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Dates and Deadlines

May 2018

Dates and Deadlines  
Spring

FAFSA submissions now accepted for 2018-2019 academic year!  
Fill out and File your FAFSA

Spring 16 Week and Spring 7 Week 2

May 2:  
LAST DAY OF CLASSES.  
No registration changes can be made after this day.

May 4-10:  
FINAL EXAMS

Last day to file a complete withdrawal.

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The University of Arizona South
Last day to file a complete withdrawal.
Last day to file a $25 Late Drop Fee Appeal form

**May 3:**
Reading day - no classes or finals

**May 10:**
UA South Commencement

**May 11:**
Main Campus Commencement

For More Information please visit Dates and Deadlines

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**Student Services Office Hours**

**Spring Hours**

**Monday - Friday**
Douglas: 8am - 5 pm
Tech Park: 8am - 5pm
Sierra Vista: 8am - 5pm
Santa Cruz: 8am - 5pm
Pima East: 8am - 5pm
Yuma: 8am - 4pm

**Monday - Thursday**
Pinal: 8am - 6pm

If you have any questions or concerns about these hours, please contact us at

(520) 458-8278 ext. 2120

OR
sasteam@email.arizona.edu

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**Attention Wildcats!**

**Take a Break**

Helpful Hint
Take a break from studying! No, really, you've earned it! Take a ten-minute break every hour or so, and take a day off every week if you can.
Congratulations to all of our Fall 2017, Spring and Summer 2018 Graduates!

We are proud of you and would like to invite you to Commencement on May 10th.

Please RSVP here if you haven't already.

So, and try to take a day or two off per week if you can. It'll help you stay energized and at peak mental condition. You'll even retain the information better.

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**Happiness Hours**

Come join us in a series of art therapy sessions, UA Main tours, interviews, and community spirit.

**Fridays from 4:30 - 5:30**

Adobe Connect

Please tune in here.

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**University of Arizona Libraries Survey**

The University of Arizona Libraries are looking for your input to make our services more user-friendly. We have created an anonymous short survey that should take no more than 5 minutes to complete.

Fill out any or all of the 13 questions to help us serve you better.

You can find the survey here.

Thank you for your help!

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**HACU Blog**

The University of Arizona South selected four outstanding student representatives to attend the annual HACU National Capitol Forum in Washington, D.C. this past week: Josue Becerra, Adam Grant, Angela Lucero, and Douglas Santiago. These students are highly passionate and motivated by higher education. They take initiative to support and advocate for others, are actively involved in their school and community, and have a general knowledge of the U.S. government system.

While at the Forum, each student wrote blog posts describing their experience. Share their journey and read their posts here!

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**Education and Civic Engagement Study**

Help us learn about your educational experiences and how you view society and civic engagement today.

**What:**
Online surveys, about 20 minutes each.
Some participants may also be invited to take part in a focus group.

**When:**
Spring 2018
Fall 2018
Spring 2019

You can enter a drawing for Beats headphones or a $25 Amazon gift card for each survey.
Participation in the research study is not required.
Only one entry per person per survey.
Participation is void where prohibited by law.

Interested? Sign up here.
Questions? Email us here.

An Institutional Review Board responsible for human subjects research at the University of Arizona reviewed this research project and found it to be acceptable, according to applicable state and federal regulations and University policies designed to protect the rights and welfare of participants in research.

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UA South Student Resources
**Spring 2018 Semester on a Page**
To see a calendar of all the important dates and deadlines for the Spring 2018 semester, please go here.

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**Laptop Loaner Program**

Please return all laptops by Wednesday, May 9th.

We will also be loaning out laptops for the summer on a first-come, first-served basis.

Please fill out the application here.

Please contact Student Services at (520) 458-8278 ext. 2120
sasteam@email.arizona.edu

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**Need help with your writing?**

The Writing Skills Improvement Program can help!

**Free services include:**
- Individual and Small-Group Tutoring by appointment in person or via Skype
- Walk-in Tutoring, no appointment necessary
- Graduate Writing Institute: A three-week intensive summer writing program for graduate students
- Additional Writing Institutes

**Fee-based services include:**
- Job-Market Preparation
- Custom workshops and presentations
- Faculty, Staff, Community tutoring and writing centers

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**GRE ONLINE PREP COURSES**

**COMPREHENSIVE CURRICULUM**

Our 28 hours of instruction (8 sessions) provide an in-depth analysis of the Verbal, Quantitative, and Analytical Writing sections of the Graduate Record Examination. All course materials and two computer-based practice tests are included.

**OUR COURSE IS COMPETITIVELY PRICED**

At just $550, our courses are competitively priced.

**PERSONALIZED INSTRUCTION**

Take advantage of instructors’ office hours in person or online to receive individual guidance any time it’s needed.

