EVENTS OF THE FORTNIGHT

**ASPIRE to Connect 2018: Building Professional Relationships**
Monday, March 12 • 1:00-5:00pm • Student Life Center
*Sponsored by the BRET Office of Career Development and The Graduate School*

**CV/Resume Drop-In Clinic**
Every Wednesday • 12:30-1:30pm • Light Hall 340
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**Please note the session on 3/14 is canceled**

**PhD Career Connections: Medical Science Liaisons**
Friday, March 16 • 2:00-3:00pm • Light Hall 214
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**Please note that the ASPIRE Cafe for Postdoctoral Fellows on March 8th has been canceled***

Upcoming ASPIRE Internship Deadlines:
**Advocacy Ambassador and Congressional Team Member Alzheimer's Assn of Mid South Chapter**
Deadline: Midnight tonight! March 5, 2018

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS
Last Chance to Register for ASPIRE to Connect 2018!

Registration closes Wednesday, March 7. Don’t miss Dan Beaudry's keynote, "The Power of Connections for the Job Search and Beyond." Dan is a Vanderbilt alumnus and author of Power Ties, former Campus Recruiting Manager for Monster.com, and is currently working business development for an international software company serving the higher education industry. Register today!

Register for the GCC Virtual Career Fair today!

Interact real-time via live chat sessions and meet top-notch employers seeking candidates with advanced degrees.

SAVE THE DATE

2018 Annual Career Symposium: R3:
Research and Research-Related Careers in
**Announcements**

The **TechVenture Challenge** is calling for participants for this year's competition. Come to an information session on March 13th to learn more!

**SciComm** is a conference dedicated to understanding and promoting effective communication of science to diverse audiences – including students of all levels as well as the general public – across all venues. Registration is now open!

**Beyond the Ivory Tower: A Workshop for Scholars on Writing for the Public**: This three-day writing workshop, funded by The John Templeton Foundation, is for natural scientists, social scientists, and philosophers looking to communicate their ideas to the public via articles and essays in major media outlets.

The **Insight Data PM Fellows Program** is a professional training fellowship that bridges the gap between traditional product management and a career building products in machine learning, data infrastructure, and analytics.

**The American Society for Cell Biology (ASCB)**, in partnership with the Keck Graduate Institute, is offering a one-week intensive course from July 9-14, 2018, at the Keck Graduate Institute in Claremont, CA.

**Clubes de Ciencia Peru** is seeking instructors for their summer science outreach program. All graduate students, postdoctoral fellows, senior researchers and entrepreneurs in a STEM field to apply and propose a club for this second edition.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) seeks applicants for the 2018 class of the **CDC Evaluation Fellowship Program**. Fellows work under the leadership of CDC’s Chief Evaluation Officer and will be matched with CDC host programs in Atlanta, Georgia to work on program evaluation activities for/with those programs.

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**Internship Corner**

The ASPIRE Program along with the Office of Career Development
Development is excited to offer ASPIRE Internships. If interested in any of these opportunities, please email Ashley Brady to set up a brief meeting to discuss your interest.

**ASPIRE Internship: Advocacy Ambassador and Congressional Team Member, Alzheimer's Assn of Mid South Chapter**
Deadline midnight tonight, March 5, 2018

**Internships outside of ASPIRE:**
**Congressional Internship with the office of U.S. Rep Jim Cooper (TN-05):** Application deadline March 16, 2018

Let Ashley Brady know if you have questions that are not addressed in our ASPIRE Internship FAQs page. For more information, including eligibility requirements, please visit the internship page.

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Curricular Practical Training (CPT) or Optional Practical Training (OPT) workshops

Upcoming dates:
OPT: March 8
CPT: March 13
OPT: March 19
CPT: March 21
OPT: March 28

Sponsored by Vanderbilt International Student & Scholar Services

Scholarly Communications Digital Scholarship Workshops

March 16: Editing Wikipedia
March 23: Editing Wikimedia Commons
March 30: Editing Wikidata

Sponsored by the Vanderbilt Central Library

Open Science Framework (OSF) Workshops, March 19

Coordinated by the Vanderbilt Central Library

On Writing: Writing Beyond the Academy, March 21

Sponsored by the Vanderbilt Writing Studio

Microaggressions in the Classroom, March 22

Sponsored by the Vanderbilt Center for Teaching

March e12 Innovators Series Talk: Respecting expertise - how humility and a decade of effort built the best antibody discovery platform, with Dr. Dane Wittrup, March 23

Sponsored by the Vanderbilt School of Medicine

Vanderbilt Three Minute Thesis (3MT) Competition, March 23

Organized by the Graduate Student Council

DEADLINES

Health Policy Research Scholars: Applications due March 14, 2018

Lasker Essay Contest: Submissions due March 30, 2018

Regulatory Science Fellowships: Applications due April 1, 2018
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 Angela Zito. We welcome submissions from faculty, alumni, postdocs, students, and the community.

Local Opportunities

Impact Fellowship, Education Pioneers, Nashville, TN
Genomic Scientist, Nashville Biosciences, Nashville, TN
Bioinformatics Data Scientist, Nashville Biosciences, Nashville, TN
Principal Scientist, Formulations, PMI BioPharma Solutions LLC, Nashville, TN

Other Opportunities

Term Assistant Professor of Biology, STEM Accelerator Program, George Mason University, Washington, DC
Visiting Assistant Professor of Biology - Genetics, The Biology Department of The University of the South, Sewanee, TN
Senior Researcher, STEM Education Research Center, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR
Associate Director, Office of Postdoctoral Affairs, Office of the Vice Chancellor for Research, University of Illinois at Chicago
Director of Movement Capacity Building, Chan Zuckerberg Initiative, Palo Alto, CA
Educator Community Leader, Science Friday, Manhattan, New York or remote