

Subject: Prepare for Fall, Spring Break Next Week, Graduation Updates and More! (March 16, 2021)
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Preparing for the Fall Semester
As a reminder, MSU Denver is planning to start the fall semester with [full on-campus operations](#). Priority registration for the fall will begin on April 5, and you will be able to view the fall course offerings beginning March 29.

If you're unsure what courses you need or should take, or you need help registering, [contact your academic advisor](#).

University Catalogs Available Now

The new University [undergraduate and graduate catalogs](#) are available to view now. This catalog contains comprehensive information about degrees and programs ([new and discontinued](#)), and the requirements you must satisfy before receiving a degree.

Spring Break Next Week

As a reminder, spring break is next week, March 22-26. While offices will still be open and available to assist you, the Runner will be going on spring break, as well. It will resume on Monday, March 29.

GRADUATION UPDATES

Inaugural Marathon Award to be Given Out at Spring Commencement

MSU Denver will bestow its inaugural Marathon Award during the spring 2021 commencement ceremonies. The award will honor the tenacity, perseverance and academic excellence of campus and community members.

Spring Commencement Keynote Speaker

Justice Monica Márquez, who has served as a member of the Colorado Supreme Court since 2010, will be the keynote speaker for the spring 2021 virtual commencement ceremony. [Read more](#) about Márquez's commitment to service and her accomplishments.

Graduation RSVP Reminders

MSU Denver will host a [virtual graduation ceremony](#) for Spring 2021 graduates on Friday, May 14. [RSVP now](#) for the virtual ceremony and the Paint the Town Red graduate walk, and [submit your information](#) for your graduation slide by April 1. All 2020 graduates (spring, summer and fall) can also participate for the Paint the Town Red graduate walk. [RSVP by April 16](#).

GET INVOLVED

Spanish-Speaking Family Q&A

Do you or your loved ones [need questions answered](#)? Drop in to a [Facebook Live event](#) anytime between 10 - 11 a.m. on Wednesday to get answers in Spanish!

Activate Workforce Program

Are you a CLAS student who is planning on graduating in May 2022? If so, apply for the [Activate Leadership Program](#) today! This program is perfect for CLAS students looking for:

- A yearlong PAID position (full-time for summer, part-time for fall and spring)
- Are planning on graduating in May 2022
- Are open to working in a variety of industries
- Want to receive free professional development coaching
- Want to build transferrable, essential workplace skills & expand your network

To learn more about this program, [watch a Q&A session with an Activate Representative](#) or check out the [internship posting on Career Link](#).

Disability in the Media

More often than not, disability has been defined in the media by Triumph, Tragedy and Trauma. We know people with disabilities [represent more than these often-used narratives](#) and considering this, the Access Center is [hosting an interactive discussion](#) on the topic: **Disability in the Media** to explore various ways people with disabilities are [usually represented in the media](#) or what people with disabilities [wish you knew](#). Students are invited to join us for one or both dates.

Disability in the Media Discussion | Wednesday, 1 - 2 p.m. | [Join now](#)
Student Community Meeting | Thursday, 2 - 3 p.m. | [Join now](#)

GET YOUR VOICE HEARD

Metrosphere Submissions

Calling all artists, writers, musicians, and all other creatives! Now is the chance to share your work to Metrosphere! [Send in your submission](#) for the chance to be featured in the magazine and win a prize. The spring 2021 theme is vitality. Submissions close on Saturday, March 27, 2021. Have questions? Email submission.metrosphere@gmail.com.

Diversity Campus Climate Survey

You received an email on March 1 directly from Viewfinder Campus Climate Surveys, inviting you to participate in the confidential [Diversity Campus Climate Survey](#). This brief survey will help MSU Denver examine the level of belonging, respect, dialogue and trust present across campus so University leaders can identify strengths and opportunities related to diversity, equity and inclusion as they shape programs and policies.

All survey participants will be entered into a drawing where you could win a \$25 or \$40 gift card. The survey will remain open through this Friday at 11:59 p.m. If you have trouble accessing the survey, [contact Dr. Manuel Del Real](#).

GRADUATE CORNER

Supporting Graduate Students

Graduate students face many challenges as they incorporate the lifestyle of a professional student including classes, internships, families and other roles that they may undertake. [This workshop](#) (Monday from 2 - 3 p.m.) is designed to provide a safe space for exploring problems and dilemmas along with obtaining support and validation. [Sign up now.](#)

Braven Career Booster

Looking to own your own career destiny, especially in this challenging job market? [Enroll in the Braven Career Booster.](#) It's a free two-week virtual bootcamp that will help you brush up on your job readiness skills and help you feel prepared to enter the workforce. The Booster is only available for the following graduating classes: Fall 2019, Spring 2020, Summer 2020, Fall 2020, Spring 2021.

