

### Graduate Student Life \_\_\_\_\_ Weekly Digest

# Graduate Student Life Weekly Digest Week of March 17, 2025

### 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-New Brunswick! Share with your friends and tell them to subscribe <a href="https://example.com/HERE">HERE!</a>! You can contact the Office of Graduate Student Life by emailing <a href="mailto:gradstudentlife@echo.rutgers.edu">gradstudentlife@echo.rutgers.edu</a> or visiting our offices during the week in the Graduate Student Lounge (126 College Ave, behind Panera Bread). Click <a href="mailto:HERE">HERE</a> for information about staff office hours.

For spring break this week, the Graduate Student Lounge is open from 8:00am-5:00pm Monday-Friday, closed on Saturday, and will resume normal operating hours from 9:00am-12:00am on Sunday. Click HERE to view the current 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**

### Happy Spring Break from the Office of Graduate Student Life!

The Office of Graduate Life wishes you a wonderful and relaxing spring break! During this week, the Graduate Student Lounge will be open from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM from Monday, March 17, to Friday, March 21, closed on Saturday, March 22, and will resume regular operating hours on Sunday, March 23.

### **Graduating? Don't Forget to Order Your Regalia by March 28!**

Students planning to participate in May 2025 commencement and convocation ceremonies are required to wear academic regalia. Rutgers University-New Brunswick graduates can order their regalia <a href="HERE">HERE</a> and Rutgers University-Health graduates can order their regalia <a href="HERE">HERE</a>. The last day to order online (ship-to-home) is March 28!

### - GET INVOLVED -

### **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.

### RCommunity: A New Way to Get Involved!

The Student Volunteer Engagement Office is excited to introduce RCommunity, an online platform that assists students in finding local community service opportunities. The Student Volunteer Engagement Office is offering information sessions so students can learn more about this platform. Click <u>HERE</u> to request a training session on RCommunity.

# Student Organizations: Get Featured by the Student Volunteer Engagement Office During National Volunteer Week!

The Student Volunteer Engagement Office is seeking student organizations who have participated in volunteer work this year to highlight during National Volunteer Week in April. Interested organizations should complete THIS form by April 1. For more information, please contact volunteer@echo.rutgers.edu.

### 1:1 Coaching Sessions for Volunteer Engagement

### Schedule a 1:1 Coaching Session HERE

Graduate students looking for ways to volunteer in the community should consider scheduling a 1:1 coaching session with the Office of Student Volunteer Engagement to kick-start their volunteer journey.

# NEXT WEEK! Service Day at the Second Reformed Thrift Shop – Wednesday, March 26, 1pm-4pm

<u>Location: Second Reformed Thrift Shop (8 Stone St, New Brunswick, College Ave Campus)</u>

### Register HERE by March 24, 11:59pm!

Join the Student Volunteer Engagement for an afternoon of service at the Second Reformed Thrift Shop! Volunteers will assist in sorting donations as the thrift shop prepares to open. For questions or more information, please email <a href="mailto:volunteer@echo.rutgers.edu">volunteer@echo.rutgers.edu</a>.

### - STAY INFORMED -

Looking for more ways to stay informed? Check out the <u>Newsletters page</u> on our website! The Newsletters page is the new home for information about various newsletters and listservs that are relevant to the graduate student experience including: the Graduate Student Association, Student Volunteer Engagement, Career Exploration and Success: Doctoral Career Community, Student Basic Needs, and more!

### Follow Graduate Student Life on Instagram!

Stay up to date with the Office of Graduate Student Life by following us on Instagram @rugradstudentlife! Never miss another graduate student life event!

### **EVENTS**

### - THIS WEEK! -

**UNMA Ask Me Anything Information Session – Tuesday, March 18, 6pm** 

Location: Virtual Register HERE!

This virtual information session welcomes all graduate students who are interested in applying for the M.A. Program in Political Science with a concentration in the United Nations and Global Policy Studies (UNMA). The session will feature a brief presentation by UNMA Associate Program Director Dr. DilaFruz Nazarova, which will cover the program, curriculum, and application process. For questions or more information, please contact Graduate Assistant Guzide Ozalp at <a href="mailto:ggd34@polisci.rutgers.edu">ggd34@polisci.rutgers.edu</a>.

How Women's Liberation Transformed America: In Conversation with Clara Bingham – Thursday, March 20, 2pm-3pm

Location: Virtual Register HERE!

