Register Now to Present a Poster

Postdoctoral Appreciation Week Symposium
Theme– Communication Matters
Friday, September 19th from 1:00 – 6:00 PM
College of Medicine Auditorium and Atrium

Click here to register to present a poster. The last day to register to present a poster is August 29th, 2014

Symposium Program
1:00 Keynote Speaker- Sir Harry Kroto “How to Survive”
2:00 Communication Workshop- Dr. Jeanette De Diemar, Associate Vice President | Integrated Marketing & Communications
3:00 Postdoctoral Scholars Poster Session (Group 1)
3:30 Postdoctoral Scholars Poster Session (Group 2)
4:00 Reception
4:30 Poster Awards Presentation and Closing Remarks: Dr. Nancy Marcus, Dean of the Graduate School

Click here to register to attend the symposium, please share this link with your mentor and lab members as the entire FSU community is invited.

Part time intern position available in FSU’s Technology Commercialization Office

This is a part time intern position which will provide insight into and experience in technology transfer procedures and practices through working on actual commercialization activities and observing office activities. The position will require at least 10 – 15 hours per week, with some flexibility, working with the staff in the Office of Commercialization. Initial activities will entail activities such as market analysis, commercial assessment of inventions or prior art searches as expertise and need determine and producing summaries of disclosed technologies. The position will provide experience and an understanding of an alternative career.

It is preferable for the intern to have a biological or chemical background. We do require that the intern have the full support of their post-doctoral advisor.

If you are interested in this position please send a cover letter and a copy of your resume/CV to Brent Edington at bedington@fsu.edu by September 3, 2014 at 5pm.

Please direct all questions to
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Upcoming Career Development Events

Do you know how to use the wide range of multi-media in FSU’s Technology Enhanced Classrooms (TEC) effectively?
Friday, September 5, 2014; 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm
Bellamy, 021
Presenter: Wayne Wilson, TEC Trainer
The TEC classrooms are outfitted with LCD projectors, document cameras, wireless microphones, VCRs, PC, MAC, touchscreens, DVD players, CD players, remote mouse, often two screens, overhead projectors and more. Using multi-media properly can enhance teaching, therefore the emphasis of this workshop is selecting and using multi-media optimally. Registration is required, https://jfe.qualtrics.com/form/SV_chosuHIuOR1CCZn

Are you prepared to use Netiquette in your online communication?
Thursday, September 11, 2014; 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm
Scholars Commons, 5A, Strozier Library
Presenter: Dr. Joe Clark, Assistant Director for Instructional Development, FSU Office of Distance Learning
Do you use netiquette when you communicate online as a graduate student, instructor or postdoc? During this workshop you will gain an understanding of both positive and negative online etiquette, also known as “netiquette”. Are you aware that words “once on the web” will always “remain on the web” somewhere? What is the best length of messages? How much should you share online? Attend this workshop to improve your online presence. Registration is required, visit https://fsu.qualtrics.com/SE/?SID=SV_0d0z4RtE5Ifi0Bv

Improving your English with Native Accent
Thursday, September 11, 2014; 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm
102 Hecht House
Presenter: Dr. Jennifer Grill, International TA Program
In this information session, you will learn about “Native Accent”, an online pronunciation program developed by Carnegie Speech and designed for self-study. The Center for Intensive English Studies has a “School Partnership Agreement” with Carnegie Speech that allows FSU students, faculty and staff to purchase an 18 week license for $75.00 (normally $300.00). Registration is required at https://jfe.qualtrics.com/form/SV_42cVwZ3aW8kAOAl

Jobs
Below is a sampling of open positions around the world

Lecturer in the Department of Biology
https://unc.peopleadmin.com/postings/47774
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Epithelial/Renal Physiologist
http://www.the-aps.org/fm/jobs-2/Research-Scientist-Positions/NHLBI
Department of Health and Human Services, National Institutes of Health, Maryland

Instructor for two first-year, project based courses
https://yalesurvey.qualtrics.com/CP/File.php?F=F_41KQwga5KshzOuN
Rice University, Texas

BioChemist (PhD) Entry Level
DuPont, Delaware

Lecturer of Mechanical Engineering
http://nau.edu/Human-Resources/Careers/Faculty-and-Administrator-Openings/ (job ID #600999)
Northern Arizona University, Arizona

Associate Consultant
Assistant Professor of Physics  
https://chroniclevitae.com/jobs/0000843429-01  
University of the Sciences in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Research Scientist, Joint Institute for Advanced Materials  
https://ut.taleo.net/careersection/ut_knoxville/jobdetail.ftl?job=14000000UZ  
The University of Tennessee Knoxville, Tennessee

Assistant Researcher in Sustainable Farming Systems (Fruits and Nuts)  
https://chroniclevitae.com/jobs/0000843275-01  
University of Hawaii at Manoa, Hawaii

Tech Lead/Manager, YouTube Video Infrastructure  
https://www.google.com/about/careers/search?src=Online/Job+Board/indeed&utm_source=indeed&utm_medium=jobaggr&utm_campaign=freeaggr#!t=jo&jid=36575001  
YouTube, California

Subscribe to receive personalized job announcement emails  
http://florida state.biocareers.com/  
http://www.academickeys.com/all/subscribe.php  
http://jobs.phds.org/alert.new  
http://www.fiercebiotech.com/jobs/

Fellowships

Postdoctoral Research Associateship Program: NRC, National Academies  
http://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/RAP/PGA_046398.htm  
Deadline: September 1, 2014

Travel Fellowships for Science Writers (multiple opportunities)  
http://www.sciencewriters2014.org/faq/how-can-i-apply-travel-fellowship  
Deadlines: September 3, 2014

Life Sciences Research Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship Program  
http://www.lsrf.org/home  
Deadline: October 1, 2014

Jessup and McHenry Awards  
http://www.anssp.org/research/fellowships-endowments/jessup-mchenry/  
Deadline: October 1, 2014

Congressional Policy Fellowship  
https://www.biophysics.org/Awards/GrantsOpportunities/PolicyFellowship/tabid/5482/Default.aspx  
Deadline: October 14, 2014
Postdoctoral Research Fellowships in Biology – NSF
http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=503622
Deadline: October 14, 2014

Endeavour Research Fellowships and Endeavour Postgraduate Scholarship
http://orau.org/endeavourscholarships/

The American Society for Cell Biology Local Meeting Funds
http://www.ascb.org/local-meetings

Use the following databases to identify additional opportunities (click on the links) – Pivot, Foundation Center

Career Development Webinars and Blogs

Presentation is Important
http://biocareers.com/bio-careers-blog/presentation-important
A reminder that your exterior is a reflection of your interior.

Tips for Giving Criticism
http://biocareers.com/bio-careers-blog/tips-giving-criticism
Taking criticism is hard. Giving criticism is hard. Giving criticism in ways that can be taken by the listener, is an art form.

Free NPA Membership

FSU is a sustaining member of the National Postdoctoral Association (NPA). This membership provides free affiliate membership to all FSU postdoctoral scholars. Benefits of joining the NPA include:

- A subscription to the NPA’s official quarterly newsletter
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- Networking opportunities with colleagues nationwide

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