



## INCOMING GRADUATE STUDENT RESOURCE CHECKLIST

This document is intended to bring awareness of resources available to new graduate students, and to assist faculty members recruiting such individuals to the University of Saskatchewan.

**Aboriginal Student Centre (ASC):** A welcoming place to make friends and access support through personal, social, cultural, and academic programs and services. Staffs support the academic and personal success of Indigenous students.

<https://students.usask.ca/aboriginal/#Culture>

**Access and Equity Services (AES):** This is guided by Saskatchewan's Human Rights legislation and accommodates individuals requiring accommodations during their program based on disability, religion, family status, and gender identity.

[students.usask.ca/health/centres/access-equity-services.php](https://students.usask.ca/health/centres/access-equity-services.php)

**College of Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies (CGPS):** Graduate students should visit the website and be aware of the policies and procedures associated with their program.

[cgps.usask.ca/](https://cgps.usask.ca/)

**Graduate Students' Association (GSA):** Represents all graduate students at the University of Saskatchewan and provides professional, academic, and social activities and services, and promotes awareness of issues relevant to graduate students.

[gsa.usask.ca/](https://gsa.usask.ca/)

**GSA Health & Dental Plan:** Graduate students can register in this plan to get extended health and dental coverage.

[studentcare.ca/rte/en/UniversityofSaskatchewangraduatestudentsGSA\\_Home](https://studentcare.ca/rte/en/UniversityofSaskatchewangraduatestudentsGSA_Home)

**Gwenna Moss Centre for Teaching and Learning (GMCTL):** Provides a variety of programming, workshops, non-credit courses and resources for graduate students who are new to teaching or who already have some experience but want to learn more.

<https://teaching.usask.ca/events/graduate-teaching.php>

**Housing and Child Care:** Information about on campus and off campus housing and childcare.

[students.usask.ca/essentials/housing.php#Offcampussupport](https://students.usask.ca/essentials/housing.php#Offcampussupport)

**Information Technology Service Catalogue:** This describes the core IT services to University of Saskatchewan faculty, staff, and students in support of their academic and administrative activities.

<https://servicecatalogue.usask.ca/it/index.php>

**International Student and Study Abroad Centre (ISSAC):** Provides arrival, transition, cultural support, information about study abroad, awards and travel safety, and intercultural programming and is a central support unit for all students, faculty and staff.

[students.usask.ca/international/index.php](https://students.usask.ca/international/index.php).

**Physical Activity Complex (PAC):** Offers a fit center, access to personal training, sport, recreational activities, and more.

[rec.usask.ca/](https://rec.usask.ca/)

**Public Service Alliance of Canada (PSAC):** all graduate students who are Teaching Assistant/Research Assistant/Student Assistant are members of this union. PSAC addresses your concerns with regards to such employment on campus.

<https://usask-age.com/>

**Saskatchewan Health Card:** All new Saskatchewan residents (domestic students from another province/territory, international students and returning Canadians) must register themselves and their dependents for a Saskatchewan Health Card to receive health benefits.

[skhealthcard.health.gov.sk.ca/](https://skhealthcard.health.gov.sk.ca/)

**Student Central:** Provides students with assistance on finances, registration, academic life, and more.

[students.usask.ca/student-central.php](https://students.usask.ca/student-central.php)

**Student Employment and Career Centre (SECC):** Offers support to students with regards to all aspects of career and job search.

<https://students.usask.ca/jobs/centres/secc.php#Services>

**Student Learning Services:** Offers support to students learning and development of academic skills.

<https://library.usask.ca/studentlearning/>

**Student Wellness Centre:** Offers urgent and non-urgent physical and mental health care to students, their spouses and children through counselling, doctor and nurse appointments, mental health assessment, nutritional counselling, and more.

[students.usask.ca/health/centres/wellness-centre.php](https://students.usask.ca/health/centres/wellness-centre.php)

**Student Supervisor Agreement:** Graduate students should print this document and discuss it with their supervisor/professor.

[students.usask.ca/documents/graduate/student-supervisor-agreement.pdf](https://students.usask.ca/documents/graduate/student-supervisor-agreement.pdf)

**University Library:** Offers workshops, grad help, student learning services, and more.

[library.usask.ca/](https://library.usask.ca/)