Join the Rutgers Libraries for a transformative conversation with award-winning journalist and author, Clara Bingham, as she chats with us about her new book, The Movement: How Women's Liberation Transformed America, 1963-1973. The Movement is a comprehensive and engaging oral history of the decade that defined the feminist movement, including interviews with living icons and unsung heroes. The Movement is the first oral history of the decade that built the modern feminist movement. Through the captivating individual voices of the people who lived it, The Movement tells the intimate inside story of what it felt like to be at the forefront of the modern feminist crusade when women rejected thousands of years of custom and demanded the freedom to be who they wanted and needed to be.

### - RSVP NOW & COMING UP! -

NEXT WEEK! Author Discussion with - John Lewis: A Life - Monday, March 24, 5pm-7pm

<u>Location: Eagleton Institute of Politics (191 Ryders Lane, New Brunswick, Douglass Campus)</u>

### Register <u>HERE!</u>

Join Rutgers University Professor of History and Journalism and Media Studies, David Greenberg, for a conversation surrounding his most recent book, *John Lewis: A Life.* This book is a biographical account of Lewis' personal and professional life, his role in the Civil Rights Movement, and his legacy in fighting for equality and justice. For questions, please contact Nancy Shidaheh at shihadeh@eagleton.rutgers.edu. This

event is hosted by the Eagleton Institute for Politics and co-sponsored by the Rutgers History Department and School of Information and Communication.

# NEXT WEEK! Virtual Artist Talk: Erin Ggaadimits Ivalu Gingrich – Monday, March 24, 7pm-8pm

Location: Virtual Register HERE!

Join the Zimmerli Art Museum for a virtual artist talk with Erin Ggaadimits Ivalu Gingrich (Nome Eskimo Community, culturally affiliated with Koyukon Denaa & Iñupiaq), a Koyukon Denaa and Iñupiaq carver and interdisciplinary artist working and subsisting on the Dena'ina homelands in Southcentral Alaska. Ivalu will share insights into her art-making practices and discuss her sculpture, Spawning Iqalukpik Double from Tustumena Lake, featured in the Zimmerli Art Museum's Indigenous Identities exhibition.

# **NEXT WEEK!** "Every Body Deserves to Be Heard:" Film Screening & Strategic Narrative Building Workshop – Tuesday, March 25, 2pm-5pm

<u>Location: Livingston Student Center, Livingston Hall (84 Joyce Kilmer Avenue, Piscataway, Livingston Campus)</u>

### Register **HERE** by March 24!

Join the Tyler Clementi Center for Diversity Education and Bias Prevention for a workshop on strategic narrative development, led by award-winning author and activist Alicia Roth Weigel. This event will begin with a screening of *Every Body*, a documentary that explores intersex identity and advocacy. Following the screening, Weigel will guide participants through the principles of effective storytelling, equipping them with tools to help advocates across contexts think beyond the box, move their audiences, and drive meaningful change. Snacks and drinks will be provided. The first 50 attendees will also receive FREE copies of Weigel's book, *Inverse Cowgirl*. For questions, please contact NB Diversity at <a href="mailto:nbdiversity@rutgers.edu">nbdiversity@rutgers.edu</a>.

# NEXT WEEK! CES Drop-In Hours for Graduate Students – Wednesday, March 26, 4pm-6pm

Location: Zoom (Click HERE!)

CES Drop in Hours for Graduate Students will be held on Wednesdays from 4-6pm throughout the semester with additional sessions on 4/9, and 4/23.

Have career questions? Need guidance on your next professional steps? Stop by virtually during drop-in hours to connect with Dr. Rudrani Gangopadhya, the Senior Assistant Director for Graduate Student Career Pathways in the Office of Career Exploration and Success! This is an opportunity for students to ask quick questions, receive advice, or explore resources tailored to their career goals. Whether you are considering academic, industry, or alternative pathways, help is available. No appointment is needed, students can simply drop in! Please reach out to Dr. Rudrani Gangopadhya rudrani.g@rutgers.edu with any questions.

### NEXT WEEK! HIV/STI Testing – Thursday, March 27, 10am-5pm

<u>Location: College Ave Student Center, Room 411 ABC (126 College Avenue, New Brunswick, College Ave Campus)</u>

Bring your RUID card to the College Ave Student Center for walk-in HIV/STI testing offered all day by Rutgers Student Health: Health Outreach, Prevention, and Education (HOPE)! Getting tested regularly is one of the most important things you can do for your health. Click <u>HERE</u> for more information.

