Travel Grant

We're going INTERNATIONAL for Research!!!

This year AERA's Annual Meeting will be in Toronto, CA, Friday -Tuesday, April 5th -9th, 2019. Since this is a premier conference for us at the intersection of education and research, the Instructional Technology Student Association (ITSA) and the College of Education's Graduate Student Council (COE-GSC) are both applying for a travel grant to enable a group of USF students to attend.

Our interest form will CLOSE Wednesday, October 17th at 5 PM EST AND will NOT open back up. You MUST RSVP using the Google Form, simply RSVPing in BullSync does NOT RSVP you.

SIGN UP here---> https://goo.gl/forms/XvjFPi71lDrtXcgS2

Questions: Please email Jennifer Barreto (jmbarre3@mail.usf.edu) OR Dionne Davis (dldavis10@mail.usf.edu).

Writing Studio

We had to ask:

Have you been working on your Course Assignments, Literature Reviews, and just General Writing Goals to no or little avail?
Are you wondering where to go for HELP?
Do you feel like all you do is write, but it’s never right?

We ask because we've been feeling like this too! So, if you said, "Yes. Yes! YES!" to the questions above you should join Will Forde-Mazrui and members of the College of Education's Graduate Student Council, next Tuesday, October 16th in EDU 408 (the Graduate Student Lounge).

We'll have coffee and conversations about some of the tips and techniques. We encourage you to bring 2 friends, as we know this info is invaluable!!!

**Location:** COE Graduate Student Lounge EDU 408 | **Date & Time:** Tuesday, October 16th, 4:30 – 5:30pm
SOQM Lecture – Photovoice: A Visual-based Community Inquiry

Andrea Lypka will deliver a presentation on photovoice, a visual-based community inquiry grounded in feminist theory, documentary photography, and critical pedagogy. Photovoice entails research participants taking photographs in response to community-identified concerns or themes and questions posed by the researcher. This presentation will illustrate the value of photovoice for unveiling aspects of identity, agency, and experience that might otherwise be difficult to approach with participants. Click here for more information.

Location: MSC 3712 | Date & Time: Monday, October 15th, 5:00pm – 6:30pm

Food and Fun

The Fresh Market will be available every first and third Thursday of the month from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. on the MSC Lawn. Stop by for fresh produce, a hot lunch, and the chance to get out of the office!

For the latest news about the Fresh Market, or to check out the up-to-date vendor list, follow our Facebook page or check out our website.

Location: MSC Lawn | Date & Time: This Thursday, October 18th, 10:00am – 2:00pm

Scholarship Opportunity

Richardson Scholarships

Application deadline: November 1, 2018

The Richardson scholarship applications have opened for the 19-20 academic year! All Richardson scholarships are awarded to students in the Exceptional Student Education program!

Click here for more information and to download each application.

Please submit your application to Jordan Gravlee in EDU 106 or via email at jgravlee@usf.edu. Don’t hesitate to reach out if you have any questions!
**STEM Communications Summit**

Hosted by USF, this event will feature a keynote address from Alan Leshner, CEO Emeritus of AAAS, and a 90-minute plenary session from the Alan Alda Center for Communicating Science. You will also have the opportunity to hear from experts from the DOE, NIH, NSF and the Sloan Foundation as well as experts from State University System of Florida on the importance of communicating research to local and global audiences.

Please, RSVP at [https://usf.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3JyfP5ZUjL22aTX](https://usf.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3JyfP5ZUjL22aTX)

**Location:** MSC Ballroom | **Date & Time:** Friday, November 2nd, 10:00am – 4:30pm

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**The Qualitative Report 10th Annual Conference**

“Teaching and Learning Qualitative Research”

We want you to help create a three-day learning community in South Florida by sharing your didactic stories: How do you teach qualitative research? What exercises work well in helping students master these skills? What learning technologies do you use? How should qualitative research degrees, certificate, curricula, and courses be organized to maximize effective learning? What innovations did you create to help you complete your first qualitative project? We want to hear these reflexive tales in your proposed papers, panels, and workshops so we all can learn lessons learned of qualitative research.

[Registration Now Open](#)

[Hotel Information](#)

[Official Conference Website](#)

**Location:** Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, FL | **Date & Time:** January 16th – 18th, 2019