EECS Grad Student Tips

Teacher Assistanceship
Michèle G. Roy (mgroy@uottawa.ca) at STE 5090 sends out TA postings. This is the general process:

1. Decide the courses from the posting that you wish to TA
2. Fill out a TA application form outside Michèle's office. Please save paper by filling out one application for all the courses you wish to TA
3. Wait for the results. Michèle is uninvolved in the selection process, so don't pester her for updates.
4. If you are successful, respond to the UOHMS offer email, otherwise you lose the position
5. Visit Michèle in person if you have questions

Against Unfair Academic Treatment
- Contact the Graduate Office at B111
- CUPE2626 and the Student Appeals Centre may be of assistance
- Volunteer opportunity: the CUPE Stewart seat for ELG is current vacant! Contact csa@cupe2626.ca to apply
  sfuo.ca/services/appeals
  www.cupe2626.ca

ECCS Computing Facilities
- Get software for free!
- Make your own ECCS website!
www.eecs.uottawa.ca/computing-facilities

CO-OP for Master Students
- You need to have started your studies in Sep.
- You need to register for CO-OP very early in your studies
  www.coop.uottawa.ca

French Courses
- The grade from FLS courses do not affect your graduate program requirements
- Visit the Colonel By Hall grad office for details

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Funding Resources, Skill Development Workshops, and Internship Opportunities

Ontario Centre of Excellence (OCE)
- Commercialization of research
- Salary support for new grads (First Job)
  www.oce-ontario.org

Ontario Network of Excellence (ONE)
- Local network is *Invest Ottawa*
- Business, Entrepreneurship, and networking workshops
  www.oneinnovation.ca

MITACS
- Skill development workshops
- Grad Internships (Accelerate)
- Industrial post-doc (Elevate)
  www.mitacs.ca

Volunteering Opportunities

Let's Talk Science
- Run scientific & engineering workshops at local elementary or high schools, or at remote locations in Canada (expenses paid)
  www.letstalkscience.ca/ottawa.html

Engineering Without Borders
- Make a difference for rural African areas!
  www.uottawa.ewb.ca

Engineering Entrepreneurship Club
- New club at uOttawa! Help needed!
  Facebook group:
  EngineeringEntrepreneurshipClub

The International Society for Optics and Photonics (SPIE) uOttawa chapter
- Technical workshops
- Socials
- SPIE conference travel grants
  spie.site.uottawa.ca

Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) uOttawa chapter
- Technical workshops
- Career networking events
  www.ieeeuottawa.ca

Computer Science Graduate Student Association (CSGSA)
- Represents CS students
- Socials
www.site.uottawa.ca/dept/igadi

The Graduate Students' Association of the University of Ottawa (GSAÉD)
- Conference Travel Grant (Academic Project Fund)
- Represents all graduate students
- Monthly socials
  www.gsaed.ca

Canadian Union of Public Employees (CUPE)
- Protect the rights of research assistants and teacher assisstants
  www.cupe2626.ca

Community Life Service
- Campus-wide social events
  - e.g. movie nights
  www.communitylife.uottawa.ca

Teaching and Learning Support Service
- Centre for University Teaching
- Workshops for instructors and teacher assistants
  sfuo.ca/services/advocate

Student Academic Success Service
- Access Service (Disability Resources)
- Academic Writing Help Centre
- Career Services
  www.sass.uottawa.ca

International House
- Promotes cultural diversity on campus
- International Gala
  www.sfuo.ca/services/ihouse

Centre for Equity and Human Rights
- Promotion and protection of human rights on campus
  sfuo.ca/services/advocate

Pride Centre
- Fosters a community of tolerance, respect, and acceptance for people, regardless of sexual orientations and gender experssions
  www.sfuo.ca/services/pride

Electrical Engineering Graduate Students' Association (EEGSA)

Regular socials

Workshops

EEGSA represents ELG graduate students on the Graduate Students' Association of the University of Ottawa (GSAED)

We encourage to get involved and volulnteering at any of the organizations in this flyer!