

NCSA Grad Caucus Peer-Mentorship Program

Description

Are you a current graduate student looking for some extra guidance by an experienced peer? The NCSA Graduate Caucus Mentorship Program aims to demystify the graduate school experience and offer support to graduate students. Interested mentees will be paired with a peer mentor, with whom they can connect to discuss an array of professional challenges when navigating graduate school. Mentees must be currently enrolled in an M.A. or Ph.D program and conducting research in the field of long nineteenth-century studies.

Sign-Up

Please complete [this form](#) to indicate your interest in being connected with a peer mentor.

Current NCSA Grad Caucus Peer Mentors

Eleanora Mancuso

Hello! My name is Eleonora, and I am a sixth-year PhD candidate in French Language and Literature at Boston University. My research interests include nineteenth-century French literature, disability studies, visual culture, and women's and gender studies.

Throughout my time as a graduate student, I have had the pleasure of teaching and mentoring a wide range of students, which has become one of the most rewarding parts of my graduate experience. I would be happy to connect with fellow graduate students and offer support in whatever way might be helpful: sharing things I wish I had known when I was starting, navigating the ups and downs of graduate school, or simply being a listening ear.

Link to my student profile: <https://www.bu.edu/rs/profile/eleonora-mancuso/>

Celeste Seifert

Hello! I'm Celeste Seifert, a 7th year PhD candidate at University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. My research focus covers the long nineteenth century of British literature, aesthetics, visual culture and arts, speculative fiction, posthumanism, and Victorian medievalism. I've had experience in teaching classes as a graduate student as the primary instructor and working as a project assistant at the William Blake archive. I hope I can offer advice or a listening ear to anyone who would like to chat!

You can find my student profile here:

<https://englishcomplit.unc.edu/grad-student/celeste-seifert/>

Emily Snyder

Emily Snyder is a fourth-year doctoral student at Southern Methodist University in Dallas, Texas. Her research focuses on American and transatlantic literature in the Nineteenth Century with an emphasis on print culture and multi-ethnic literature. Her work considers how race, gender, and sexuality are constructed in life-writing archives, such as diaries, letters, travelogues, and other forms of print, as well as in the fiction of the period.

You can view Emily's student profile at SMU here:

<https://www.smu.edu/dedman/academics/departments/english/people/gradstudents/snyderemily>