

## **Section V: How to Handle Being a TA and a Graduate Student**

It is difficult to balance the duties and responsibilities of a TA along with the responsibilities of a graduate student. The TA will have to learn how to manage his or her time in order to balance teaching preparation with completing homework assignments for classes and studying for exams. This will not be an easy task. An article has been provided for the TAs to read that covers this topic. The TAs will be expected to attend, and participate in, an informal discussion session covering this topic and listen to several veteran TAs speak about how they managed to cope. Good luck on your teaching assignment.