



# STUDENT NOTES

MORGRIDGE COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

## Morgridge College of Education Student Newsletter

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### Welcome to Student Notes

Welcome to the Morgridge College of Education Student newsletter, Student Notes. This is a project of the College of Education Student Association (COESA), the Morgridge College Leadership Team, and the Morgridge Marketing Office. Questions or submissions? Email COESA at [COESA@du.edu](mailto:COESA@du.edu).

### Vote for the COESA Executive Board

Students are requested to cast their vote for electing their COESA Executive Board for 2020-21. [Please use this link](#) to cast your vote for the electing the President, Vice President, Treasurer, and the Strategic Planning & Implementation representatives. The last date to cast your vote is May 23 11:59 p.m. Please note that students who are currently enrolled in Morgridge College programs are only eligible to vote. Votes casted by non-Morgridge College students will not be included in the final count. The voting link is a single-user, one-time access link only and you will be asked to enter your registered email ID for authentication.

## Research

### DU 2020 Research & Scholarship Showcase

The Office of Graduate Education and University Academic Programs are excited to share that the 2020 Research & Scholarship Showcase has been rescheduled to Wednesday, May 20 as a virtual event. The online showcase will feature opening remarks from the interim Provost as well as virtual presentations from our undergraduate and graduate students that highlight the exciting research and scholarship at DU. This event will be hosted via Twitter on the [@UofDenverGrad](#) account from 12:30 – 3:30 p.m. (MST) on Wednesday, May 20. Information on how to attend this showcase via Twitter will be sent out soon.

### COESA SPRITE Showcase

COESA presents to you the Virtual SPRITE (Students' Praxis and Research Informing and Transforming Education) Showcase. This is an excellent opportunity for students to share their work with the MCE community. More information is available on the [COESA portfolio page](#). Submissions are due Friday, May 22. [You can submit your projects here](#). All accepted submissions will be posted on the COESA portfolio page on May 25.

## Funding Opportunities

### COESA Student Grant Application/ Spring Reimbursement

Applications for potential scholarship reimbursements for Spring are due June 8 by 4 p.m. Note that all application materials are accessible via the [COESA portfolio page](#). Also

check our portfolio for information on expected timeline, reimbursement rubrics, frequently asked questions, exemplar personal statements, tips for submitting your application and funding concerns. Additional questions can be sent to [coesa.treasurer@du.edu](mailto:coesa.treasurer@du.edu).

### **COESA Dissertation/DRP Scholarship**

We are pleased to announce scholarship for Doctoral Dissertation/DRP. In lieu of conference attendance, students may apply for \$500 in dissertation/DRP funding but may not exceed the \$1000 allotment in student reimbursements for the academic year. Students may apply only once during their program. The eligibility criteria and application form can be accessed on the [COESA portfolio page](#). Students may direct all questions regarding the COESA Dissertation/DRP Scholarship to [coesa.treasurer@du.edu](mailto:coesa.treasurer@du.edu).

### **Miller Scholarship-Conference and Travel Funds**

Through the generous support of the George W. & Mamie Dodd Miller Endowed Scholarship Fund, MCE students may apply for up to \$500 in scholarship funding to support their presentation of scholarly research papers at national and international conferences. Funding available up to annual budget limitations. Scholarship can only apply to tuition charges. Applications can be found here: [Miller Scholarship and Travel Funds Application to Present Research at National or International Conference](#).

### **Dissertation Research Grant Funding Support**

MCE students who have successfully defended their dissertation proposal may apply for funding support for their dissertation up to the amount of \$1,000. Funding available up to annual budget limitations. Scholarship can only apply to tuition charges. Applications can be found here: [Dissertation Research Grant Requests for Proposal](#).

### **Graduate Student Association Reimbursement Application**

This is a reimbursement through University of Denver's larger student association, the Graduate Student Government (GSG). In order to be eligible, you must first receive conference funding via COESA. Once you have completed the GSG application found on [COESA portfolio page](#), please submit this form to the COESA treasurer via email: [coesa.treasurer@du.edu](mailto:coesa.treasurer@du.edu). The COESA treasurer will verify the application and send the application to the GSG finance department.

## **What's New in Morgridge? COVID-19 Response**



### **Easy Eats**

The new community outreach and engagement page called [Easy Eats](#) publishes weekly videos, demonstrating easy to make and affordable dishes. Learn how to cook a steak, make smoothies, or even home fries cooked in bacon fat! The Outreach and Engagement Projects page created by students from the Morgridge College of Education for all of DU and alumni. Easy Eats is a great way for us to stay connected while we practice social distancing during these trying times. Students and faculty are encouraged to submit their own photos or videos of food you love to make. Submissions are featured on the [Easy Eats](#) page. If you have any questions, special requests for upcoming videos or would like to submit your own dish contact Laurier Cress at [IEatEasyEats@gmail.com](mailto:IEatEasyEats@gmail.com).



### **CARES Emergency Relief Fund Available to Students: Deadline to Apply is TODAY**

Students who have incurred expenses related to campus disruptions due to the coronavirus, can apply for aid via the CARES Emergency Relief Fund by Friday, May 15. Last week, we sent an MCE Announcement to all students, faculty and staff about this opportunity, and we have shared it on our website and social media. More information about the eligibility requirements and other important details can be found at: <https://www.du.edu/admission-aid/financial-aid-scholarships/cares-emergency-relief-fund>



### **Building Inclusive Community online**

The well-being of our students, faculty, staff, the university, and our broader community is at the front of our minds during this time. In an effort to build our vibrant inclusive community online, we have created a Building Inclusive Community Online resource web page to show how the Morgridge community has come together to show support of one another.

## **Important Dates**

- May 20: DU 2020 Research & Scholarship Showcase
- May 22: COESA SPRITE Submission Deadline
- June 8: COESA Student Grant Application deadline for Spring Quarter



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