

# Graduate and Professional Studies at Texas A&M University

Graduate Advisor Workshop

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What's New In Graduate and Professional Studies?

#### Academic Requirements Completion System (ARCS)





#### **Final Exam Request**

#### **Exam Details**

Dissertation The Answer to the Meaning of Life, the Universe, and Everything is 42 Title:

Exam Date: 5/26/2022

Exam Time: 09:30 AM
Location: The Galaxy

Change Exam Approve Request Cancel Exam

#### Workflow Status

Role	≡   Name	≡   Status	≡   Date	=
SUBMITTER	Student, Adriar	n Submitted	4/29/2022	
PRECOMMITTE	E	Review	4/29/2022	
CHAIR		Pending	4/29/2022	
DEPARTMENT		Pending	4/29/2022	
GRAD_SCHOO	L	Pending	4/29/2022	

#### Curriculum

#### Doctor of Philosophy

Level Graduate Program PHD [EN]

Admitted Fall 2018 - College Station

IG - Int'l Graduate

Catalog Fall 2018 - College Station

College Engineering
Campus College Station
Major Mechanical Engineering

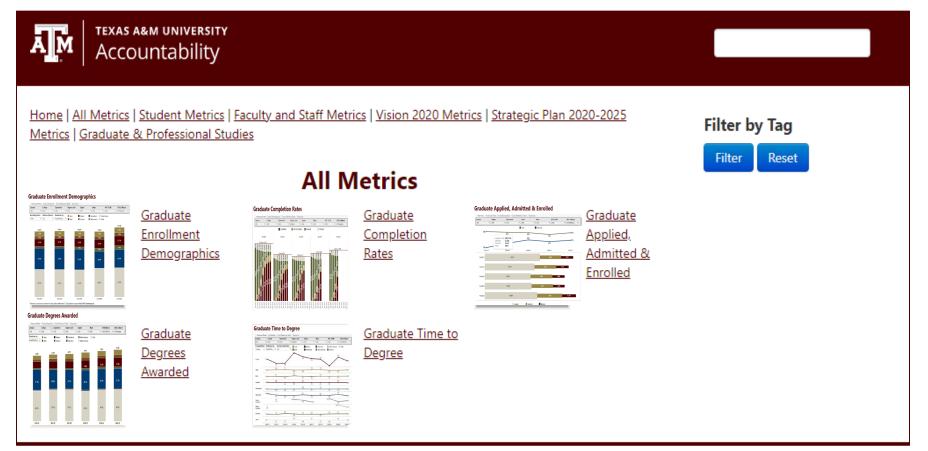
Major Dept Mechanical Engineering

### Graduate & Professional Students Dashboard



#### Data on:

- Demographics
- Degrees Awarded
- Applied, Admitted and Enrolled
- Retention and Graduation Rates
- Time to Degree