### NEXT WEEK! Graduate Student Yoga - Thursday, March 27, 5pm-6pm

<u>Location: Graduate Student Lounge (126 College Avenue, New Brunswick, College Ave Campus)</u>

Graduate Student Yoga is part of the <u>Life @ The Graduate Student Lounge Event Series</u> and will be held every Thursday from 5-6pm.

Stop by on Thursdays to take a pause from your busy week by practicing Yoga and relax your mind and body with your fellow graduate students. Yoga mats and blocks are provided, and all skill levels are welcome! Hosted by Rutgers Recreation and Office of Graduate Student Life.

# NEXT WEEK! Shopping Trip Sign-Up – International Students – Thursday, March 27, 5pm-8pm

<u>Location: Pick-ups from Bevier Road or Nichols Apartments on Busch Campus</u> **Reserve Your spot on the Shuttle 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. You may also register your dependents for the shuttle. To view the full spring schedule of shopping trips and learn more information about the Shopping Shuttle Service, click HERE.

# NEXT WEEK! Scarlet Arts Rx - Polestar Pilates Mat Workout with Willa! - Friday, March 28, 10:30am-11:30am

<u>Location: Nicholas Music Center, Dance Studio 122 (85 George St, New Brunswick, Cook/Douglass Campus)</u>

Graduate students are invited to attend this free pilates mat class led by BFA Dance Major and Polestar Pilates Mat Teacher Training graduate, Willa O'Connor through Scarlet Arts Rx. Additional classes will be held on 4/11, and 4/25. Sign up for Scarlet Arts Rx HERE, and check out Scarlet Arts Rx on getINVOLVED HERE.

NEXT WEEK! Mini Rage Piñatas with Scarlet Arts Rx – Friday, March 28, 6pm-8pm Location: The Yard, 1st Floor Classroom in the Sojourner Truth Building (40 College Ave, New Brunswick, College Ave Campus)

### RSVP <u>HERE!</u>

Relax, enjoy candy, and create mini rage piñatas with Scarlet Arts Rx! These piñatas can be kept on desks and smashed whenever frustration strikes. All supplies, including candy for filling, will be provided while supplies last. Sign up for Scarlet Arts Rx HERE, and check out Scarlet Arts Rx on getINVOLVED HERE.

COMING UP! Tissue Paper Flower Making – Monday, March 31, 3:30pm-5pm Location: Office of Disability Services Lucy Stone Hall, Suite A145 (54 Joyce Kilmer Avenue, Piscataway, Livingston Campus)

### RSVP <u>HERE!</u>

Learn how to craft beautiful tissue paper flowers with Scarlet Arts Rx and the Office of Disability Services! This event is open to all students with disabilities and disability allies. Supplies will be provided. For more information and to coordinate event accommodations, please contact the Office of Disability Services at <a href="mailto:dsoffice@echo.rutgers.edu">dsoffice@echo.rutgers.edu</a> or (848)-202-3111. Sign up for Scarlet Arts Rx <a href="mailto:HERE">HERE</a>, and check out Scarlet Arts Rx on getINVOLVED HERE.

# **COMING UP!** Knight at the Museum: Graduate and Professional Student Appreciation Reception – Tuesday, April 1, 4:30pm-7:30pm

<u>Location: Zimmerli Art Museum (71 Hamilton St, New Brunswick, College Ave Campus)</u> **RSVP HERE!** 

Join the Graduate Student Association and the Office of Graduate Student Life for the signature event of Graduate and Professional Student Appreciation Week! Don't miss a spectacular evening filled with food, live music, and opportunity to explore the museum while mingling with your fellow graduate students! This event is part of Rutgers Graduate and Professional Student Appreciation Week 2025, coordinated through the Office of Graduate Student Life, stay tuned for the program of Graduate and Professional Student Appreciation Week events!

### - WELLNESS WORKSHOPS, GROUPS, & SUPPORT-

CAPS International Student Wellness Group (ISWG) – Tuesdays, 2pm-3:30pm

Location: In-Person, 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.

Many international students face unique challenges due to cross-cultural adjustment. Some experience homesickness, loneliness, language barriers, discrimination, and different levels of acculturative stress socially and academically. This group aims to provide these international students with a safe, confidential, and therapeutic space to help form connections and discuss various concerns with one another. Students who

are interested in joining ISWG, should call CAPS at 848-932-7884 or talk to their CAPS Clinician about a referral to this wellness group. Click <u>HERE</u> for more information and to see options for other CAPS Wellness groups.

