.rutgers.edu or visiting our offices during the week in the Graduate Student Lounge (126 College Ave, behind Panera Bread). The Graduate Student Lounge is open from 7am-12am (Midnight) on Weekdays and 9am-12am (Midnight) on Weekends, click [HERE](#) to view the daily hours for the College Ave Student Center (includes Graduate Student Lounge). Learn more about the Office of Graduate Student Life by visiting our website [HERE!](#)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Register for Graduate Student Spin Class on February 22!

Join us for a graduate-exclusive indoor cycling (spin) class at the Sonny Werblin Recreation Center Indoor Cycling Studio on February 22 from 5pm-5:45pm! This class will be dedicated to beginners and will review bike set up and all the basics. Only 25 spots available, register [HERE!](#) Please contact gradstudentlife@echo.rutgers.edu with any questions.

Read about the Graduate Student Association in this feature article by the Division of Student Affairs

Discover the many ways the GSA is working to serve graduate students at Rutgers- New Brunswick [CLICK HERE!](#)

– GET INVOLVED –

Rutgers International Women's Group (IWG) - For Graduate/Post Doc Students and/or Spouses of Students or Post Docs!

The International Women's Group of Rutgers University (IWG) is a volunteer organization with membership open to all international women who study or work at Rutgers or are spouses of Rutgers students. The members of IWG help each other to build a new life and community while adjusting to New Jersey and Rutgers. Click [HERE](#) more information, or email iwgmembers@gmail.com.

Explore Involvement in Graduate Student Organizations (GSOs)!

Explore the official directory of Graduate Student Organizations (GSOs) recognized by the Graduate Student Association (GSA) and discover graduate involvement opportunities on campus. GSOs are a

fantastic way to meet other graduate students and participate in campus activities. Find the GSO directory [HERE](#).

– STAY INFORMED –

Subscribe to the Office of Student Volunteer Engagement Newsletter!

Keep up to date with on-campus and local volunteer opportunities by subscribing to the Office of Student Volunteer Engagement Newsletter [HERE](#)!

Follow Graduate Student Life on Instagram!

Stay up to date with the Office of Graduate Student Life by following us on Instagram [@rgradstudentlife](#)! Never miss another graduate student life event!

Subscribe to the Graduate Student Association (GSA) Mailing Lists!

Learn about and subscribe to the GSA Weekly Event Newsletter and GSA Market mailing lists [HERE](#)!

Subscribe to the Career Exploration and Success Doctoral Career Community Newsletter

Subscribe to the CES weekly career community email newsletter for all doctoral students for tailored information about events, alumni mentors, career outcomes, and resources for graduate students through Handshake. Learn more about the Doctoral Students Career Community [HERE](#). Visit [THIS](#) webpage for detailed directions on adding the Doctoral Students Career Community to your Rutgers Handshake career interest profile. Click [THIS](#) link to access the archive of past issues of the Career Community Newsletters. You will receive this community newsletter on the 1st, 8th, 15th, and 22nd days of the month.

EVENTS

– RSVP NOW & COMING UP! –

RSVP NOW! Interdisciplinary DEI Luncheon & Mixer – Friday, February 23, 11:00am – 12:30pm

Location: School of Communication and Information, Room 222 (4 Huntington St, New Brunswick, College Ave Campus) AND Zoom.

RSVP [HERE](#) by 5pm on February 19!

The Dean's Office at the School of Communication and Information invites all graduate students from Rutgers – New Brunswick to join us for a DEI research mixer and luncheon. The goal of the mixer is to connect students whose research and interests address questions around Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in the social sciences, humanities, health sciences, and related disciplines. Attendees will connect with peers and discuss ways to build communities to support the work of increasing representation, justice, and abolition in interdisciplinary scholarship. Food and drinks will be provided. Please reach out to Salvador Guzmán Villegas salvador.guzman@rutgers.edu or Dr. Bernadette Gailliard b.gailliard@rutgers.edu with any questions.

NEXT WEEK! Workshop: Preparing a Diversity Statement for Academic and Professional Development – Tuesday, February 20, 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm

Location: Zoom

Register [HERE](#) to Attend or Receive the Workshop Recording!

Join the Graduate Student Association (GSA) and Office of Teaching Evaluation Assessment and Research (OTEAR) for this virtual workshop that explains the function of a diversity statement in academic employment settings and examines how scholars can discuss diversity in their teaching and research. Participants will then review sample diversity statements and discuss ideas for crafting their own.