UPCOMING EVENTS



**Join us for Connections:
Behavioral Health** 
Virtual Event | March 16 | 1 - 5 PM

Connections is a virtual event designed to connect students in behavioral health related majors with employers seeking to hire. This event will accommodate students in their search for internships as well as career-focused employment opportunities and will also offer the opportunity to expand your network within the Behavioral Health industry.

Who's Invited?

- Open to all Majors!
- Students seeking career-focused opportunities, internships and connections
- Human and Social Services Professionals
- Behavioral Health Professionals

Register today in Career Link (via The Student Hub)

[Connections: Behavioral Health](#)
Tuesday | 1 - 5 p.m | [Register now](#)



**ATTENTION ROADRUNNERS!
FREE FOOD!**
MOBILE FOOD MARKET
COMING TO CAMPUS

No Reservation Needed!
Just name and 900#



Date: March 3rd and 18th
Time: 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Location: In Between the Aerospace and Engineering Sciences (AES) and the Jordan Student Success Buildings (JSSB)
Please contact the MSU Denver Student Care Center for additional information.
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Professional Development

[Professional Etiquette](#)
Wednesday | 11 - noon | [Zoom](#)

[Using Your Strengths in Job Search](#)
Thursday | 2 - 3:30 p.m. | [Zoom](#)



Mobile Food Market
Wednesday | 10 - 1 p.m | On Campus

SPRING 2021 DIALOGUE SERIES: FROM PROCESSING TO ACTION

Join us in dialogue that takes us from exploring our understanding of what has happened this past year to action and creating social change.

Wed, March 17 | 10 - 11:30am | Processing the Moment

Tues, March 30 | 12:30 - 2pm | Restoring Relationships

Wed, April 14 | 10:30am - 12pm | Building Bridges & a Call to Action

STUDENTS, FACULTY & STAFF ARE WELCOME! ALL DIALOGUES WILL OCCUR OVER MICROSOFT TEAMS.

WANT TO RSVP OR HAVE ANY ?'S -
GO TO THE DIALOGUES PROGRAM WEBSITE:
WWW.MSUDENVER.EDU/DEANOFSTUDENTS/CONFLICTRESOLUTION/DIALOGUESPROGRAM/

Dialogue: Processing the Moment
Wednesday | 10 - 11 a.m | [Sign up](#)




JOIN US!
HOW-TO SERIES
MAR. 17TH
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
HOW TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF INTERSHIPS
<http://bit.ly/39SwHcF>
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How to Take Advantage of Internships
Wednesday | 3 - 3:45 p.m. | [Zoom](#)



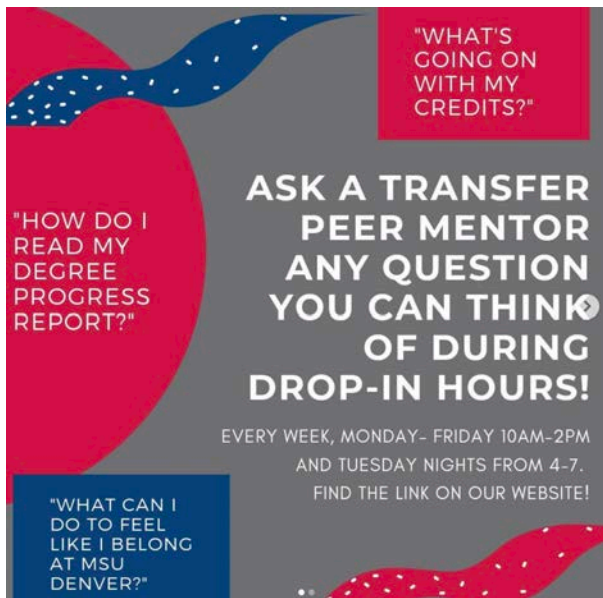
Understanding ADHD
Thursday | Noon - 1 p.m. | [Sign up](#)

**Let's Talk: Gender Neutral Terms
Acceptance within Other Languages**
Friday | 2 - 3:30 p.m. | [Zoom](#)



CELEBRATING WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

Femme Hip Hop
Friday | 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. | [Zoom](#)



"WHAT'S GOING ON WITH MY CREDITS?"

ASK A TRANSFER PEER MENTOR ANY QUESTION YOU CAN THINK OF DURING DROP-IN HOURS!

EVERY WEEK, MONDAY- FRIDAY 10AM-2PM AND TUESDAY NIGHTS FROM 4-7. FIND THE LINK ON OUR WEBSITE!

"HOW DO I READ MY DEGREE PROGRESS REPORT?"

"WHAT CAN I DO TO FEEL LIKE I BELONG AT MSU DENVER?"

Transfer Peer Mentors Drop-In Hours
Monday - Friday | 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. and
Tuesday | 4 - 7 p.m. | [Teams](#)

SEE ALL UPCOMING EVENTS

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