# CAPS Wellness Group: Coping With Social Anxiety – Various Sessions throughout the Semester

Location: In-Person, 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.

Students who struggle with social anxiety may benefit from joining this 6-session CAPS wellness group. This group provides students with a non-judgemental, supportive, and positive environment that may help them overcome their social anxiety. It will go over what causes social anxiety and how to develop proven skills to change it. Students who are interested in joining Coping With Social Anxiety, should call CAPS at 848-932-7884 or talk to their CAPS Clinician about a referral to this wellness group. Click HERE for more information and to see options for other CAPS Wellness groups.

# CAPS Wellness Group: Stress Less With Art – Various Sessions throughout the Semester

Location: In-Person, 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.

Graduate students seeking a creative outlet to relieve stress may benefit from joining this CAPS wellness group. This group offers a supportive space to navigate stress by using art as a tool to visualize, express, and reflect on thoughts, feelings, and behaviors through tough times, without the need for existing art skills. Students who are interested in joining Stress Less With Art, should call CAPS at 848-932-7884 or talk to their CAPS Clinician about a referral to this wellness group. Click <a href="HERE">HERE</a> for more information and to see options for other CAPS Wellness groups.

# Graduate Student Wellness Group: RU Grad – Fridays, 1pm-2:30pm Location: In-Person, 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.

Graduate students looking for a safe space or supportive environment to share and explore struggles/feelings they may have—whether this be anxiety, self-esteem, sustaining or forming relationships, and the like, may benefit from joining this graduate student wellness group. This group may cover topics including: social adjustment and loneliness, romantic relationships, navigating conflicts/challenges with peers and professors, feelings of inadequacy, assertiveness, stress management and balancing family life and academics. Students who are interested in joining the RU Grad Group, should call CAPS at 848-932-7884 or talk to their CAPS Clinician about a referral to this

wellness group. Click <u>HERE</u> to see options for other CAPS Wellness groups and for more information about the RU Grad Group.

# Low Cost ADHD Assessments through the Rutgers Center for Youth Social Emotional Wellness and the Graduate School of Applied & Professional Psychology Center for Psychological Services

The Rutgers Center for Youth Social Emotional Wellness (CYSEW) in partnership with the Graduate School of Applied & Professional Psychology Center for Psychological Services (GSAPP) is now offering low-cost psychological assessments to all Rutgers Students. Assessments are \$150 and include a comprehensive screening for ADHD, anxiety, and depression, a detailed diagnostic report with resources, and a feedback session. To request a virtual assessment scheduled at your convenience, click <a href="https://example.com/heres/her

# Couples Therapy Services Available at NJ Couples Clinic at the Rutgers Psychological Clinic

<u>Location: Rutgers Psychology Building, NJ Couples Clinic (152 Frelinghuysen Road, Piscataway, Busch Campus)</u>

The Rutgers University Couple Therapy Clinic is now offering evidence-based couples therapy, provided under expert supervision by advanced graduate students in clinical psychology. The clinic aims to provide a safe and supportive environment where couples and individuals can work on their relationship goals, whether it be overcoming challenges or simply enhancing their connection with their partner. The NJ Couples Clinic provides services such as guidance through communication improvement, conflict resolution, intimacy rekindling, and managing life transitions. Services are free to those with Rutgers Student Insurance and offered at a low sliding scale fee to those without. Contact Co-Director of the NJ Couples Clinic at Rutgers and GSAPP professor Karen Riggs kskean@gsapp.rutgers.edu with any questions.

### **Weekly Let's Talk Drop In Counseling Conversations**

Free Private and Confidential Drop-In Conversations with licensed mental health professionals available in-person or virtual. CAPS Community Based Counselors offer support and counseling services from within university communities—including academic schools and cultural centers. Students are welcome to visit any Community Based Counselor they would like, and may choose a counselor based on the topic they would like to discuss and the counselor's therapeutic approach or community. Click <a href="HERE">HERE</a> for information and schedules for Let's Talk sessions and click <a href="HERE">HERE</a> to learn more about individual CAPS Community Based Counselors (look for "Community Based-Counselor").

### **Uwill: FREE Immediate-Access to Teletherapy**

Uwill provides free immediate access to teletherapy through an easy-to-use, private, secure, confidential, online platform. Choose a therapist based on your preferences, including issue, gender, language, and ethnicity. Select a time that fits your schedule, including day, night, and weekend availability. Register and book your first session using your Rutgers email HERE.