**CONVENIENT ONLINE DELIVERY**

Instruction is delivered synchronously online. Access it from anywhere with a laptop and Internet access.

All classes meet 5:30-9:00 p.m.

**Register Today**
prep.arizona.edu
520-626-0530
prep@email.arizona.edu

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**Do you have an event or project, but not the technology or resources?**

The Media Technology Office (MeTeko) promotes and supports the effective integration of technology for enhancing teaching, learning, and communication at the University of Arizona South.
Regular Workshop Series
Monday Workshops
(2:00pm - 2:50pm, Geronimo 216)
**Apr. 9th:** Improving Grammar and Style (In case you missed it the first time!)

Wednesday Workshops
(10:00am - 10:50am, Geronimo 216)
**Apr. 4th:** Whittling down Wordiness*
*This workshop is also available online in 20-minute segments for $4 per segment.

For more information on our services and walk-in hours, please contact us:
(520) 621-5849
wsip.arizona.edu
writingskills@email.arizona.edu

Continuing Education

**Continuing Ed Classes**
- Windows 10 Certification: 7-11 May
- Windows Server: 7-11 May
- CEH: Ethical Hacking: 25-29 June
- ITIL Foundations: 16-18 July
- Technical Writing: 6-10 August
- Computer Forensics: 26-30 November
- Agile SCRUM, ICS SCADA, Cloud Security, Security+, Cisco, Windows Server, Forensics, Advanced Hacking, CEH, Programming classes, and many other topics: By Request for Groups of Six or More (you set the schedule!)

For more information or to sign up please contact Dr. John DeLalla at jd@arizona.edu or 520 732-2447
Graduate Opportunities

Represent UA South on the Graduate and Professional Student Council

In order for GPSC to better serve the graduate student community, it is important that we have representation from the different groups/colleges across all our campuses.

In order to be an appointed GPSC representative, each candidate must submit the petition, along with 10 signatures from members of their constituency. That includes any graduate or professional student from UA South.

For more information contact Dustin Tran at dustintr@catworks.arizona.edu or visit the GPSC website.

Graduate Funding Opportunities

The UA Graduate College currently has the following funding opportunities available, click here for more information: [http://grad.arizona.edu/funding/opportunities](http://grad.arizona.edu/funding/opportunities)

Employment Opportunities

U.S. Customs and Border Patrol

Positions available nationwide
[www.cbp.gov](http://www.cbp.gov) or [www.usajobs.gov](http://www.usajobs.gov)

Your application packet must include a completed assessment questionnaire, a resume, and any applicable and/or required supporting documentation. All application materials, including transcripts, must be in English.

University of Arizona South - Associated Students of University of Arizona South

ASUAS is looking for a passionate and dedicated student leaders to be voices at UA South. Current openings for ALL POSITIONS for the 2018-2019 academic year.

Learn more at ASUAS

For more information, contact:
Michelle Menninger at mmuas@email.arizona.edu
Rebecca Pickett at rpickett@email.arizona.edu

General Dynamic Information Technology

Has an immediate opening for Data Analyst/Junior Database Administrator.

Starting salary in the $62,000/yr range with full benefits. A sign-on bonus is available depending on the candidate’s qualifications.

The work is classified as located on Fort Huachuca, supporting a military customer.

Requirements include

Community and School Health Specialist

Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program-Education (SNAP-Ed) Community and School Health Instructional Specialist position will assist in the overall teaching of Youth and Adults in Cochise County SNAP-Ed nutrition classes to all approved sites in the assigned districts in Cochise County during the 2018-19 school year.
A Bachelor’s Degree in CIS, MIS, or any IT related field.
Must be able to obtain TOP SECRET Clearance
Must pass a mandatory drug test
Must hold a DoD 8570.01-M IAT-II level certification or higher
Must be able to pass the Oracle SQL Fundamentals exam
Must be proficient with standard Microsoft Office products

NO work experience necessary
with solid transcripts showing data analytics and/or database administration/programming and an eager to learn/work personality

GDIT will process the candidate for a clearance (at no cost to them).

Provide nutrition education, including food demonstrations, in site/community events.
Responsible for coordinating and participating in Community and School Health Policy, System, and Environment (PSE) efforts, including planning, implementing, and evaluating PSE activities.

This position will report to the Cochise County SNAP-Ed Program Coordinator, Senior assigned to their area, as well as the SNAP-Ed Agent in charge of programming.

Apply here.

Internship and Engagement Opportunities

UAS English Internships
Sierra Vista

Locations: Sierra Vista Herald, Superior Court, private law practice.

For more information please contact Kyle DiRoberto

Eligibility:
Be in good academic standing with the UA South
Have maintained at least a 2.00 grade point average (major and cumulative) at the UA South prior to enrolling for an internship.

