# Computer Science Graduate Student Group (CSGSG)

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People Goals Spaces



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People Goals

Spaces Events Recruiting

# Officially:

- Provide student representation in the department
- Facilitate faculty-student communication

## Generally:

- Make life easier for grad students
- Help grad students accomplish more

- Lounge: Rice 434
- Discord: https://discord.gg/uQu8wey5Uk
- https://csgsg.org/



- Tuesday August 23, 2022 from 11:30AM 1:30PM
  - First Day of Class Sandwiches @ Grad Student Lounge (Rice 434)
- Friday August 26, 2022 from 5:30PM 7:00PM
  - CSGSG Game Night @ Grad Student Lounge (Rice 434)
- Saturday August 27, 2022 from 3:00PM 6:00PM
  - CSGSG Social Event: Hike @ Location TBD
- Tuesday August 30, 2022 from 4:00PM 5:00PM
  - New Student Q&A / Concerns / Issues @ Rice 434 and zoom
- Monday October 10, 2022 from 9:00AM 4:30PM
  - CSGSG Research Symposium



#### Join us!

- Amazing on CV
- Learn about the department (and academia in general)
- Practice skills

#### Notes:

- Anyone in CS or CE can be an officer.
- Terms run by calendar year (So MS/MCS students would need to run this Nov/Dec.)

Grad students as a group are well known to have significantly higher mental health issues than the general population.

This is perfectly logical and expected - we self-select highly driven people and then put them in incredibly stressful roles.

- Counseling & Psychological Services (CAPS)
  https://www.studenthealth.virginia.edu/CAPS
- Maxine Platzer Lynn Women's Center https://womenscenter.virginia.edu/

## Why:

- Finding a good match
- Finding co-advisors
- Finding backups

You can do all 3 rotations without repercussions.

- The department spends a lot of money to make sure you get this opportunity.
- If you feel this isn't the case, please let us know.

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