### - ACADEMIC SUPPORT & WORKSHOPS -

NEXT WEEK! Data Science Basics: Your Questions Answered! – Monday, March 24, 10am-11:30am

Location: Virtual Register HERE!

Join Data Science Graduate Specialist, Burlyn Andall-Blake, for this open drop-in session! Participants are invited to bring coding questions related to Python, R, SQL, and Git, or other questions related to coding or job searching as a graduate student. Participants can submit their questions in advance to Andall-Blake at <a href="mailto:bra43@scarletmail.rutgers.edu">bra43@scarletmail.rutgers.edu</a> or drop in with questions. Click <a href="mailto:HERE">HERE</a> to view more workshops offered by Rutgers libraries.

# NEXT WEEK! Research Methods Workshop: Demystifying Generative AI – Monday, March 24, 2pm-3:30pm

Location: Virtual Register HERE!

Join Data Science Graduate Specialist Tanya Khanna for a beginner-friendly workshop on generative Al! This session will cover its capabilities, limitations, applications in personal and professional contexts, best practices, and how to use this technology effectively and efficiently. Click <a href="HERE">HERE</a> to view more workshops offered by Rutgers libraries.

# NEXT WEEK! Designing Inclusive AI Literacy Research - Methods, Ethics, and Critical Reflection on Diversity – Tuesday, March 25, 2pm-3:30pm

Location: Virtual Register HERE!

Join graduate specialist Joh Seo for this workshop on research designs and ethical considerations for studying Al literacy among diverse populations! Participants will learn practical strategies for fostering equitable and culturally sensitive research practices, explore inclusive methodologies, reflect on bias and power dynamics, and discuss approaches to ensure meaningful representation. Click <a href="HERE">HERE</a> to view more workshops offered by Rutgers libraries.

## Spring 2025 New Brunswick Libraries Data and Research Methods Workshops for Graduate Students!

The New Brunswick Libraries' calendar of data and research methods workshops for Spring 2025 is available now. Don't miss workshops on machine learning, R, Python, systematic reviews, NVivo, ethnography, qualitative research, and more! Click <a href="HERE">HERE</a> to view the full schedule of workshops and register. Additional workshops will be added throughout the semester so be sure to check back regularly!

### **Graduate Writing Accountability Groups**

The Graduate Writing Program, in partnership with the Learning Centers in the Office of the Provost, is pleased to announce the launch of Writing Accountability Groups. Interested graduate students are invited to sign up for student-led writing accountability groups. Sessions will be held on Zoom at various times and days each week and students may choose the weekly slot that best suits their availability to meet and write alongside other Rutgers graduate students to make progress toward their writing goals. After registering, participants will be provided with materials to help them effectively structure and run these student-led productivity sessions. Click HERE to sign up for a Graduate Writing Accountability Group.

### **Academic Coaching with Dr. Wilson Ng**

Meet Dr. Wilson Ng (he/him/his), the newly appointed Senior Program Coordinator and Academic Coach for Graduate Student Services at the Rutgers Learning Centers. Dr. Ng provides one-on-one academic coaching and facilitates workshops and programming tailored to graduate students. With a background in college student affairs and years of experience in student development and support, he is eager to bring his expertise to the Rutgers community and looks forward to collaborating with students as they navigate their academic journeys in graduate school! Click HERE to make a one-on-one appointment with Dr. Ng via Penji. For any questions, email him at wwn2@echo.rutgers.edu.

# PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT, FUNDING, & EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

### - PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT -

**Call for Applications: Eagleton Graduate Fellowship Program in Politics and Government** 

### Apply HERE by 5pm on Monday, March 31!

Both full- and part-time Rutgers Graduate students are now eligible to apply for the Class of 2025-2026 Eagleton Graduate Fellowship Program. This one-year, interdisciplinary cohort certificate program offers a stipend and tuition support, as well as the opportunity for students to gain a deeper understanding of American

government, meet political leaders and staffers doing the work in public policy, and explore how American politics impacts their field of study. Click <u>HERE</u> to learn more about the fellowship and its offerings.

### - SCHOLARSHIP, & FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES -

### **Build a Fellowship Plan with GradFund!**

<u>GradFund</u> provides graduate students with information on how to apply for external scholarship, fellowship, and funding opportunities. GradFund also provides guidance and assistance with application processes.