Have sophomore status with satisfactory completion (a B or better) of English 101 and 102.
If a continuing student, have completed at least two full-time semesters (minimum of 24 University Credits). Transfer students should have completed at least one full-time semester (minimum of 12 University Credits).
Be currently enrolled at UA South

Congressional Internships
If you are interested in completing a congressional internship anywhere in Arizona, these links are your resource. You can find information about the internships and find out how to apply.

All Congressional Internship Contact Information

CHCI Internship

UA Federal Relations DC Intern Scholarship

Victory Institute Congressional Internship Fact Sheet

Upcoming Events

Gravitational Waves and Things that Go Boom in the Night
Huachuca Astronomy Club

Friday, May 18

Pizza with a Professional
Focus: Education
Presenter Dr. David Sand received his undergraduate degree in Physics from UCLA and his PhD in Physics from Caltech. He is now an Assistant Professor in Astronomy at the University of Arizona, and an observational astrophysicist with many interests. He is particularly interested in time domain astronomy (how astronomical objects change in time), especially in the progenitors of supernova. In his free time, he enjoys the outdoors with his daughter Delilah and wife Debbie.

In his presentation, Dr. Sand talks about the 'time domain' revolution in astronomy, and how we are finding new ways to study stars that merge, burp and explode by looking at their imprints on space-time via gravitational waves. He will highlight recent results on the gravitational wave detection of the merger of two neutron stars and look to the future of this field. Dr. Sand's interest in things that go bump in the night led to his team's search for electromagnetic counterparts to gravitational waves.

HAC meetings are free and open to the public.

**2nd Annual Golfing Fore UA South Military Scholarships**

**Support Active Duty and Military UA South Students**

Sign up for a Four Player Scramble

**Saturday, May 5th**

at Pueblo Del Sol Golf Course

Shotgun start at 8:00 am

**Registration begins at 7:00 am**

Raffles and Mulligans available

Prizes for Hole-in-One, Longest Drive, and Closest to the Pin

Guests (non-golfers) can purchase lunch tickets for $15

**$65 per player**

Includes golf cart and lunch provided by Ricardo’s Mexican Restaurant

Register online [here](#) or send Team Names and check (payable to University South Foundation) to:

University South Foundation
What Happened? Understanding Trauma and Building Resilience
A Professional Development Workshop

May 30-31

We know from research that trauma impacts a child's ability to learn and develop. Attend this two day event to explore and discuss how you and your team can become trauma sensitive and address the complexities of childhood trauma in your school.

Breakout sessions will focus on three areas:
- The Science of Trauma and Resilience
- Understanding Behaviors and Building Support
- Self-Care

Early Bird Cost: $99
Cost includes keynote speakers, breakout sessions, continental breakfast, lunch, resource fair, networking, resources, 12 hours of PD credit, parking, and more!

Register here.

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2018 Tucson STEM Academy
A Collaboration of Arizona Project WET & Tucson Water

5th - 12th Grade Teachers in Tucson Area
June 4-8, 2018 7:30 AM - 4:00 PM
May 4, 2019 8:30 - 2:30
University of Arizona

How do history, science, and math relate to our water system? Why should we care about Tucson's water future? How can I get my students to think about the hard questions? What part do we play in ensuring a reliable water future? How do we create a community of responsible water citizens?

During the workshop you will...
Collaborate with others to build a STEM unit. Build Systems Thinking skills to coach your students to become better thinkers.

Learn by:
Touring sites to follow our urban water cycle. Working with water professionals, master teachers and AZ Project WET specialists to develop a plan for next year. Exploring hands-on lessons.

Build a curriculum so your students will...
Use Systems Thinking skills to solve real-world problems. Take charge of their own school water audit. Collect credible data using a scientific process. Apply math skills to quantify water savings. Communicate results and recommendations. Translate knowledge into community action.

Benefits
$300 stipend for academy
$300 for implementing STEM unit, water audit & attending 5/4/19 workshop
Water Educators for in-classroom facilitation. Classroom kits available for checkout.
2018 Economics Summer Teacher Institute

An intensive two-week program for middle and high school teachers that covers the fundamental principles of economics. A week each is devoted to macroeconomics and microeconomics. The institute is instructed by Advanced Placement economics teachers who know your classroom environment as deeply as they know the content. They are equally passionate about their subject and helping their colleagues. Instruction is incremental, comfortable for both beginners and for those already familiar with the basics. Lodging stipends are available to teachers who live outside Pima County. There is no program fee and no academic credit, but participants receive a certificate for 35 PD hours per week.

