EVENTS of the FORTNIGHT

Deadline TODAY for

**2016 Summer Intensive for Entrepreneurship and Commercialization short course**

**ASPIRE Postdoctoral Cafe**

**ASPIRE to Plan: Ready, Set, Goal Series, Part II: "Set"**

Tuesday, May 10 • 350 Light Hall • 9:00am

*Featuring Kim Petrie, PhD, BRET Director of Career Development*

*Focus:* Part II of her three part series, "Ready, Set, Goal!"

**CV/Resume Drop-In Clinic**

Every Wednesday • 12:30-1:30pm • Light Hall 340

ANNOUNCEMENTS

This summer, the BRET Office of Career Development is offering the **2016 Summer Intensive for Entrepreneurship and Commercialization**, a short course for biomedical sciences (including biomedical engineering) and chemistry PhD students and postdoctoral fellows interested in learning fundamental business principles of commercializing a scientific innovation. The deadline to apply is today!
The next issue of the Research and Discussions BRET newsletter is out. The newsletter covers achievements of current trainees as well as alumni, with all stories written by trainees.

We are exactly one month away from the 2016 BRET Annual Career Symposium, "Research and Development Careers in Industry." Join us on June 2... registration required!

**Writing Opportunity:** The Vanderbilt Diabetes Center is developing a quarterly e-newsletter that focuses on research efforts of Vanderbilt researchers. They need writers!

The Vanderbilt Summer Science Academy (VSSA) is looking for graduate students and postdocs to coordinate the **VSSA 14th Annual Student Research Symposium**. The symposium will be held August 4th in the RRB 3rd Floor Breezeway and Light Hall 214.

There are **several local job opportunities available**... please scroll down to the bottom of the newsletter to see them.

**Bain Consulting** offers a one-day summer **externship**. If accepted, the ASPIRE program may provide funding!

The University of Birmingham and University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign have a strategic partnership and are jointly recruiting for an exciting new fellowship initiative, the **Birmingham-Illinois BRIDGE Fellowship programme**, to recruit top postdoctoral researchers in six identified areas that span the interests of UoB and Illinois researchers.

UPCOMING EVENTS
2016 Summer Intensive for Entrepreneurship and Commercialization

Deadline is today!

Postdoctoral Cafe:
ASPIRE to Plan: Ready, Set, Goal Series, Part II: "Set"
Tuesday, May 10
9:00am
350 Light Hall
Featuring Kim Petrie, PhD, BRET Director of Career Development
Focus: Part II of her three part series: Ready, Set, Goal! The second session of the Ready, Set, Goal series will help postdocs set the stage for career success.
We will present a framework for career planning, discuss career decision-making, and identify useful resources for career development. While each of these three sessions is designed to stand alone, maximum benefit can be obtained by attending all three.

Beer and Biotech
Sponsored by the Life Science Tennessee Academic Alliance
Tuesday, May 10

RCR Day
Monday, May 16
8:00am-5:30pm
Light Hall 208
ASPIRE Cafe for Postdoctoral Fellows: "Workplace Work Styles"
Tuesday, May 24
9:00am
Light Hall 350

And... the biggest event of the year!

2016 BRET Annual Career Symposium
"Research and Development Careers in Industry"
Thursday, June 2, 2016
Student Life Center
Registration is required for attendance!

ASPIRE Cafe for Postdoctoral Fellows: "ASPIRE to Plan: Ready, Set Goal, Part III"
Featuring Kim Petrie, PhD, BRET Director of Career Development
Tuesday, June 14
9:00am
Light Hall 350

ASPIRE Cafe for Postdoctoral Fellows: "Informational Interviewing"
Featuring Ashley Brady, PhD
Tuesday, June 28
9:00am
Light Hall 350

ASPIRE INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Current Internship Opportunities through the BRET Office of Career Development:

SyBBURE Searle Undergrad Scientific Advisor Internship:

The SyBBURE Searle Undergraduate Research Program (sybbure.org) supports the year-round research of a diverse group of students and provides a culture of creativity, innovation, and teamwork that serves to incubate the minds of the next generation of scientists, engineers, researchers, and inventors.
Positions are available for graduate students and post-doctoral fellows to serve in the role of Scientific Advisor to undergraduate researchers in the SyBBURE Searle program. The time commitment for this role is approximately four hours per week and compensation is provided. While we will consider individuals from all areas, we have a particular need for individuals with knowledge in synthetic biology, genetics, computational modeling, computer science, and diagnostics.