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 <u>HERE</u> to enroll in GradFund's self-paced Canvas course.

The Office of Financial Aid can provide information about need-based funding and financial aid. Other forms of need-based aid or scholarships may be available through your school of enrollment.

### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES -

Student Admissions Assistant - Rutgers Professional Science Master's Program

Compensation: \$16-17 per hour, part time

Location: Onsite

### Apply **HERE** by 6am on May 31!

The Rutgers Professional Science Master's program is hiring a student worker to serve as a Student Admissions Assistant. The Student Admissions Assistant will provide essential administrative, event, and information management support to the Admissions department. Applicants should have a basic knowledge of Microsoft Office Suite programs and project management software and be available to work

some evenings and weekends for events. Please review the job posting for additional details.

### Student Research Assistant (RA) – Bloustein School of Planning and Public Policy

Compensation: \$15-20 per hour, 15 hours a week Position Dates: February 3, 2025 - April 30, 2025

Location: Hybrid

### Apply **HERE** by 6am on July 13 (Hiring Immediately)!

The Bloustein School of planning and Public Policy is seeking immediate hires for four RA positions in the following categories: Marketing, Informatics & AI Research, Content Creation, and Website Development. These positions are open to current graduate students. The marketing RA will be responsible for social media networking, event management, and program promotion. An interest in technology and AI is preferred. The informatics and AI RA is required to have at least one year of programming experience and a strong background in computer science or statistics. The ideal candidate for the content creation RA position should have an interest in technology and informatics domains, along with exceptional written English skills. The website development RA should have experience with Wordpress and other relevant web development skills. Please review the job posting for additional details.

## Residence Hall Director – Rutgers-New Brunswick Office of Summer & Winter Sessions

Compensation: \$20 per hour, full time summer employment

Position Dates: June 1, 2025 - August 25, 2025

Location: Onsite

### Apply HERE by 7am on August 13!

The Rutgers Office of Summer and Winter Sessions at Rutgers-New Brunswick is hiring graduate students to serve as residence hall directors during residential summer pre-college academies. The Academies are one-week (Sunday to Saturday) intensive, residential certificate programs for both domestic and international pre-college students ages 16 to 18. The primary responsibility of the Residence Hall Director is to offer leadership in managing the residential operations of Pre-College Summer Academies while ensuring a secure environment that fosters both academic advancement and personal development for resident students. Key duties include guiding a team of Resident Assistants in executing necessary activities and services to establish an inclusive community aligned with the mission and objectives of Residence Life. Please review the job posting for additional details.

### THE RESOURCE CORNER

### **Student Basic Needs: Emergency Aid Fund**

The Rutgers Emergency Aid Fund provides RU-New Brunswick students with one-time need-based financial support for unforeseen, unavoidable, and unplanned costs associated with emergencies like accidents, illnesses, fire and water damage, or the need for emergency housing or food. International and undocumented students are eligible to apply for the Emergency Aid Fund. Click **HERE** for more information and to find the application for Emergency Aid.

### Student Basic Needs: Rutgers Student Food Pantry & Mobile Food Pantry

The Rutgers Student Food Pantry and Mobile Food Pantry is dedicated to helping all Rutgers students in need of food. Students can visit the Student Food Pantry located in the College Avenue Student Center or visit one of the many Mobile Food Pantry locations and receive about one week's worth of groceries, no questions asked. Click **HERE** to view the operating hours and locations of the Rutgers Student Food Pantry and Mobile Food Pantry.

### STUDENT SERVICES & SUPPORT

### **Resource Webpage for Pregnant and Parenting Graduate Students!**

The Office of Graduate Student Life, in partnership with the Office of Title IX & Compliance, and Supporting Parents & Caregivers at Rutgers (GSO), recently launched a new resource webpage for pregnant and parenting graduate students! This webpage serves as a platform for helping pregnant and parenting students locate resources, policies, support services, and community engagement opportunities available at Rutgers University and in the local community. Click HERE to visit the webpage.

# Academic, Employment, and Student Support Resources on the Graduate Student Life Website!

Looking for graduate student resources, services, or support? Check out our newly revamped resource pages on our website! Find information on <u>Academic Support Resources</u>, <u>Career & Professional Development</u>, <u>Student Support Services & Resources</u> and more on our website!

Do you have an opportunity for graduate students that you would like to promote in the Graduate Student Life Weekly Digest? Submit it <u>HERE!</u>