The Graduate Student Center, funded in full by a Title V grant from the U.S. Department of Education, is now open. The Center is equipped with desktop and laptop PCs, wireless internet, a conference room for group study or meetings, satellite phone and personal locator beacon for check-out to graduate students doing field work in remote locations, and a projector and screen for student presentation rehearsals and workshops. The Center will also be equipped in the near future with a networked printer/copier/scanner for student use.

In addition to providing a location for graduate students to study and work, the Center will also provide pro-active graduate student services as they are developed, including orientation, mentoring, and workshops/direct assistance in financial literacy, academic research, writing, thesis preparation, preparing external funding requests, and career/educational planning. Graduate Admissions is also located within the Center.

**Location:** The Graduate Student Center is located in the Briscoe Administration Building, room 104 (BAB104).

**Hours of Operation:** Center staff members are available to assist students Monday through Friday from 8 am until 5 pm. Hours for the computer lab and study areas are as follows:

- Monday – Friday: 8:00 am – 8:00 pm
- Saturday: 8:00 am – 8:00 pm
- Sunday: CLOSED

*Graduate Fellows will staff the Center weekdays after 5 pm and on Saturdays. The Fellows' primary responsibility will be to supervise the computer lab, but they will provide assistance to students as their individual skill sets allow.*