Planning to submit your thesis before 31 May 2011?
If you are planning to submit your thesis by the end of May, you may be eligible for a Postgraduate Publication award (PPA). The PPA provides a 12 week living allowance for students to write manuscripts while their theses are under examination. For more details, see: http://www.mrgs.monash.edu.au/scholarships/other/index.html Applications close 31 March 2011

Presenting a poster or seminar at a conference?
During the course of your candidature, you are eligible for a Postgraduate Research Travel Grant to the maximum value of $2115 (dependent on where you are presenting). For more details, see: http://www.mrgs.monash.edu.au/scholarships/grants/ Applications are ongoing (ie no deadline!).

$1 for a cup of coffee!
Need a coffee? The MBio Graduate School coffee machine is located on level 1, bld 76/77 and available to all students and staff! Purchase your pods at the reception desk in bld 77 for just $1. All proceeds go towards HDR activities.

Are you an International Student or new to Monash?
If you are an International Student, support is available. International Postgraduate Academic Support (IPAS) helps students improve their academic performance in learning, study and the use of English. For more information, visit http://www.med.monash.edu.au/current/ipas.html

Key Dates
- 11th March: Australian Rotary Health PhD scholarship applications due
- 31st March: Postgraduate Publication Award applications due
- 31st March: AFUW Victoria Scholarships for female students due
- 4th April: Postdoctoral cancer research fellowship due

Helpful hint
- The Professional Development page at the MBio Graduate School website has links to departmental and other seminar timetables

Scholarships & Grants
- Australian Rotary Health PhD Scholarship (for stem cell research)
- AFUW Victoria scholarship for female students
- Postdoctoral cancer research fellowship
- Postgraduate publication award

Events & Notices
- Graduate Careers fair http://careers.monash.edu.au/students-grads/events/graduate-fair.html

exPERT Seminars
For more information on the below seminars visit: https://my.monash.edu.au/news-and-events/bookings/research/
- The 7 secrets of highly successful PhD students, 25 March
- Presenting your research with confidence, 25 March
- Endnote x2 for thesis writing, 29 March or 13 April
- MRGS orientation sessions, 8 April
- Data management & exploratory data analysis, 13 April
- PowerPoint for beginners, 19 April