NEXT WEEK! Research Café – Wednesday, February 21, 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Location: Zoom

Register [HERE!](#)

Join PhD Candidates Yingchun Xu, Jessica Mingoia, and Ana Maria Oliynyk for their exciting research presentations “Traditions as Events: Phenomenological Bullhead Fish Hats and Hani (Akha) Sacred Swings Rebuilding,” “*In Pergula Natus: The Apartments of Pompeii and Herculaneum,*” and “Biophilia in the Urban Environment.” and Research Café is a monthly gathering place for graduate students across disciplinary areas to share their research and benefit from peer feedback and support in a friendly, low-stakes setting. Please register to attend on Zoom. To view the full schedule of presentations taking place this semester, click [HERE](#). Contact Dr. Briana Bivens briana.bivens@rutgers.edu with any questions.

NEXT WEEK! Graduate Student EXCLUSIVE: Introduction to Spin Class! – Thursday, February 22, 5:00 pm – 5:45 pm

Location: Sonny Werblin Recreation Center: Indoor Cycling Studio (656 Bartholomew Rd, Piscataway, Busch Campus)

Register [HERE](#) Only 25 Spots!

Come experience an indoor cycling (spin) class at the Sonny Werblin Recreation Center Indoor Cycling Studio. Indoor cycling classes provide a low impact workout that allows riders to go at their own pace. This class will be dedicated to beginners and will review bike set up and all the basics. Please contact gradstudentlife@echo.rutgers.edu with any questions.

REGISTER NOW! Graduate Student Signature Career Event – Tuesday February 27, 4pm-7pm

Location: Busch Student Center, Multipurpose Room (604 Bartholomew Rd, Piscataway, Busch Campus)

REGISTER [HERE!](#)

Masters and doctoral students from all disciplines are invited to join the Office of Career Exploration & Success at their **FREE** Graduate Student Signature Career Event! Learn to leverage ChatGPT in your career, become empowered to present your best self while being authentic and transparent, discover the variety of career tools the Rutgers Libraries has to offer, and learn to navigate the industry and academic job markets. Don't miss out on exciting workshop sessions, resources, and networking opportunities accompanied by appetizers and beverages! The Career Exploration and Success Career Studio will be offering professional headshots from 3:00pm-4:00pm and from 7:00pm-9:00pm. Click [HERE](#) for more information and contact Tamara Peters tamara.peters@rutgers.edu with any questions.

REGISTER NOW! FREE Financial Planning Workshop for Graduate Students and Postdoctoral Fellows – Thursday February 29, 4pm-5:30pm

Location: Zoom

REGISTER [HERE!](#)

Join the Financial Planning Association of New Jersey for this free workshop specifically created for graduate students and postdoctoral fellows! Learn all about cash flow management, debt, student loan paydown, and building a safety net while navigating a graduate student or postdoc income. For more information contact janet.alder@rutgers.edu

MARK YOUR CALENDAR! Disability Coming Out Day –Tuesday, March 5, 4:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Location: Bloustein Special Event Forum (33 Livingston Ave, New Brunswick) AND Zoom

Closest Parking: Street parking (\$2 for first 2 hours, \$3 for 3 hours, \$4 for 4 hours)

OR Morris Street Deck (70 New St, New Brunswick), click [HERE](#) for deck price information.

REGISTER [HERE!](#)

Join the Bloustein Social Justice Committee for a panel of prominent disability activists discussing the experience of “coming out” as having a disability and inclusion in accessible policy planning, healthcare, and education! Future planning, policy, healthcare, and education leaders are encouraged to join to learn how to be truly inclusive in their decision-making. This discussion will be followed by a mix and mingle, where attendees can meet and engage with peers in the disability community and be “out” as having a disability for those who are comfortable. In-person attendees are asked to wear a mask and to assist in keeping the event a scent-free environment for those with chemical sensitivities. Captioning will be provided. Virtual attendees will have a human monitor to address issues and ensure their voices are heard during the panel discussion. Please reach out to Bloustein Social Justice Committee member, Roni Woitovich rdw107@rutgers.edu with any questions.

– THIS WEEK! –

Office of Disability Services Graduate Student Drop-In Hours – Wednesday, February 14, 2-4 pm

Location: Graduate Student Lounge, 126 College Ave (Behind Panera Bread), College Ave Campus and on Zoom, join meeting [HERE](#) (Meeting ID: 980 3049 3889, Password: 064210).

These sessions are part of the [Life @ The Graduate Student Lounge Event Series](#) and will be offered every Wednesday.

