



The Weekly Update is the primary means of communicating general announcements and events to students by the SCI Student Services group. The Weekly Update will be sent to all students each week from the beginning of the Fall semester until commencement in May.

> Announcements

SCI Is Hiring Peer Advisors

The SCI Advising Center is hiring Peer Advisors for the upcoming school year! There are two types of positions - one a more general Peer Advisor and the other a position focused on First-Year Seminars, and you can apply to either or both! The work schedule is flexible (and hybrid), and you would get to host drop-in hours, pick your own work projects, and more. If interested, please [access the student employment site](#), search for "SCI peer advisor" and submit BOTH a resume AND a cover letter when you apply! If you have any questions about the position, please contact [Anna Hermann](#) or [Jen Gentzel](#).

Career Center Focus Group and Survey

The Career Center wants to improve your career-related experiences and better understand your needs and perspectives. With that in mind, they invite you to [complete a survey](#) by April 15th and/or [attend a focus group](#) by March 30th.

Disability Resources and Services (DRS) Newsletter

Did you know that there is a DRS Student Newsletter with resources and information about upcoming events about DRS? For example, this newsletter provides information on AccessComputing, an NSF-funded alliance providing mentoring and some limited funding for career development activities for students with disabilities in computing-related fields.

You can access an [archive of these newsletters here](#), and you can [email Disability Resources and Services](#) to learn how to get on the mailing list for the newsletter.

> Events

CGI Spring Diversity Open House | April 2nd - 4th 2024

CGI's Campus Recruiting Team is excited to invite you to our Spring 2024 Diversity Open House: *Beyond the Mask: Celebrating Neurodivergent Voices*. This season's Diversity Open House will be centered

around empowering, recognizing, celebrating, and sharing the experiences and accomplishments of neurodivergent voices. This 3-day virtual event will open the door for you to interact with CGI members from diverse backgrounds, and talents, and those who serve as allies. Here is the Schedule:

April 2 - Unlocking Your Potential: Neuro-inclusive Steps to Success

April 3 - Bringing to the Light: Addressing Invisible Disabilities in the Workplace

April 4 - Creating Space for Yourself: Challenging Social Barrier

If interested, please [sign up here](#).

Lavender Graduation | April 25, 2024

Offered from 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. in the William Pitt Union Ballroom, this special hybrid graduation ceremony sponsored by Student Affairs' Office of Inclusion and Belonging has a [long history](#) and celebrates the achievements of undergraduate, graduate, and professional students in the LGBTQIA+ community across all Pitt campuses. 2024 "Lav Grads" graduate from any type of Pitt program in Fall 2023 or Spring/Summer 2024 and receive special lavender cords and speeches from well-wishers and classmates prior to a catered party with a fabulous queer DJ. Graduates must register to be celebrated and all other attendees must register to come celebrate our Lav Grads and enjoy a great time!

If interested, [please register here!](#)

SCI Spring 2024 Graduation Ceremony for Undergraduate Students | April 27, 2024

There is a School-wide ceremony as well as some departmental celebrations. The School-wide ceremony is the formal ceremony for SCI, where graduates will be called to the stage and receive a scroll representing their diploma as well as a gift.

Departmental celebrations are more informal, offering students from that particular department a chance to talk with graduates of their degree programs, faculty, and staff specifically in their areas of study, acknowledge accomplishments and awards, etc.

For detailed information and RSVP links, please [access the SCI Graduation Web page](#).

PLEASE NOTE: Undergraduate students graduating in Spring 2024 are ALSO invited to Commencement, the formal University-wide ceremony honoring undergraduates graduating this spring. Details about Commencement [can be found here](#).

For a full list of upcoming SCI events, visit the [SCI calendar](#).



Don't forget to check the Registrar's calendar page for upcoming deadlines!

Please access the [Registrar's Calendar Page](#) for more information.

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