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We currently have available positions for the Curriculum and Program Review Committee (CPRC) and to serve on each of our committees (Equity, Social, Community Service, and PD/Scholarship).  EdCouncil members must be currently enrolled in a UVA EHD degree or minor program in good academic standing. We prioritize a council that represents the diversity of our student body and encourage students of all backgrounds to apply. Both on grounds and online students are also welcome!  For more information on the CPRC and each committee, and to apply, [use this form](https://forms.gle/NXSFnuDuREzHfwmx9). **Applications close September 10th.**  **Let's Talk (CAPS) at Bavaro Hall beginning Sept. 8th!**  “Let’s Talk” provides an opportunity for students to speak with a CAPS therapist about non-emergency concerns in a confidential, virtual space. These consultations are for all on-grounds UVA students. No appointments are needed.  **Every Wednesday from 9:30am - 11:30am with Mark Silvestri, PhD Location: Bavaro Hall 206A** Masks are required, in accordance with UVA protocols.  **UJC Applications**  The University Judiciary Committee has now opened applications for the fall 2021 recruiting cycle! All applications are due Friday, September 10, 2021 by 11:59 pm. Applications can be found through our website at [ujc.virginia.edu](http://ujc.virginia.edu/). We are looking for diverse applicants for Support Officer roles, (Counselors, Educators, and Investigators) as well as 12 first year students to form the First Year Judiciary Committee (FYJC) which is a subcommittee of the UJC which handles cases brought against other first year students. We are holding two more optional information sessions in Newcomb Hall Room 480 on Saturday, September 4, 2021 at 6:00 pm and Monday, September 6, 2021 at 7:00 pm if you would like to learn more. | | |      |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | ***Get Connected*** | | |      |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Volunteer with VISAS** *WHAT is VISAS?* Volunteers with International Students, Scholars, and Staff (VISAS), part of the Center for American English Language and Culture (CAELC), is an organization that provides programming to English language learners at the University of Virginia and its extended community. Our services are free of charge and available to international students (undergraduate, graduate, exchange, etc.), researchers, faculty, family members of students and faculty, and University staff and employees. We are currently seeking English speakers of high-level proficiency who would like to volunteer with us.  *HOW can I get involved?* Apply to VISAS by **Monday, September 6 at 11:59PM EST.** If you are a UVa student with high-level English proficiency who would like to become a volunteer, please apply here.  Interest Meeting with VISAS Interns will be held: **Sunday, September 5th, 7-7:30PM in Clark 107**  Check out our website at <https://visasatuva.wordpress.com/> for more information! Email us at [visas@virginia.edu](http://visas@virginia.edu/) with questions!  **Sign-up to participate in a Fall 2021 Conversations About Race and Equity (C.A.R.E.) Group TODAY!**  Happy Fall Semester! We are very excited to share an opportunity to participate in a discussion group called C.A.R.E. (Conversations about Race and Equity), with other SEHD students. Broadly, the goal of C.A.R.E. is to facilitate an opportunity for undergraduate and graduate students to have meaningful conversations about diversity, social justice, and racial equality. Please complete [this survey](https://forms.gle/oSY4DaP9YiAztGwx8) on or before **Friday, September 10th** to be considered for participation in a group.  **Graduate Works-in-Progress (WIP)**  The Grad WIP is a student-run group for graduate students in education and human development to share current work-in-progress, receive peer/faculty feedback, discuss ideas/theories, and promote networking amongst graduate students across the education disciplines.  To be added to the listserv and receive information on how to sign-up/get involved, please fill out [this google form](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfBrejVQDxYEKghYQgXxZoUPzCCg3h4b4vDLHv0IP0GPNa15Q/viewform?usp=sf_link). | | |      |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | ***Hoos ODEI Corner*** | | |      |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | Greetings to all from the Office of DEI (ODEI)! We’re excited to have the semester in full swing, with the energy of all of you returning to Grounds. We’ve been working hard over the summer to roll-out some exciting programs, events, and initiatives this fall. Each week, we’ll share some of the happenings of the Office in this “EHD 'Hoos ODEI Corner,” and we hope you’ll stay connected with us through these updates!  If you haven’t checked it out yet (or you’re a new student), join us for our **DEI Collective Learning Series**! This month’s series focuses on mentoring from the staff, faculty, and student perspective, and our materials went live yesterday. Each week, you’re encouraged to do an “action,” (Read, Watch/Listen, or Write) and the final week, “Engage,” is where you can come and discuss the month’s topic. [See link](https://education.virginia.edu/about-us/diversity/dei-collective-learning-series) for more info!  