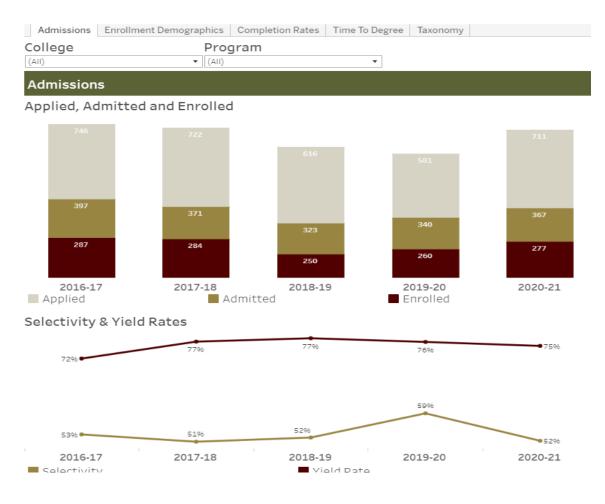


Accountability.tamu.edu/Graduate-and-Professional-Studies

## Additional Data Collection and Sharing



#### **Doctoral Student Statistics**<sup>1</sup>

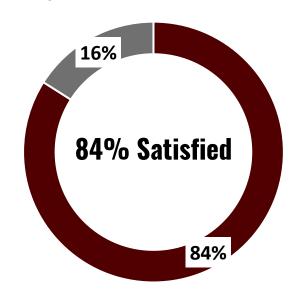


### 2020 gradSERU COVID-19 Pandemic Response

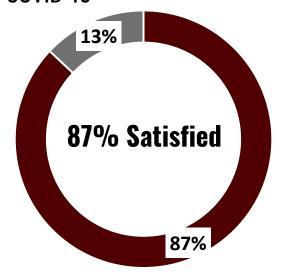


"To what extent are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the following aspects of how Texas A&M University responded to the COVID-19 pandemic during the current academic year?

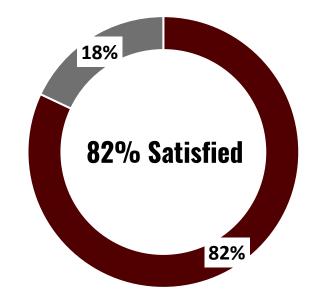
Organization of instruction during this academic year



Communication from Texas A&M University about its responses to COVID-19



Efforts to protect health of students



### **GREAT Program**



# Graduate Recruitment, Enhancement, And Travel (GREAT) Program

The GREAT Program provides supplemental funding for Texas A&M doctoral students with multi-year national fellowships and federal training grant fellowships to create financial packages competitive with the nation's top universities.



#6 in the nation
for the number of doctoral degrees earned

#5 in Life Sciences #11 in Education

#4 in Engineering #12 in Physical & Earth Sciences

-NSF Survey of Earned Doctorates, 2020

Supplements combined with fellowship funding would provide, for up to five years, total packages consisting of:

\$3,000 monthly stipend

Full tuition and required university and college fees

Student health insurance

| Annual \$1,500 scholarship | for professional development

I Participation in research leadership and mentoring development programs

> Find a list of eligible fellowships and more details about the GREAT program at grad.tamu.edu/GREAT

#### **Provides supplemental funding to eligible:**

- nationally competitive external fellowships awarded to students,
- federal training grant fellowships awarded to faculty or departments, and
- federal research grant supplements awarded to faculty to promote diversity.



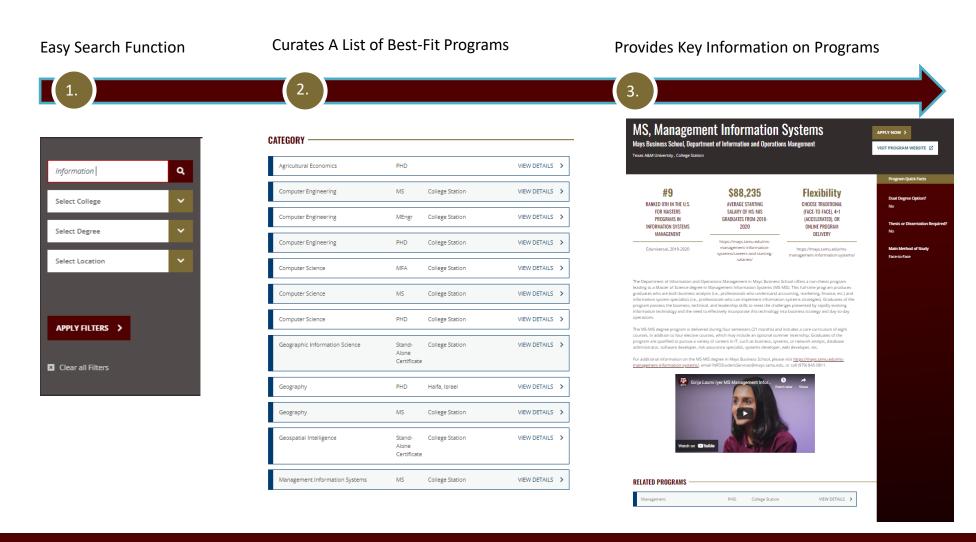
# Strategic Marketing and Brand Awareness