Microeconomics
June 4-8

Macroeconomics
June 11-15

For more information, go here
To register, go here

June 11-13, 2018 from 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. in Flagstaff

A three-day, highly interactive workshop will focus on gaining subject matter expertise, exploration of available resources, and development of instructional units for students to more deeply understand the components, connections and trends in a changing Southwest environment. The facilitators are dedicated to honoring and using the participating teachers’ knowledge and expertise to work together to develop a deeper understanding of complex systems, and apply systems thinking to the Southwestern regional issues of extreme weather, fire, drought, flooding, and ecosystem dynamics. Educators will have significant time to develop strategies for their students to help them create connections between the pieces of the Southwestern "Earth Puzzle".

The workshop includes field trips to the NOAA National Weather Service in Bellemont, AZ to launch a weather balloon, the Arboretum of Flagstaff where to engage in a variety of authentic citizen science projects, and the US Geological Survey to join in remote sensing activities and increase the ability to use authentic scientific data with students. Cost is $25.00 and includes light breakfast foods, snacks, and a full lunch provided daily.

Register here.

IEP Facilitation

Do you participate in IEP meetings? Are they sometimes contentious? Are IEP team members confused about their roles? Do IEP meetings seem disorganized and unproductive? If so, the Arizona Department of Education/Dispute Resolution Unit has a training for you...

IEP facilitation is a student-focused process in which a trained facilitator assists the IEP team in developing an IEP that provides a free appropriate public education.
The Dispute Resolution Unit believes there are three components needed to facilitate a successful IEP meeting: standardized meeting practices, knowledge of the IEP process, and the use of meeting management skills that aid in minimizing conflict and maximizing collaboration. This training will cover all three areas and more!

Where: Cochise College Downtown Center Lecture Hall
Time: 8:30 am - 3:30 pm
When: April 27
Cost: Free

RSVP
Cindy Morales (520) 432-8950

Reading Globally: Critical Issues in Global Literature for Children and Adolescents, June 25-27, 2018

We live in a world where our lives are interconnected in complex ways across global cultures as well as fractured with tensions that divide us. Global children’s literature provides one means of facilitating intercultural understanding, but issues of availability, access, authenticity, and classroom use must be addressed for this potential to be realized. In this institute, participants will explore current trends in global literature for children and adolescents, examine critical issues and approaches to analyzing these books, and experience strategies for critically engaging with global literature. Participants will use the Worlds of Words collection (http://wowlit.org) to be immersed in a wealth of global literature as well as to delve deeply into key books to develop critical understandings and to consider how to invite students into a critical reading of the word. An additional component will be interactions that pair classic, well known texts often used in elementary and secondary classrooms with global children's and adolescent literature to expand the curriculum and include global perspectives.

Look Forward to Two Upcoming UA South Teacher Education Capstone Events

M.Ed. in Secondary Education Action Research Projects
Friday, May 4, 1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.
Sierra Vista campus, C Building

Scholarships

The Arizona Community Foundation invites high school seniors and current college students throughout Arizona to apply for more than 100 scholarship awards. With the Arizona Community Foundation Scholarships, students can receive financial support for their college education. Scholarships are awarded based on criteria such as academic achievement, financial need, and community involvement. Students are encouraged to apply early as scholarships are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Visit the Arizona Community Foundation website for more information on eligibility requirements and application procedures.
Of just one online application, students are automatically matched with all of the awards for which they qualify. Last year, nearly $1.7 million was awarded to thousands of Arizona students.

The general application for the 2018-19 academic year is now live.

To learn more and begin the general application online, visit www.azfoundation.org/scholarships. And please share this news with all of the college-going students you know!

Scholarship Universe is a University of Arizona resource devoted to matching students with as many scholarships as possible that they qualify for. Students answer a variety of questions and are matched to hundreds of scholarships that they can apply for.

Apply today at Scholarship Universe to find the best scholarship for you!

Community Resources

**Discount Passes Available**

**Discount Passes Available - Passes Available for Purchase on-Board the Bus Only**

UA south students can now purchase the new 20 rides for $20 pass! This pass will get you to Cochise College campuses in Douglas and Sierra Vista and save you money at the same time.

The Cochise Connection links the cities of Bisbee, Douglas and Sierra Vista with Monday-Saturday bus service. The system includes six stop locations with service three times on weekdays and twice on Saturday.

For a complete schedule for each stop, visit the schedule page or download the service brochure.

**Mental Health Support Group**

Peer led group now forming in Sierra Vista

Feeling depressed, anxious? Not yourself? Need Mental Health Support?

Welcome to those who cope with mental health challenges

Be HEARD
Be SUPPORTED
Be ENCOURAGED
Be VALIDATED

We are people just like you wanting to gather together and share our experiences, hopes, and ideas on how to gain strength during difficult times in our journey to heal.

*Original and Organic*

For more information, please email us here.

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Subscribe to UA South's text message service for reminders, announcements and more!

To receive messages via text, text @wlcmee to 81010. You can opt-out of messages at anytime by replying, 'unsubscribe @wlcmee'.

Trouble using 81010? Try texting @wlcmee to (520) 399-6373 instead.