Next week, we’ll host our **Fall Common Read Kick-Off**, where we will share about upcoming programming and partnerships that will explore the themes brought up by this timely book. Come by, get a free copy of Minor Feelings, and connect with members of our community! Light refreshments will be served. [See link](https://education.virginia.edu/events/connect-common-read-kick) to sign-up!  Finally, if you have questions or want to ever meet with us in-person or over Zoom, feel free to email us at [ehdodei@virginia.edu](http://ehdodei@virginia.edu/)! We’re here to support you as the semester commences. Welcome (back)! | | |      |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | ***Treat Your Shelf: Library Tips*** | | |      |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Research and Writing Cafe** **September 14th, 4-7pm**  We're back and better than ever! Due to COVID-19, we are holding our Research and Writing Cafe outside at the large tent in front of Peabody Hall. Join us for a safe, outdoors working environment among peers. We’ll provide FREE coffee and snacks to help you get your work done! Staff from the UVA Library and UVA Writing Center will also be available on-site for consultations.  This event, co-sponsored by the UVA Library and UVA Writing Center, is designed for graduate and professional students, postdocs, faculty, and staff. Registration is required and can be done [here](https://cal.lib.virginia.edu/event/8114299).  **Library-owned Textbook Guide**  Check out our newly designed online textbook guide to view eBooks that the Library owns for your courses. This guide also features videos and instructions on how to use our eBook platforms to take notes, highlight, and bookmark content. Save $$$ and don't pay for textbooks if the Library owns them. Not all courses use Library-owned textbooks, so if you don't see your textbook on this guide, we may not have it. We encourage instructors to assign Library-owned eBooks, but not all will. [Find your eBooks here!](https://guides.lib.virginia.edu/ehdtextbooks)  **Librarian Office Hours for the Fall**  Your friendly Librarian, Ashley Hosbach, holds virtual office hours just for you! What are the Librarian's office hours? They can be anything you need support for. Struggling to find sources for your paper? Ashley can help you pull together a list of articles. Having difficulty navigating the databases? Ashley can walk you through them. Need to chat about your research focus and the best places to search? Ashley can point out specific journals, databases, and catalogs to form a search strategy. Want to learn more about how the Library can support your assignments? Looking to publish? Need reading recommendations? You can [schedule an appointment here](https://cal.lib.virginia.edu/appointments/ehd-librarian)! Due to COVID, all research chat/office hours will be held via Zoom. | | |      |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | ***Resources*** | | |      |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Student Council Resources: Support & Access Services (SAS)**  ***Community Food Pantry:*** The UVA Community Food Pantry (CFP) is student-run and open to UVA undergraduate and graduate students, and staff. CFP provides essential food and hygiene items and is located in the Student Activities Center on the 1st floor of Newcomb Hall. For more information visit our website [https://pantryatuva.org](https://pantryatuva.org/) or contact Jennifer Bobowski ([jhb4sae@virginia.edu](http://jhb4sae@virginia.edu/)).  ***Accommodations Access Fund:*** The Accommodations Access Fund (AAF) is a fund for low-income students who need financial assistance for medical appointments and medications related to accessing SDAC accommodations. Our fund aims to deal with learning disabilities, mental health support, chronic illness and other areas of consultation. For more information, please contact the AAF Director Lydia Qian [studco-accomodations-access@virginia.edu](http://studco-accomodations-access@virginia.edu/). For information on SDAC accommodations visit [https://studenthealth.virginia.edu/student-disability-access-center/accommodation-services.](https://studenthealth.virginia.edu/student-disability-access-center/accommodation-services.https:/studenthealth.virginia.edu/student-disability-access-center/accommodation-services)  ***UVA Mutual Aid:*** UVA Mutual Aid works to support students and their needs in times of crisis by offering modest no-strings-attached grants to students. Students can request aid through our form <https://forms.gle/qQB6amuwDKU7cixK7> or by emailing UVA Mutual Aid Directly at [studco-uva-mutual-aid@virginia.edu](http://studco-uva-mutual-aid@virginia.edu/). If you would like to support our mission please donate through Venmo (@UVAMutualAid), PayPal and Zelle ([rh3ef@virginia.edu](http://rh3ef@virginia.edu/)), or contact us for other methods. More information can be found at our website [https://www.mutualaidatuva.org](https://www.mutualaidatuva.org/) or by contacting Rachel Hightman ([rh3ef@virginia.edu](http://rh3ef@virginia.edu/))  ***Aetna Insurance Support Fund:*** The Aetna Insurance Support Fund offers grants to cover the cost of the Aetna insurance plan and provides retroactive loan relief for students who have taken out loans to pay for the Aetna Student Health Plan. We primarily serve students who have non-transferable out-of-state medicaid and therefore are required to purchase Aetna insurance. For more information or questions contact Sarrah Abdulali ([ssa4ec@virginia.edu](http://ssa4ec@virginia.edu/)) and Emily Leventhal ([ell2yvj@virginia.edu](http://ell2yvj@virginia.edu/)).  ***Next Steps Fund:***The Next Steps Fund provides two fully subsidized therapy sessions for University of Virginia students through UVA Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS). For more information visit our website [www.studenthealth.virginia.edu/next-steps-fund](http://www.studenthealth.virginia.edu/next-steps-fund) or contact Christian Sansovich at [cms9uy@virginia.edu](http://cms9uy@virginia.edu/).  ***Student Legal Services:***Student Legal Services provides low-cost, confidential, legal assistance to UVA undergraduate and graduate students. We provide legal help on a wide variety of legal matters, including representation in the Charlottesville/Albemarle area. No fee is charged for consultations. All fees are minimal. For more information visit our website [https://sls.virginia.edu](https://sls.virginia.edu/), or call Lester Wilson III at (434) 924-7524.  ***Textbook Access Office:*** The Textbook Access Office is a program for low-income and first-generation students to request specific titles and check-out textbooks free of charge. Students will be able to borrow textbooks that should be returned at the end of the semester for other students to utilize in the next term. For more information, please contact Logan Bowers or Adrian Mamaril at [studco-sas@virginia.edu](http://studco-sas@virginia.edu/).  **Free Bodo's Brunch on Sundays**  If you're looking to connect with other graduate and professional students outside of your program, 20/30 CreW, invites you to come to Bodo's brunch Sundays at Noon on the porch and lawn of Common Grounds (480 Rugby Rd.—at the corner of Rugby Rd. and Gordon Ave., just down the block from Beta Bridge). This is a welcoming and queer-affirming social space open to people from diverse backgrounds and along a spectrum of belief (or non-belief) and practice. Come weekly or stop by occasionally solo or with a friend/partner and build community with other young adults! Follow @ukirkuva for more updates!  **Free Yoga with Certified Instructor**  If you're looking for a way to de-stress and practice self-care in community, check out free yoga classes led by an experienced, certified instructor in the courtyard of Westminster Presbyterian Church (400 Rugby Rd., next to Beta Bridge) on Thursdays at 5:30 p.m. through September 30. Bring a mat or towel (and a friend) to beginner-friendly sessions designed to improve flexibility while helping you unwind and take a break from screens, stress, and studies. Classes are nonreligious, accessible for a range of bodies, and queer-affirming. Some classes will be in the Fellowship Hall just next to the courtyard. Masks are required when the class is indoors. Check @ukirkuva on Instagram each week for updates!  **Study Space Near Grounds**  Looking for a quiet study space that has free coffee, tea, snacks, fast WiFi, and plenty of natural light? UKirk UVA is hosting open study hours at the newly renovated Common Grounds (480 Rugby Rd.—at the corner of Rugby Rd. and Gordon Ave., just down the block from Beta Bridge) from 1 to 5 p.m. on Mondays and Thursdays! There's also a friendly and hypoallergenic puppy (Sophie) available for playtime and snuggles. If you have any questions, please reach out to (Rev.) Dorothy Piatt-Esguerra ([dpiatt@westminsterva.org](http://dpiatt@westminsterva.org/)) or drop by her office in Common Grounds during study hours. Follow @ukirkuva for more updates!  **Ryan, Academic Coordinator at School of Education and Human Development**  Ryan can help undergraduate students with reviewing academic requirements for each major, classes to take before applying, transfer credits, how to prepare for applying to EHD, and discuss a student's academic path once joining EHD.  His office hours are Wednesdays 1-3:30 PM EST and Thursdays 9-11:30 AM EST. Email Ryan at [rps4mn@virginia.edu](http://rps4mn@virginia.edu/) if these times do not work for a student's schedule.  **PhD Plus Future Faculty Series**  PhD Plus AHSS Future Faculty series is to prepare for all PhD candidates and Postdoctoral scholars in advanced years of training who are interested in faculty careers within the United States. As we are building this series from last year’s content and feedback, this year’s offering consists of virtual workshops, panel discussions, and asynchronous videos for reflections. We are adding practice sessions inviting faculty members and professional experts to review your teaching, research, and diversity statements, hoping this will provide a structure and opportunities to receive feedback on your application materials. | | |      |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | ***Career Corner*** | | |      |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Explore potential career paths with the EHD Lunch Series!**  The School of Education and Human Development (EHD) is hosting three events this fall focused on different pathways within the education industry. This month, they are featuring **Careers Working with People with Special Needs** on **Friday, September 10 from 12-1pm**. This will be an in-person event in Holloway Hall (on the first floor of Bavaro Hall). Please register for the Sept. 10 event [**here**](https://forms.gle/h3YPGhFXtJzeLcyaA) and look out for two more events coming in October and November - these are open to all UVA students, even if you are not enrolled in The School of Education and Human Development. | | | | | |
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