

October 2nd, 2012

This is your weekly summary of news from the SAPA Board:

MEETINGS

SAPA's second General Meeting will be held this Friday (10/5) at 5:45PM in Graham Hall Room 187. Hope to see everyone there!

**** To view the tentative SAPA General Meeting Schedule for Fall 2012, visit <http://sites.udel.edu/sapa/news-and-announcement/sapa-meetings/>.**

UPDATES

To view updates on UD's Provost Search, SPPA's Course Scheduling Plan, and SAPA's Abstract Workshop, please click [here](#).

SAPA COMMITTEES: Students who are interested in starting and/or serving on a committee should have received an email on Friday, September 28th. If you did not receive an email and are still interested in starting and/or serving on a committee, please send us an email at Sapassociation@gmail.com.

2013 LEGISLATIVE FELLOW PROGRAM: Applications are now being accepted for the 2013 Legislative Fellows Program! The Legislative Fellows Program provides students with an opportunity to work directly with members of the Delaware General Assembly. The program is open to the University's full-time graduate students and qualified junior- and senior-level undergraduate students. To learn more about the program, please click [here](#).

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HOMECOMING KICK-OFF ALUMNI SOCIAL: Don't forget to register to attend the [Homecoming Kick-Off Alumni Social!](#) The event is being held on Thursday, October 18th, 2012 from 6PM to 8:30PM at Catherine Rooney's, 102 E. Main Street, Newark, DE. Come out and join in the festivities, or stop by to meet new students and returning alumni! To register for the event, please click [here](#).

SPPA RESEARCH SEMINAR SERIES: SPPA's Research Seminar Series continues this Fall! The Research Seminar Series gives students, professors, and professional staff a chance to present current research or work in progress. Moreover, the Seminar Series provides the SPPA Community with an opportunity to find out what our colleagues are working on. To view the tentative schedule for the Research Seminar Series, please click [here](#).



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3RD ANNUAL GRADUATE STUDENT TAILGATE: The [3rd Annual Graduate Student tailgate](http://www.tinyurl.com/GSG2012Tailgate) is scheduled for this Saturday (10/6) before the UD football game against Maine. The tailgate will begin at 1pm and will take place in the stadium parking lot down on South Campus. The GSG will provide subs, plates, cups, napkins, and silverware so you only need to bring your own beverages and your favorite tailgate food to share with your fellow grad students. RSVP to the event via www.tinyurl.com/GSG2012Tailgate. Students who register will receive an email the morning of the event with information on the exact location of the tailgate.

NEWARK FALL CLEAN UP: Grab your family and friends and come make Newark beautiful! On October 6th 2012 Newark will host its annual Fall Clean Up Day. The event will begin at 9AM in front of the [Newark Municipal Building](#). Gloves and trash bags will be provided for individuals and groups.

PRESIDENTIAL DEBATE WATCHING PARTY: On October 16th, 2012 Kathryn Lonczewski (SAPA Vice President) will be hosting a Presidential Debate Watching Party at her apartment. The event will begin at 8:30PM. Feel free to contribute a snack or beverage. Please RSVP by emailing klon@udel.edu. When you RSVP, you will receive a follow up email with directions to her apartment.

Thanks.

SAPA BOARD

(Nathan Roby, Kathryn Lonczewski, Cimone Philpotts, Ama Nyame-Mensah, Rachel Linstead-Goldsmith, Allison Rice, Jennifer Lazo, Jennifer Nichols, Matthew Parkhurst, and David Barnes).

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