**Important Dates**

**April 1**
- Registration required ETD review deadline - Date by which a thesis or dissertation student must submit the ETD for review to graduate at the end of the spring
- Apply to graduate deadline for spring 2022

**April 6**
- Graduate Student Research Symposium

**April 15**
- Final Error Free ETD Deadline

**April 19-25**
- Last week of classes - In order that students may complete semester projects, take lab tests, and prepare for final examinations, faculty members cannot give any test or quizzes or assign any additional papers or projects during the final week of the semester. Exceptions to this policy must be approved in advance by the department head and the dean of the college involved

**April 25**
- Last day of classes

**April 26-27**
- Reading Days

**April 28-May 4**
- Final examinations

**April 29**
- ETD Committee Approval Deadline - Date by which a graduate student who is expecting to graduate at the end of the spring semester must receive final committee approval of his/her Electronic Thesis/Dissertation (ETD)

**May 6th**
- Grades for doctoral students walking in spring commencement are due no later than noon
- Grades for all other students are due by midnight

**May 7th**
- Spring commencement exercises

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**Graduate Service Coordinators (GSC) / Director of Graduate Programs (DGP) Summer Workshops**

We are happy to again offer our annual in-person workshops for Graduate Service Coordinators (GSCs) & Directors of Graduate Programs (DGPs) this summer. We will also provide a workshop/training specifically for NEW GSCs & DGPs.

- The **GSC workshop** will take place **June 2nd** in the College of Textiles Convocation Room.
- The **DGP summer workshop** will take place **August 16th** in the College of Textiles Convocation Room.
- The **NEW GSC/DGP workshop** will take place **August 15th** in the College of Textiles Convocation Room. New DGPs should also plan on attending the larger DGP workshop.

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**FLE 402 has been discontinued**

Some graduate programs have previously required FLE 402 (Research and technical writing for international graduate students) for provisional admission when their English language scores did not meet the minimum requirement for admission. The Department of Foreign Languages has informed us that in Fall 2022 they will discontinue this course offering. As a result, Dr. Katie Homar is planning to offer a non-credit writing workshop series in the Fall. Please contact her (kshomar@ncsu.edu) if you have any questions or need more information. We can no longer accept the requirement of FLE 402 for provisional or full admission.

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**April 15th Resolution**

Students who are given an offer of admission with support are not required to respond with their intention to attend until April 15th. Based on the CGS Resolution deadline **departments cannot require a student to give an answer prior to April 15th**. A link to the Council of Graduate Schools April 15th Resolution can be viewed [here](#).
Graduate Student Research Symposium
The 15th Annual NC State University Graduate Student Research Symposium will be held in the Jane S. McKimmon Center on Wednesday, April 6, 2022. The poster session will be from 1:30pm to 4:00pm. This year, there will be approximately 200 poster presentations representing research being conducted in 68 graduate programs from all colleges. This event is co-sponsored and organized by the Graduate Student Association and the Graduate School. The primary goal of the symposium is to showcase the outstanding quality and diversity of graduate research at NC State. This is a great opportunity for all to take a look at the interesting research projects being conducted at the graduate level. Further information is available on the Symposium Web Site. Questions should be directed to Dr. David Shafer at mshafer@ncsu.edu.

Graduate Assistantships

April Bi-weekly Payroll

Deadlines for timesheets or any job data adjustments to be entered into the HR system for bi-weekly payroll during the Month of April prior to lockout:

20222R21 (3/19/2022 - 4/1/2022) on Thursday, April 7, 2022 at 5:00 PM
20222R22 (4/2/2022 - 4/15/2022) on Thursday, April 21, 2022 at 5:00 PM

If you become aware of an overpayment during lockout, please contact Richard Corley by email at rbcorley@ncsu.edu.