YEAR AT A GLANCE

The Graduate English Association (GEA) and other groups are currently in the process of arranging various events and workshops for this year. Note that many of the dates below are TBD and others are subject to change. Please continue to monitor emails from the department and the GEA mailing list for confirmation and full details closer to each date.

FALL SESSION 2025

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August 26-30 Academic advising meetings for incoming students, PhD2,

MACRW2

September

September 1 Labour Day (University closed)

September 2 Department Orientation

Jackman Humanities Building, Room 100

Timing TBA

September 2 Classes begin

September 17 Final date to enrol full-year and Fall session courses

September 10 Doctoral SSHRC/CGS-D application internal deadline

September 25 Finding Community at U of T and Beyond Workshop

10am - 11am JHB 719

September 12 GEA Start-of-Year Meeting & Elections

Grad Lounge, 7th Floor, Jackman Humanities Building

5:30 pm

GEA Pub Night Location TBD 7:00pm to 10:00pm

September 30 Deadline for payment or deferral of Fall tuition and fees

October

October 13 Thanksgiving (University closed)

October 15 Brown Bag Lunch: Claire + Nat 12-1PM JHB616

October 20 Writing PhD Statements of Purpose - GEA Workshop

9am - 11am

October 21 Program Committee Meeting. 4:10 - 6PM JHB601

Oct 27 Last day to drop Fall courses without academic penalty

October 28-Nov 1 Fall Reading Week

November

November 5th General Meeting 4:10pm-5:30pm

November 13th Graduate English Council meeting, JHB616, 4-6PM

November 14th End of Day Pizza, JHB 616, 5pm

December

December 5th GEA Meeting

Grad Lounge, 7th Floor, Jackman Humanities Building

4:00pm to 6:00pm

December 1 Classes end for fall session and full-year courses for fall term

December 24 Winter break begins; University closed

WINTER SESSION 2026

January

January 5 S term classes begin

January 16 OGS internal application deadline

January 16 Money Matters and Developing Financial Literacy

11am-12pm JHB 616

January 19 Final date to add Winter session courses

January 23 Brown Bag Lunch: 12-1PM JHB616

January 30 GEA Meeting

Grad Lounge, 7th Floor, Jackman Humanities Building

4:00pm to 6:00pm

GEA Pub Night Location TBD 7:00pm to 10:00pm

February

February 6 GEA Form A and B-Yond

JHB616, 11am - 12:PM

February 16 Family Day (University closed)

February 16 to 20 Reading Week

February 27 Final date to drop full-year and Winter session courses without

academic penalty

March

March 5 Workshop on Course Instructorships, JHB 616, 11am-12pm

March 11 MA CRW Gala

March 20 Visitor's Day

March 26th End of Day Pizza JHB 616, 4pm

March 27th GEA Annual General Meeting, JHB 719, 5pm

April

April 2 Classes end for winter term and full-year courses

GEA End-of-Year Meeting & Elections

4:00pm to 6:00pm

GEA Year-End Pub Night *Location TBD* 7:00pm to 10:00pm

April 3 Good Friday (University Closed)

~April 23/24/25 GEA Graduate Student Conference (Dates are still finalizing)

May

May 1 Graduate English Council meeting. 1:00pm - 3;00 pm JHB616