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BY THE GRADUATE STUDENT SENATE

A MESSAGE FROM THE COMMS TEAM



Hey Vols!

As we reach the end of the academic year, we wanted to thank you all for your continued support of our newsletter. Working on this has been a privilege, and we hope you have also enjoyed the content we have put together for the graduate community. Please let us know if you have any [story ideas](#) or [feedback](#) for us.

If you are graduating in 2024, we'd like to highlight you on the [GSS Instagram](#); please fill out our [form](#) to be featured! Lastly, we would like to encourage you to [vote for the 2024-25 GSS President and Vice President](#) now through 5 PM on Friday 4/26.

Have a great finals season and please enjoy your summer!

Mary Beth Mahne, Valentina Gómez, and Lygia Karagiozis

VOTE IN THE GSS ELECTIONS!



[Vote in the GSS Election!](#)

It's that time of the year again! In addition to voting for next year's GSS President and Vice President, you will also have the opportunity to approve changes to the GSS Constitution. Voting is open now through 5 PM ET on Friday, April 26.

[Vote Now!](#)

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT RESOURCES AND OPPORTUNITIES

[Open Graduate Assistantships](#)

The [Graduate School](#) shares many graduate assistantship openings currently available on campus

[Resume and Cover Letter Resources](#)

The Center for Career Development & Academic Exploration offers multiple online guides, walk-ins, and in-person appointments with career coaches.

[Smokey's Closet](#)

Stop by to be outfitted for free, gently used professional and business casual clothing for your next job interview or event.

[Professional Photo Booth](#)

A professional headshot is a must. The photo booth is free, simple to use, and you'll probably spend less than 15 minutes from start to finish.

TRAVEL AWARDS: LAST DEADLINE!



GSS Travel Awards

The GSS Travel Awards support graduate and professional students presenting research on behalf of UT at in-person or virtual professional conferences. Requests for travel between May 1 and August 31 must be submitted by the extended final deadline of the academic year, Friday April 26. [Apply now!](#)

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

Lavender Graduation Celebration

- April 24, 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM
- Student Union Ballroom

Dogwood Arts Festival

- April 26-28
- World's Fair Park

International Graduation Celebration

- May 2, 5:30 PM
- International House Great Room

GSS Grad Night Out

☐ May 2, 8:30 PM - 10 PM

☐Tern Club

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