



GSA NEWSLETTER

A Bi-Weekly Graduate School Journal



WRITING CENTER TIP

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Write down your ideas. Do not try to get everything perfect before you start a composition. Do not spend too much time pre-writing. The composition will be much easier to edit once you start it.

Upcoming News/Events Links:

- **TEDxUMBC 2020:**
Unmasking Uncertainty
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- **UMBC FINANCIALSMARTS**
HALLOWEEN BINGO!
SUBMIT BY 10/31



UPCOMING EVENTS

tips, and tools




* underlined text indicates hyperlinks

UNMASKING UNCERTAINTY

Join **TEDxUMBC 2020: Unmasking Uncertainty**, an afternoon with 10 speakers from the UMBC Community. Registration is required to attend.

[Visit Website](#)
[Get Tickets](#)




MENTOR MAP WORKSHOP

In this workshop, we will look at the Mentor Map Tool more closely, begin to fill it out, and discuss how to go about cultivating mentors and sustaining good mentoring relationships.

[Please RSVP here](#)



COLLEAGUE CONNECT



Do you miss those casual, spontaneous interactions with colleagues on Academic Row, at Starbucks, or in the Commons? If so, join us for Colleague Connect, a twice-monthly virtual space hosted by the PSS Work Life Balance Committee

[More info here](#)

UMBC FinancialSmarts Halloween Bingo Challenge!

1. Take a screenshot of the Bingo board
2. Cross off the items you have completed
3. Repost your edited Bingo board to Instagram and tag @umbcfinancialsmarts

[More info](#)

BAGELS & Banter: Public Safety Re-imagined

Deconstructing "Defund the Police" & "8 Can't Wait"

BYOB
(Bring Your Own Bagels)

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CITING SOURCES:

Mastering the art of academic integrity
Avoid accidental plagiarism by learning how to properly cite your sources and create killer bibliographies.

[More info here](#)



ELECTION NIGHT EXTRAVAGANZA



Election Night Extravaganza is a UMBC tradition that brings members of our community together to watch and discuss election results in real time. Coming together at the end of an election has never been more important. This has been a divisive election season that has coincided with a pandemic, circumstances that can easily pull us apart. We will continue to be a community. [More info](#)