EVENTS of the FORTNIGHT

Spring 2017 ASPIRE Module deadline: Today!

ASPIRE Cafe for Postdoctoral Fellows: Orientation to BRET Resources
Tuesday, January 10 • 9:00am • Light Hall 306 A&B

PhD Career Connections: Career Opportunities in Science Outreach
Featuring Tiffany Farmer, PhD, Director, Education and Community Engagement, Adventure Science Center
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Registration is requested.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The ASPIRE Program is excited to announce:

Spring 2017 Modules are open!
Applications due January 9, 2017.

The 2017 Spring ASPIRE Module applications are due today. Modules will cover emotional intelligence, K-12 Teaching, and writing skills.

The Vanderbilt Center for Technology Transfer and Commercialization has a technology transfer internship that runs from January 16th to April 24th.

Join us for the Negotiation Workshop led by Elliott Kruse, Vanderbilt Owen Graduate School of Management. Co-sponsored by the BRET Office of Career Development, the Graduate School, and the Vanderbilt University Advanced Degree Consulting Club.

Life Science Tennessee podcast Life_Science.FM is new this week with Kathy Gould and Ashley Brady, in the BRET Office of Career Development!

Abstracts are due January 20 for the graduate student conference, "The Aesthetics of Surveillance: Biomedical Ethics & Privacy," held in March.
This summer, the Vanderbilt Center for Quantitative Sciences (CQS) is hosting their 4th annual Summer Institute from August 7-18, 2017.

The CIRTL Network is providing several online courses this spring, including Teaching-as-Research, Developing a Teaching Portfolio, Basics of Online Learning and Teaching, Diversity in the College Classroom, and Research Mentor Training.

RESOURCES

The BRET Office of Career Development recommends a few articles of interest:

**Topic:** Informational Interviewing

*For Your Information* by Peter Fiske, *NatureJobs*

**Topic:** A Career as a Medical Science Liaison

*The Changing Landscape of Pharma: a New Route for PhDs* by Dr. Martjin Bijker, *NatureJobs*

**Topic:** Cold Calling and Making Connections with People You Don’t Know

*The Calculated Risk of a Cold Email* by Robert D. Pearson, *Inside Higher Ed*

**Topic:** Resumes

*Do You Speak Resume?* by Fatimah Williams Castro, *Vitae*

UPCOMING EVENTS

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**Practice Faculty Interviews with Dr. Chalkley**

December-February by appointment only

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3:00-5:00pm
Featheringill 138
Registration is required.

PhD Career Connections: Forensic Science
Friday, February 3
8:45am
More details coming soon, including panel information and networking details.

ASPIRE to Connect
Friday, March 3
1:00-4:00pm
Student Life Center
More details to come!

RCR Day
Monday, May 15

BRET Annual Career Symposium + BRET Reunion
June 1-2, 2017

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Follow us on Twitter! @VUBRETPhDJobs

If you would like to advertise an open job or postdoc position in the BRET Office of Career Development newsletter, please post the opportunity through our webform or contact Kate Stuart. We welcome submissions from faculty, alumni, postdocs, students, and the community.
Local Opportunities

Postdoctoral Fellow, Powers Research Group, Vanderbilt University

Program Officer/Program Manager, Office of Research, VUMC, Nashville, TN

Other Opportunities

Postdoc, Centrosom Biology, National Institutes of Health, National Cancer Institute, Frederick, MD

Several Postdoctoral openings, Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center, Cincinnati, OH

Staff Scientist, Generation of Transgenic Non-Human Primates, National Inst of Neurological Disorders, Bethesda, MD

Staff Scientist, Molecular and Cell Biology, National Cancer Institute, Bethesda, MD

Staff Scientist, Retinal Neurophysiology, National Eye Institute, Bethesda, MD

Scientific Communications Specialist, NIH, Ripple Effect Communications, Bethesda, MD

Associate Scientist, R&D, Intermountain Healthcare, St. George, UT

Bioinformaticist, Intermountain Healthcare, St. George, UT

Staff Scientist, Molecular and Cell Biology, National Cancer Institute, Bethesda, MD

Executive Director, STEM Education Center, Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Worcester, MD