Every Wednesday, 2-4 p.m. at the Graduate Student Lounge (126 College Avenue) and on Zoom, Coordinator Nychey Michel from the Office of Disabilities Services (ODS) will offer drop-in hours just for graduate students. Come stop by and meet Nychey. She can be reached at (848)-202-3111 or nlm108@echo.rutgers.edu. Click [HERE](#) for more information.

Graduate Student Yoga – Wednesday, February 14, 5–6pm

Graduate Yoga is part of the [Life @ The Graduate Student Lounge Event Series](#) and will be held every Wednesday.

Location: Graduate Student Lounge, 126 College Ave (Behind Panera Bread), College Ave Campus

Join us on Wednesdays to take a pause from your busy week by practicing Yoga and relax your mind and body with your fellow graduate students. Hosted by Rutgers Recreation and Office of Graduate Student Life. No Registration Needed. Yoga mats and blocks are provided, and all skill levels are welcome! Email gradstudentlife@echo.rutgers.edu with any questions.

Indoor Winter Farmers Market – Thursday February 15, 11am-3pm

Location: College Ave Student Center, Multipurpose Room (126 College Ave, College Ave Campus)

Stop by and visit us at the College Avenue Student Center where the Basic Needs team will be hosting vendors from the New Brunswick Community Farmers Market and purchase fresh produce for the week, right on campus! Students, staff, faculty, and the local community are all welcome to browse and engage with community partners promoting health and wellness, events, and volunteer opportunities. Please contact Amber Danku adanku@rutgers.edu with any questions.

LGBTQIA+ Graduate Student Social: Stress Less for Success – Thursday, February 15, 5pm-7pm

Location: Center for Social Justice Education and LGBT Communities, (17 Bartlett St, New Brunswick, College Ave Campus)

RSVP [HERE!](#)

Head over to the Center for Social Justice Education and LGBT Communities (SJE) to enjoy community and de-stress from a busy semester! Join SJE for stress-relieving activities, teas, and pastries while supplies last! We're offering DIY stress balls, mindfulness coloring, play-doh, and mini zen garden kits (only 10 garden kits available!). RSVPs are encouraged. Please contact Paolo Miyashiro Bedoya pm976@scarletmail.rutgers.edu with any questions.

Shopping Trip Sign-Up – International Students – Thursday, February 15, 5-8pm

Location: Pick-ups from Bevier Road on Busch Campus & the College Avenue Student Center

Reserve Your spot on the February 15th Shuttle (5pm-8pm) [HERE!](#)

Rutgers Global–International Student and Scholar Services arrange shopping shuttles to local stores throughout the semester and summer so students can purchase groceries and other living essentials. You should sign up to reserve your spot on the shuttle. International students and scholars who have signed up will be given preference to ride on the shuttle. To view the full schedule of shopping trips and learn more information about the Shopping Shuttle Service, click [HERE](#).

GSA Game Night – Thursday, February 15, 7:30pm-9pm

Location: Graduate Student Lounge, 126 College Ave (Behind Panera Bread), College Ave Campus

RSVP [HERE!](#)

Join the Graduate Student Association (GSA) for a night of laughter, camaraderie, and strategy! Whether you are a seasoned board game enthusiast or a curious beginner, this is a great chance to relax, unwind, and have fun with your fellow graduate students! Bring your friends and competitive spirit for games, snacks, and great times! Please contact help@gsa.rutgers.edu with any questions.

That's Lit: Year of the Dragon Celebration! – Friday February 16, 7pm-10pm

Location: Busch Student Center, Multipurpose Room (604 Bartholomew Rd, Piscataway, Busch Campus)

Join the Asian American Cultural Center at their annual Pan-Asian Lunar New Year Celebration for an exciting night of food, giveaways, performances, a photo booth, and so much more!

– WELLNESS WORKSHOPS, GROUPS, & SUPPORT–

Tame the Brain Graduate Wellness Workshop: Too Stressed to Test: Managing Anxiety – Thursday, February 15, 11am-12pm

Location: Graduate Student Lounge, 126 College Ave (Behind Panera Bread), College Ave Campus

This workshop, hosted by CAPS Community Counselor Shan Reeves, offers a space for students to discuss the things that cause them anxiety and its impact on their life. Students will receive support with coping skills to better manage their anxiety. Click [HERE](#) for more information about Tame the Brain Graduate Wellness Workshops offered during the spring semester!

