

# GRAD STUDENT BUCKET LIST

As a graduate student, you come to UGA ready to EXCEL in your area of study by dedicating your time and energy toward earning a graduate degree. We encourage you to tap into the resources available at UGA to support you as you continue your educational journey as a member of the Bulldog Nation!

## Belonging & Community

Connect with the Graduate Peer Support Network.

Participate in North of the Arch event in August.

Participate in Dawg Day of Service.

Join a student club or organization.

Take a selfie with Hairy Dawg!

Come to the Bulldog Friday Kickoff!

## Academics

Cultivate a strong relationship with your faculty advisors for guidance and mentorship throughout your graduate journey.

Participate in a Beyond the Blank Page writing workshop to help you conquer writer's block and writing anxiety.

Consult with The Writing Center on your next writing project.

Attend a conference in your field to stay updated on the latest research and network with other scholars.

Aim to publish a research paper in a reputable journal or present your work at a conference.

Present your research at department seminars to receive feedback and showcase your work to faculty and peers.

## Career

Attend the Graduate Student Career Conference.

Participate in a Career Center workshop.

Connect with a mentor through the UGA Mentor Program.

Take a free professional headshot at the Career Center's Professional Photo Booth.

Become a member of professional associations related to your field to stay informed about industry trends and connect with professionals.

Develop a portfolio that highlights your academic and professional achievements, including samples of your work.

## Well-being

Visit [well-being.uga.edu](https://well-being.uga.edu) to explore UGA's virtual and in-person well-being resources.

Participate in a Peer Support Workshop offered by the Graduate School.

Attend a Graduate Student Group Wellness Coaching event hosted by the University Health Center.

Take a Graduate Student Cooking Class in the Nutrition Kitchen.

Participate in a Financial Wellness workshop.

Take a walk around Lake Herrick.