### **Become a Leader with Kimmel**

September 14 @ 5pm

Mississippi/Illinois Room—MUC

Kimmel Student Involvement Center is not just about organizations, it is about leadership! As a graduate student, you have the opportunity to lead undergraduate students in their organizations. Join us as we share ways you can connect with organizations and students as well as gain leadership experience by participating in the Leadership Programming Series.

### **Writing for Graduate School Success**

September 20 @ 4:30pm Mississippi/Illinois Room—MUC

Remember how you could procrastinate as a college freshman and stay up all night writing your term papers? Don't take those bad habits into graduate school! Be wary of your sentence structure meandering out of control and getting wordy, redundant, or just plain pedantic. Come to this session to learn the SECRETS of how to write successfully in graduate school, how to show your critical thinking skills, and how to be original with your work. Plus, the first 20 people who walk through the door will receive a free vocabulary list that will be sure to win over professors and peers.

# **Building a Professional Network**

September 29 @ 5pm Mississippi/Illinois Room—MUC

What is a professional organization? Should I attend a conference? Should I PRESENT at a conference? How will it help my career? How do I connect with other professionals? Join the Career Development Center in learning how to utilize professional organizations and build your network while you are finishing your degree.

#### **APA vs MLA**

October 4 @ 4:30pm

Mississippi/Illinois Room—MUC

DING! DING! Come watch as MLA and APA battle it out for ultimate citation supremacy! Actually, while that might happen (because anything can happen when these two are in a room together) you should come to this session to finally learn the difference between these two citation styles and see side-by-side comparisons for a better understanding of how each one is used in research.

# **Peer to Peer Proofreading**

October 18 @ 4:30pm

Mississippi/Illinois Room—MUC

Revising and editing a peer's writing helps students to learn to work as a team—something you will definitely be doing in the "real world." It also provides a fresh perspective on the proof-reading process that will help students become more aware as they write and edit their own work. Come to this session to learn how to effectively proof-read your own work and provide meaningful feedback to those around you. Attendees will leave with a certificate of certified proofreading knowledge.

# **Gear Up for your Thesis**

November 14 @ 4:30pm Meeting Room A—MUC

Come to this session to learn how to manage the project by breaking it down into small chunks for instant success. We will discuss getting started, organizing strategies, research, the literature review, and conclusions among other fascinating topics. Attendees should prepare to be dazzled with a simplistic approach to a complex endeavor.

