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## **Services for grad students and postdocs**

The Schreyer Institute for Teaching Excellence (SITE) can help you before, during, and after your teaching/TAing experience. All of our services are free, and our one-on-one consultations are confidential—we only share information with *you*.

## **Before**

* Workshops on best practices for teaching/TAing (see other side)
* Instructional Foundations Series (for those without previous TAing experience)
* Course in College Teaching (for those with some previous TAing or teaching experience)
* Individualized consultations on any aspect of your course prep or planning

## **During**

* Individualized consultations on any aspect of your course
* Class observations
* Help with collection and analysis of mid-semester student feedback

## **After**

* Individualized consultations on any aspect of your course
* Thematic analysis of your student ratings (SRTEs)
* Professional development help:
	+ Feedback on your teaching (philosophy) statement
	+ Feedback on your diversity statement
	+ Schedule us as a test audience as you practice a teaching demo for a job interview

## **For more information**

Check out our website: schreyerinstitute.psu.edu/tas or email us at SITE@psu.edu

# **Fall 2022 programs especially for grad students and postdocs**

## **Schreyer Institute for Teaching Excellence**

All Schreyer Institute programs and services are free for anyone at Penn State. You can find detailed descriptions and registration links for each event at [schreyerinstitute.psu.edu/events](https://www.schreyerinstitute.psu.edu/events). Some topics are offered more than once—choose whichever date works best for you.

### **AUGUST**

* *TA 101: Survive and Thrive.* August 25 from 10:35-11:35am on Zoom.
* *How to Plan a Class Session*. August 30 from 10:35-11:35am on Zoom.

### **SEPTEMBER**

* *Inclusive Teaching: Why It Matters.* September 7 from 10:10-11:10am on Zoom.
* *Making Sure Disruptions Don't Derail Students' Learning.* September 8 from 10:35-11:35am on Zoom.
* *How to Plan a Class Session.* September 13 from 7:00-8:00**pm** on Zoom.
* *Well-being in Learning Environments.* September 14 from 10:10-11:10am on Zoom.
* *How to Plan a Class Session.* September 20 from 10:35-11:35am in **315 Rider Building.**
* *Teaching So All Your Students Are Included, Part 1.* September 21 from 10:10-11:25am on Zoom.
* *Making Sure Disruptions Don't Derail Students' Learning.* September 21 from 7:00-8:00**pm** on Zoom.
* *Feeling Confident and Comfortable in a U.S. Classroom (Especially for International TAs).* September 27 from 10:35-11:35am on Zoom.
* *Preparing Your Teaching Philosophy Statement for the Job Market.* September 28 from 10:10-11:10am on Zoom.

### **OCTOBER**

* *Doing Research on Your Teaching—and Publishing It.* October 4 from 10:35-11:50am on Zoom.
* *Writing Your Diversity Statement*. October 5 from 10:10-11:10am on Zoom.
* *How to Be a Reflective Instructor.* October 6 from 10:35-11:35am on Zoom.
* *Teaching So All Your Students Are Included, Part 2.* October 12 from 10:10-11:25am on Zoom.
* *Preparing a Teaching Demo for a Job Interview.* October 18 from 10:35-11:35 on Zoom.
* *Teaching a Course When You’re Not (Yet) an Expert in the Content.* October 25 from 10:35-11:35am on Zoom.

### **Also consider:**

* Our Instructional Foundations Series (for those with no previous experience leading a class)—[schreyerinstitute.psu.edu/instructionalfoundations](https://www.schreyerinstitute.psu.edu/instructionalfoundations)
* Our Course in College Teaching—[schreyerinstitute.psu.edu/cct](https://www.schreyerinstitute.psu.edu/cct)

If you’d like a workshop to be customized for your department/program, or if you’d like to request a topic that isn’t on the list, email the Schreyer Institute for Teaching Excellence at SITE@psu.edu. And if you’d like to talk individually, reach out to one of our educational consultants—[schreyerinstitute.psu.edu/staff](https://www.schreyerinstitute.psu.edu/staff)