International Student Exclusive Wellness Workshop: FOMO is Real! – Thursday, February 15, 5pm-6:30pm

Location: RU Global ISSS Conference Room (180 College Ave, New Brunswick, College Ave Campus)

Register [HERE!](#)

Are you having difficulty building a community here, struggling with loneliness, and the long-term distance from family and friends in your home country? The first workshop of the CAPS/ISSS Spring 2024 Wellness Series is here to support you by providing a safe space to discuss relationship difficulties and social isolation while helping you connect with other international students. Click [HERE](#) for more information about RU Global's spring 2024 wellness events for international students.

International Student Wellness Group – Every Friday, 1-2:30pm

Location: **Zoom**, Call CAPS at 848-932-7884 to discuss whether this group would be a good fit for your needs or talk to your CAPS Clinician about a referral to this wellness group.

Join this International Student Wellness group designed to support international students through the unique challenges of cross-cultural adjustment. This group provides a supportive, confidential, virtual safe space to discuss various concerns such as microaggressions and discrimination, family pressures, or

homesickness. If you are interested in joining the International Student Wellness Group, call CAPS at 848-932-7884 or talk to your CAPS Clinician about a referral to this wellness group. Click [HERE](#) to see options for other CAPS Wellness groups and for more information about the International Student Wellness Group.

Graduate Student Wellness Group – Every Friday, 1-2:30pm

Location: In-Person, please call CAPS at 848-932-7884 for exact location details, Call CAPS at 848-932-7884 to discuss whether this group would be a good fit for your needs or talk to your CAPS Clinician about a referral to this wellness group.

The Graduate Student Group aims to provide a safe and supportive space to help members gain a better understanding of themselves and their relationships with others in the context of the graduate school experience. Students will have the opportunity to explore and share concerns and feelings they may be experiencing such as: social adjustments, loneliness, romantic relationships, handling conflicts with peers and professors, feelings of inadequacy, anxiety, struggles with assertiveness, stress management, and balancing family life with academics. If you are interested in joining the Graduate Student Group, call CAPS at 848-932-7884 or talk to your CAPS Clinician about a referral to this wellness group. Click [HERE](#) to see options for other CAPS Wellness groups and for more information about the Graduate Student Group.

Weekly Let's Talk Drop In Counseling Conversations – Mondays, Thursdays, Fridays

Locations: Zoom, Busch Campus, College Ave Campus

Free Private and Confidential Drop-In Conversations with licensed mental health professionals available in-person or virtual. Click [HERE](#) for more information about drop-in Let's Talk sessions with our graduate student focused counselors Dana and Shan! Click [HERE](#) for information about Let's Talk sessions with other CAPS Community Based-Counselors.

– ACADEMIC SUPPORT & WORKSHOPS –

Evidence Synthesis Library Workshops Tuesday, February 13, 9:30am-11am

So You're Writing a Social Science Systematic or Scoping Review: An Overview

Location: Zoom

Register [HERE!](#)

Please join the Rutgers University Libraries for library workshops on conducting systematic and scoping reviews! Evidence synthesis methods are growing in popularity among social and natural science disciplines, but many faculty and students aren't sure of the steps, tools, resources, or types of methods used in an evidence synthesis project. These workshops provide a broad overview of the concepts behind evidence synthesis, so that you can approach future projects with confidence. This spring, the Libraries are offering a new workshop specifically for students who will be using systematic or scoping review methods in their dissertations! Click [HERE](#) to view the full schedule and descriptions of systematic scoping workshops offered during the spring semester. Please contact Social Sciences Librarian, Julia Maxwell julia.maxwell@rutgers.edu with any questions.

Rutgers Learning Centers Graduate Student Workshops

- **Getting Started with Graduate Level Research Writing Part 1: The Drafting Process**
Monday, February 19, 7:00 pm-8:00 pm [Register here](#)
- **Lit review 101** Wednesday, February 21, 4:00 pm-5:00 pm [Register here](#)

Full list of Workshops: <http://learningcenters.rutgers.edu/register-workshops>

Questions, email Lucille Leung llu@echo.rutgers.edu

Academic Coaching from Learning Centers

Academic Coaching is available to students from freshmen to Ph.D. candidates and can be particularly helpful to graduate students who would benefit from talking through motivation challenges, breaking down large tasks into more approachable segments, and seeking accountability for productivity. Several of the Rutgers Academic Coaches support graduate students specifically. [Click here](#) to download the Penji scheduling app. Once in the app, join the Academic Coaching community; then, under "Topics", click on "SEE ALL GRADUATE STUDENT COACHING" to access open appointments with these coaches. Any problems registering or have questions, please contact academiccoaches@echo.rutgers.edu.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT, FUNDING, & EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

– PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT –

**LAST CALL FOR PROPOSALS! Rutgers Digital Humanities Showcase – Tuesday, March 19, 2-4pm
SUBMIT PROPOSALS BY FEBRUARY 16!**

Location: Alexander Library (169 College Ave, New Brunswick, College Ave Campus)

Graduate students, faculty, and staff are invited to propose short talks that bring together humanistic inquiry and digital technology at the Digital Humanities Showcase hosted by the Rutgers Digital Humanities Initiative. Proposed talks can vary in length from 3-12 minutes and cover any topic drawing a substantive connection between humanistic questions and digital technology. Proposals must be submitted by email to Francesca Giannetti francesca.giannetti@rutgers.edu and Kristin O'Brassill-Kulfan kristin.obrassillkulfan@rutgers.edu by February 16. Click [HERE](#) for more information about the Digital Humanities Showcase and to review proposal guidelines.

Build a Fellowship Plan with GradFund!

Schedule an appointment with a GradFund advisor for fellowship assistance! Schedule a Planning Meeting to learn how to search for fellowships and grants or to plan out your future funding applications. Request Help with a Funder to learn about the funder's application review process and find the best way to frame your research plans for a particular application. Book an Application Review appointment to have a GradFund advisor review your application materials for one application. Schedule a Post-Award Consultation for advice on moving forward after receiving a fellowship offer. Wherever you are in the fellowship, grant, or award process, GradFund is here to help! Click [HERE](#) for more information on GradFund and click [HERE](#) to schedule a Gradfund appointment.

Learn to Write a Competitive Funding Application with GradFund's FREE Self-Paced Canvas Course

Learn to write a competitive external funding application using GradFund's FREE self-paced Canvas course! This course teaches the art of competitive proposal writing through developing familiarity with both funders in your field of study and the proposal writing genre. Click [HERE](#) to enroll in GradFund's self-paced Canvas course.

**FREE Self-Service Professional Headshots at the Career Portrait Lounge! – By Appointment
9:30am-3:45pm**

Locations: Busch Student Center (604 Bartholomew Rd, Piscataway, Busch Campus) **AND** Gateway Transit Village Building, 4th Floor (106 Somerset St, New Brunswick, College Ave Campus)

Need a headshot? Professional photos are a snap for Rutgers-New Brunswick graduate students. The Office of Career Exploration and Success now has two self-service photography studios on the Busch and College Ave campuses. Take your candidacy and digital brand to the next level and schedule an appointment to get your picture-perfect headshot! Click [HERE](#) for more information and learn how to schedule a self-service headshot appointment via Handshake!

– SCHOLARSHIP & FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES –

Student Parents: Skills and Training in Action Research (STAR) Fellowships

Apply [HERE](#) by February 25!

The Urban Institute is requesting applications for new Skills and Training in Action (STAR) Fellows. STAR Fellows are current or recent students who have lived expertise relevant to a research or policy project. STAR Fellows are paid members of the project leadership team and support project operations while learning how to engage in effective research geared towards informing action. Current or recent student parents are encouraged to apply to any of the STAR Fellowships accepting applications [HERE](#). Please review the descriptions of each Fellowship for additional details and individual applications.

Fulbright Hays Doctoral Dissertation Research Fellowship

Apply [HERE](#) by March 13 (Internal deadline for Rutgers Applicants)!

The Fulbright Hays Doctoral Dissertation Research Fellowship competition is now open! Doctoral students pursuing an area studies project requiring 6-12 months of dissertation research abroad are encouraged to apply. Click [HERE](#) for an overview of the Fulbright Hays Doctoral Dissertation Research Abroad Fellowship Program and click [HERE](#) application, eligibility, and award information. Students who plan to apply are strongly encouraged to schedule a [GradFund](#) appointment for application assistance [HERE](#). Click [HERE](#) for more information on booking a GradFund appointment. GradFund offers additional guidance on developing a competitive fellowship application in their GradFund Self-Paced Guide to Fellowships and Grants on Canvas. Use [THIS](#) link to self-enroll in the Canvas site.

ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS! Eagleton Graduate Fellowship Program

Apply [HERE](#) By March 25, 2024!

