



CEGSS Newsletter



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All links in this newsletter are live

There's a new podcast on the block!

Twitter: [@STEMculture](https://twitter.com/STEMculture)

Web: [Stemculturepodcast.com](https://stemculturepodcast.com)

STEM culture

You asked and we answered!

We are hosting a workshop on Online Presence on December 3rd at 1:30pm in E.234. This is the first of a two-part series that aims to improve professionalism and visibility to graduate students online.

This session will host Dr. Craig Clarkson who has worked extensively with building a strong online presence and understanding how those online tools are used in the job search. Anyone can Google “things to include on a website,” but what is less clear is how search and review committees are using the tools we put on the internet.



CEGSS Biology Symposium

CEGSS is proud to announce the official launch of the planning stages for the CEGSS Biology Symposium, headed by Will Matthaeus. This event is designed *for* graduate students *by* graduate student. We want to celebrate the amazing work Bio's grad students put in to their research, their teaching, and their work in outreach.

We anticipate holding this event in the spring semester, during one of the “dead” study days before finals. It will run a long half-day, and we will provide food and coffee aplenty.

Keep a lookout for a call for abstracts coming in January. We are looking for poster presentations and speakers. If you have any questions, email us!

Spring Kickoff

At last kickoff event, there was a request for tie-dying lab coats, and we think that's a great idea! CEGSS leadership has already been planning, and we welcome any ideas our member base has for what they'd like to see included! Stay tuned!



Donation Champs!

We learned at the last faculty meeting how amazing the Biology department has been in supplying toy donations for Toys for Tots—in fact, our department won an award for how much we have given. So far, we've filled over a dozen boxes. If you'd like to contribute, you can find the donation boxes in the Biology Office.

Another way to give back is to donate to [The Store](#), Baylor's own food pantry-style shop where students can get food for free. Not everyone is fortunate enough to be able to afford a meal card, and The Store sees that our community is still eating well to fuel all the learning. You can donate to The Store in Sid Richardson hall.

THE QUICK NEWS



CEGSS MEETINGS

Will resume next semester! Stay tuned for updates



WRITING GROUPS

Times are in for spring!
M —> F 10am-12pm
Learn [more](#)



UPCOMING EVENTS

Mark your (CEGSS) calendars for these events in the spring semester!



WEBSITE BUILDING WORKSHOP PT 2

Early February

Time and Room TBD



RELIEVING STRESS IN GRAD SCHOOL WORKSHOP

March

Time and Room TBD