**INTERNSHIP OUTSIDE ASPIRE**

Check out the new BRET-curated [Internships Outside of ASPIRE](#) list! Currently at 86 Listings!

*Use this link to identify exciting programs in all career areas including consulting, pharma/biotech, policy, government research, and non-profits, among others. If you find something that interests you, please let us know and the ASPIRE Program can help you with details and logistics.*

There is also a new web portal to identify Federally-sponsored STEM Internships and Fellowships. Check it out at this link: [https://medschool.vanderbilt.edu/career-development/blog/new-web-portal-identify-federally-sponsored-stem-internships-and-fellowships](https://medschool.vanderbilt.edu/career-development/blog/new-web-portal-identify-federally-sponsored-stem-internships-and-fellowships)

**Featured Internships Outside of ASPIRE** (see the link for a full list and more details):

- **Office of Science and Technology Policy; Policy Internship Program** (deadline June 28, 2016 for Spring 2017 session): Unpaid opportunity for graduate students to work in a variety of different government offices in Washington, D.C., including the Office of Science, Technology & Innovation, or National Security and Int’l Affairs. Three month opportunity, 16 hours per week.
- **Insight Data Science Fellows Program** (Deadline June 27, 2016, 2016): An intensive, paid, seven week post-doctoral training fellowship bridging the gap between academia and data science.
- **Alzheimer’s Drug Discovery Foundation, Scientific Internships** (Deadline N/A): Hours are flexible but 10hrs per week preferred, unpaid position in New York, NY for graduate students and postdocs. Support this non-profit by helping with scientific literatures reviews, drafting reports, and writing scientific communications.
In an effort to simplify the information found on the often-updated Office of Career Development Blog, job postings can be found on Twitter. Find a tutorial on this feature on our blog.

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 or Remote Opportunities**

**Analyst, Proactive Worldwide, REMOTE OPPORTUNITY** (Interested? Check this out.)

**Health Information Systems Project Manager 1, VICTR, Nashville, TN**

**IT Project Manager/Data Scientist, VICTR, Nashville, TN**

**HR Advanced Analytics, local startup, Nashville, TN**

**Postdoctoral Fellowship, Cutaneous Imaging, Vanderbilt-Ingram Cancer Center, Nashville, TN**

**Bioinformatics Scientist, Personalized Medicine, Sarah Cannon Research Institute Clinical Operations, Nashville, TN**

**Assistant Director, Biology Teaching and Learning, University of Tennessee-Knoxville**

**Associate/Associate Professor, Center for Immunology and Microbial Disease, Albany Medical College, Albany, NY**

**Faculty Position, Dept of Bioinformatics, University of North Carolina, Charlotte, NC**

**Associate/Professor, STEM Education, Michigan State University**

**Science Education Partnership Director, Seattle, WA**

**STEM Director, Children Now, Oakland, CA**

**Health Scientist Administrator (2 positions), National Institute of General Medical Sciences, Bethesda, MD**
Other Opportunities

Laboratory Coordinator, Biological Sciences, University of Georgia, Athens, GA

Postdoctoral Scientist, Pharmacology, Bayer Pharma, Berlin, Germany

Academic Professional, Dept of Biology, University of North Carolina, Greensboro, NC

Visiting Assistant Professor, Chemistry, Goshen College, Goshen, IN

Educational & Awards Program Specialist, American Association of Immunologists, Rockville, MD

Delivery Science Clinical Informatics Research Fellowship, Kaiser Permanente Div of Research Delivery, Oakland, CA

Director of Education, MOXI, Wolf Museum of Exploration + Innovation, Santa Barbara, CA

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