Rutgers graduate students of all disciplines who have an interest in politics and government are encouraged to apply for the Eagleton Graduate Fellowship! Year-long Eagleton Fellowships are designed to complement academic study, allowing fellows to continue their degree programs without interruption. Fellows are exposed to the art of politics, governing, and policymaking while providing meaningful assistance to government through coursework and internship placements. Part-time, transfer, and international students are eligible to apply. **Stipends and tuition remission are available.** Click [HERE](#) to learn more. Reach out to Sarah Kozak fellows@eagleton.rutgers.edu with any questions.

APPLY NOW! Quad Fellowship

Apply [HERE](#) by April 1!

The Quad Fellowship sponsors exceptional master's and doctoral students to study science, technology, engineering, and mathematics in the United States. The fellowship supports students in [THESE STEM fields](#) from the four Quad countries – Australia, India, Japan, and the United States and the ASEAN countries (Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, or Vietnam.) Quad Fellows receive a one-time stipend of \$40,000 to be used for academic expenses and

will have the opportunity to network and engage in programming with accomplished individuals in STEM, government, and society. Please contact quadfellowshipinfo@iie.org with any questions.

Students interested in applying for the Quad Fellowship should consider attending the GradFund Webinar (details below) on February 15 to learn more about creating a competitive application.

GradFund Webinar: Quad Fellowship Information Session – Thursday, February 15, 1pm

Register [HERE!](#)

Location: Zoom (Pre-registration is *REQUIRED*. you must have your Rutgers Zoom account activated to register and attend this Webinar, when prompted, log into Zoom using NetID@rutgers.edu as the email address.)

GradFund Fellowship Advisors will share tips and advice on crafting a competitive and compelling Quad Fellowship application with participants. Click [HERE](#) for more information about the Quad Fellowship. Advance registration is required to attend. Please email fellowship_advisor@gradfund.rutgers.edu with any questions.

Short-Term Fellowships with the Boston Athenæum!

APPLY [HERE](#) By April 15!

The Boston Athenæum is offering short-term fellowships to graduate students, scholars, faculty, librarians, and humanities professionals. The Boston Athenæum was founded in 1807 and is one of the oldest and most distinguished independent libraries in the United States, holding a circulating collection of over half a million books and special collections including active research holdings of over 100,000 rare books, maps and manuscripts, and 100,000 works of art in various mediums. Fellows will be granted use of the Athenæum collections for research, publication, curriculum and program development, or other creative projects along with a 20-day residency stipend and 1-year membership to the Boston Athenæum. Click [HERE](#) for more information about the fellowships offered by the Boston Athenæum.

– EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES –

Summer Resident Advisor Positions – Research Intensive Summer Experience (RISE Program)

Position Dates: RISE Program dates – May 26-August 2. RAs must be available May 24-August 5.

Compensation: \$2,000 and Free Housing

Apply [HERE!](#)

The School of Graduate Studies is seeking Graduate Students to serve as summer Resident Advisors (RAs) for the Research Intensive Summer Experience (RISE) at Rutgers program. RAs live in the Livingston Campus Apartments with about 50 RISE undergraduates, serving as residential and social resources and informal mentors. RAs also act as first-line responders for urgent and emergency situations, monitor and report maintenance issues, and enforce University and program policies. RISE students are involved in research and programming during the week, while RAs pursue their own research, academics, or other activities. RAs primary responsibilities are weekends and evenings, however, some flexibility is required for occasional weekday needs. Please email rise@grad.rutgers.edu with any questions.

THE RESOURCE CORNER

Get EndNote FREE through the Rutgers Libraries!

EndNote is available to all Rutgers students, faculty, and staff through the Rutgers Libraries! EndNote is a desktop program for collecting and organizing references that allows you to create a searchable personal reference database, find full text articles, manage and annotate pdf files, cite references while writing a

paper, create bibliographies in your preferred style, and more! Click [HERE](#) for more information about downloading EndNote as a Rutgers affiliate.

Save an EXTRA 25% on NJ Transit Monthly Passes!

Rutgers students enrolled in at least 2 courses this semester are eligible for a 25% discount on NJ Transit rail, bus, or light rail monthly passes! Apply online through the NJ Transit Quik-Tik Program by the 10th of the month to receive your discounted pass for the following month via mail (I.E. purchase before March 10th to receive a pass valid for the month of April). Click [HERE](#) for more information and to purchase a discounted NJ Transit monthly pass.

STUDENT SERVICES & SUPPORT

Looking for graduate student resources, services, or support? Check out the [University Resources page](#) on our website! The University Resources page is our new central hub for information pertaining to graduate student support services at Rutgers!