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GENDER & SEXUALITY SERVICES

May Newsletter

As we approach the end of the semester, GSS has a few notes to share.

From our staff to you, **thank you** for an amazing year! From Rainbow Reception to LGBTea Times to Pride Week and beyond, we've loved the opportunity to connect with you.

Our staff will continue to be available throughout the summer months. Please email lgbt@uni.edu to setup a meeting.

Students: Connect with other LGBTQ+ UNI students in our Discord server! Email us for the link.



Lav Grad

Lavender Graduation will take place on Tuesday, May 3, 2022, and is a celebration of LGBTQ+ students and of those who have contributed to our community over the last year. We'll be recognizing our graduating students as well as Lavender Award recipients.

Congratulations, graduates!

Safe Zone Ally training

GSS will host **Safe Zone Ally: Phase Two** training on Saturday, May 7, as well as **Phase One** training on Wednesday, June 15. [Details and registration can be found](#)

[on our website.](#)

If you would like us to consider offering Safe Zone Ally training at a certain time in the fall semester, please let us know by the end of July.

Individuals interested in hosting an LGBTQ+ workshop or presentation for your UNI class, office, department, organization, etc., should email kalyani.kannan@uni.edu. Please note that GSS sees an increase in training requests for late August and early September; we will do our best to accommodate as many requests as possible.

Upcoming Events

May 2-4: De-Stress Days | 11 AM-2 PM | Maucker Union Ballrooms

May 3: [Lavender Graduation](#) | 6:30 PM | Maucker Union Ballrooms

May 7: [Safe Zone Ally](#): Phase Two (*virtual*)

May 8: [LGBTQ Ball](#) hosted by MTS | 6-9 PM | Strayer Wood Theatre

May 12: [Multicultural Legacy Graduation](#) | 6:30 PM | Maucker Union Ballrooms

May 13-14: [UNI Commencement Events](#)

May 17: International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia, and Biphobia

May 19: Agender Pride Day

May 22: Harvey Milk Day

May 24: Pan Visibility Day

Save the Date: [Rainbow Reception](#) will take place on Wednesday, August 24, 2022. Additional details coming soon!



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