Monday, April 14, 2014

Announcements

Don’t miss tomorrow’s info session about the Scientist in the Classroom program where you can teach one day a week in local K-8 schools.

Did you catch the special announcement about the 2014 BRET Career Symposium? Be sure to read all about the event, “Exploring Avenues to Careers in Academia,” which this year is on Friday, May 30.

The May PhD Career Connections on Science Publishing will feature Mirella Bucci, PhD, Senior Editor, Nature Chemical Biology, on Thursday, May 1.

If you have enjoyed attending this year’s PhD Career Connections, why not join the committee to help plan next year’s events?

Led by the National Council of Entrepreneurial Tech Transfer, Product Development and the Innovation Process for Research is five online sessions from April 15-April 29 covering best practices...
and effective tools to develop breakthrough and innovative products for researchers and graduate students.

The deadline to be a part of the 5-day intensive “Dissertation Writer's Retreat” sponsored by the Writing Studio is Friday, April 18.

The Vanderbilt Ingram Cancer Center’s 2014 retreat – Predictive Oncology – will be on May 15.

The Data Incubator is an intensive six-week bootcamp that prepares postdocs and PhDs in STEM + social science fields seeking industry careers as data scientists.

The CIRTL Network -- the Center for the Integration of Research, Teaching, and Learning – will be offering summer courses for online learning.

**Upcoming Deadlines:**

- SMART Postdoctoral Scholarship: April 14
- McKinsey & Co Insight Healthcare opportunity: April 16
- 2014 Genetics and Public Policy Fellowship and the new Genetics Education Fellowship: April 25
- CRDF Global Henrietta H. Fore Women in Science Fellowship: April 25
- ASM Robert D. Watkins Graduate Research Fellowship: May 1
- ASM Kadner Institute Program: May 15
- FDA Commissioner's Fellowship Program: May 26
- Eppendorf & Science Prize for Neurobiology: June 15
- Proctor & Gamble FIRST conference: June 30
- Armenise-Harvard Foundation Career Development Award: July 15

**BRET Events**

**Scientist in the Classroom Information Session**
Tuesday, April 15

**2014 Postdoctoral Research and Shared Resources Symposium**
Tuesday, April 22
Keynote speaker: Pamela Hines, Senior Editor, Science

**PhD Career Connections: Science Publishing**
Thursday, May 1
Featuring Mirella Bucci, PhD, Senior Editor, Nature Chemical Biology
Annual Career Symposium: Exploring Avenues to Careers in Academia
Friday, May 30

Other Events
CIRTL Coffee Hour for Postdocs: Networking, Monday, April 14
Choosing Your Research Project, Mentor, and Team, CRC Research Skills Workshop, Friday, April 18
Building an Inclusive Community to Increase Recruitment: Making Room for Multicultural Dynamics, CRC Research Skills Workshop, Friday, April 25
CIRTL Coffee Hour for Postdocs: The Voice of Experience, Monday, May 12
VICC Retreat, “Predictive Oncology,” Thursday, May 15
Change and Resilience, CRC Research Skills Workshop, Friday, May 16

Spotlight
The AAAS blog, Driving Force, posted a recent article about “Tips for Picking the Perfect Postdoc Position” that gives 10 helpful tips on that next career move. The article, as well as the rest of the AAAS Driving Force blog, is a valuable read.

Job Postings
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.

Below is a digest of the available jobs that have been posted on the Career Development blog in the past few weeks. If you’re interested in being notified of job postings as we receive them, subscribe to the RSS feed on the blog.

- Postdoc, Division of Hematology/Oncology, Vanderbilt Ingram Cancer Center
- Postdoc, Cell Therapy and Imaging, Vanderbilt University Institute of Imaging Science
- Research Instructor, Thomas Jefferson University
- Associate or Full Professor, Infectious Disease Research, University of Nebraska Medical Center
- Staff Scientist, Bioinformatics, NIH Center for Human Immunology, Autoimmunity and Inflammation
- Assorted jobs with the FDA’s Center for Devices and Radiological Health