# Website - Program Inventory





### Graduate Mentoring Academy





# Graduate Mentoring Academy

Graduate and Professional School

**Target Audiences:** Graduate and Professional Students, Faculty and Staff

**Format:** Face-to-Face or Virtual

#### **Seven Evidenced Based Competencies:**

- Maintaining Effective Communication
- Aligning Expectations
- Fostering Independence
- Promoting Professional Development
- Addressing Equity and Inclusion
- Articulating Your Mentoring Philosophy and Plan

Complete all seven competencies and become a **GRADUATE MENTORING ACADEMY FELLOW!** 

Help us build a culture of mentoring across campus!

http://tx.ag/TAMUGMAregister gradmentoring@tamu.edu

### Doctoral Student Profile and Feedback System





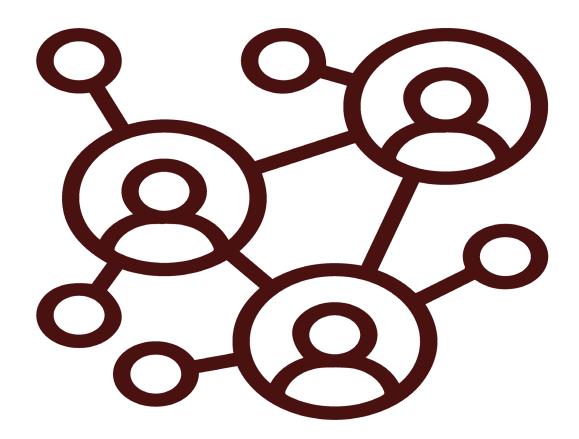
### **Empowering Users with Data**

- **-Students:** Build their profile in one, easy-to-manage platform for a variety of applications, including CV generation.
- **-Faculty:** Access to a comprehensive profile of students to enable better feedback and efficient review
- -Administrators: Customize data collection to identify strengths and areas for program improvement

#### Graduate Directors Network



#### **Developing Network of Graduate Directors**



### Supporting Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

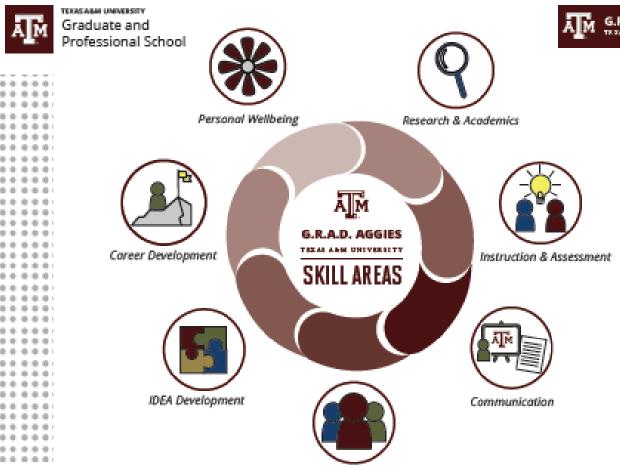


- Pathways-to-the-Doctorate Collaboration Grants
- Pathways-to-the-Doctorate Fellowships
- For the full RFP and additional information, visit:
- <a href="http://tx.ag/PathwaysGrant">http://tx.ag/PathwaysGrant</a>



# G.R.A.D. Aggies







#### **G.R.A.D.** Aggies is a collaborative effort of:

- **√** Career Center
- √ Center for Teaching Excellence
- **V** <u>International Student Services</u>
- **V** Money Education Center
- √ Office of Graduate and Professional Studies
- **√** Counseling and Psychological Services
- **V** <u>University Libraries</u>
- **V** <u>University Writing Center</u>
- √ GPSG Graduate and Professional Student Government

### Student Success & Wellness





### Aggie Voice Blog

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Want to help build and support the **Aggie graduate community?** Start sharing your **Aggie Voice!** 

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is the official
blog for TAMU
graduate and
professional
students, faculty,
staff and
alumni

Share
advice, tips,
support, struggles,
local
recommendations,
and more!

Read the blog, learn more, or submit at grad.tamu.edu/Aggie-Voice

**Share your** stories so the graduate community knows your role in student success! grad.tamu.edu/Aggie-Voice

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