

ADVANCE Junior Faculty Workshop
Mentoring Graduate Students
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Graduate School resources for related topics:

- **Daycare Subsidies** – Graduate students (and undergrads, for that matter) can apply for subsidies through the Childcare program in the Vice Provost for Student Life’s office (<http://depts.washington.edu/ovpsl/childcare/>). There are childcare centers on campus, all of which give some level of priority to faculty/staff/students. The Work/Life Office in Benefits can address such topics (<http://www.washington.edu/admin/hr/benefits/worklife/index.html>).
- **Fellowships** – contact Helene Obradovich, Graduate School.
- **Harassment/Ombudsman** – Acting Assistant Dean Rebecca Aanerud within the Graduate School handles student academic grievances and can probably handle more nebulous issues regarding students as well. Otherwise there is an official Office of the Ombudsman (<http://www.washington.edu/about/ombudsman/>) on campus that serves the interests of all campus community members.
- **International Students** – For admissions only, Mary Fetterly or Astrid Rivera within the Graduate School. ISO is the office on campus that deals with visa issues, matters regarding work, etc. once an international student arrives on campus.
- **Recruitment** – GO-MAP (<http://www.grad.washington.edu/gomap/>) within the Graduate School can discuss recruiting underrepresented students. Otherwise recruiting is done mostly within a department. CSE has an excellent graduate student recruiting program.
- **TA Orientation** – Center for Instructional Development & Research (CIDR), (<http://depts.washington.edu/cidrweb/>)
(CSE & EE have very good TA training seminars)
- **Union (Open/Close hiring)** – UW Labor Relations (contacts: Heather Bliss/Lou Pisano). (<http://www.washington.edu/admin/hr/laborrel/contracts/uaw/addons/>)
Helen Obradovich, Graduate School, can occasionally answer questions, too, regarding appointment procedures/policies for TAs/RAs.
- **Work/Life Balance** - Policy related topics are handled by UAW (<http://www.washington.edu/admin/hr/laborrel/contracts/uaw/contract/a28.html>) and may be directed to Heather Bliss/Lou Pisano of UW Labor Relations. Other topics such as childcare, caregiving, lactation rooms can be directed toward the Benefits and Work/Life office, (<http://www.washington.edu/admin/hr/benefits/worklife/index.html>) and/or Assistant Director, Randi Shapiro.