



December 2018

## Doctoral Training Update December 2018

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<a href="#">Finding Academic Literature - College of Science and Engineering</a>	04 December 2018
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<a href="#">Presenting Made Easy - Presentation Techniques (CAHSS)</a>	28 January 2019
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<a href="#">Presenting Made Easy - Presentation Techniques (SCE/MVM)</a>	29 January 2019
<a href="#">Dialogue: Public Engagement Beyond Public Lectures!</a>	29 - 30 January 2019
<a href="#">Statistics Consultancy 1:1 Session</a>	31 January 2019

**\*\*The Event Booking System will be unavailable from 8 am Monday 3rd December until 12 pm Wednesday 5th December. If you want to book on to an event at this time please email us [iad.phd@ed.ac.uk](mailto:iad.phd@ed.ac.uk).**

### More information and booking

To find out more, or to book a place please see: <http://edin.ac/1O2s8wO>

### Cancellation Policy

Please see the IAD website for our cancellation policy: <http://edin.ac/185GWRz>

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## Learning and Teaching Conference 2019—Call for Proposals

We are delighted to announce that we will be holding the annual University of Edinburgh Learning and Teaching Conference on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2019 at the John MacIntyre Conference Centre, Pollock Halls of Residence.

The conference will focus on **evidencing the value of teaching and learning**, and we welcome students and staff from across the University to attend and present. **The call for proposals is now open** and we will be seeking a range of different presentations (e.g. papers, workshops, posters, lightning talks, show and tell opportunities, workshops and more).

For more information : [Learning and Teaching Conference 2019](#) or if you have any questions please email LEARNING Teaching Conference - [lt.conference@ed.ac.uk](mailto:lt.conference@ed.ac.uk)

## IAD Tutors & Demonstrators

The IAD supports tutors and demonstrators teaching and marking across the University by offering orientation courses for new or relatively new teachers, enhanced development courses for more experienced teachers, and support for gaining teaching accreditation. To find out more and to book for Semester 2 [click here](#).

## Prepare for Doctoral Success



Prepare for Doctoral success is a four week online course starting on the 11th February 2019 for all new postgraduate researchers. The course aims to help you settle in by sharing essential information, tips and advice and will give you the opportunity to interact with other students at the same stage as you.

[Find out more here.](#)

## Teaching Matters PGR Blog

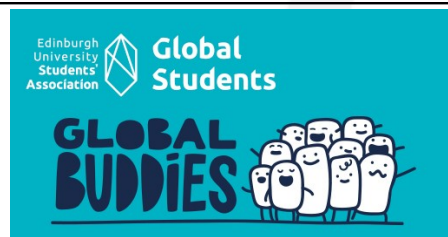
In this post, the Postgraduate Representatives (2017-2018) at the School of Health in Social Science share their contributions towards organising events by integrating social and academic activities to engender a sense of belonging in a diverse learning community on campus. [Read the blog here.](#)

## Global Buddies—Apply Now

Are you excited to share your knowledge about Edinburgh and get to know international students and their culture?

[Apply now to become a Buddy Group Leader!](#)

Global Buddies is a fun programme - you'll get to know amazing people, take part in social events and activities, and make a difference in visiting students' lives. You'll receive training, support, HEAR recognition and can take part in the Edinburgh Award.



## Three Minute Thesis Competition

Read our guest blog post from Owen Gwydion James, winner of the UK 3 Minute Thesis Competition on his experience of the competition and why you should take part. [Read the blog here](#)

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