

# PHD CAREER & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT UPDATES

A bi-weekly supplement to the Campus-Wide Career E-Newsletter, specifically for Current PhD students and Postdocs.  
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## Upcoming Events



**Learn from Graduate Alumni  
Explore Career Paths  
Develop Your Networking Skills**

**Register Today!**  
9 Panels and 3 Networking Sessions  
**Only 10 spaces left!**



### Biotech in Maryland

Panel from 11am-12 noon, Monday, April 2, followed by "office hours" from 1-4 pm where you can talk one-on-one with a company rep.

Join [Smithers Avanza](#), [Personal Genome Diagnostics](#), [EAG Laboratories](#) and [NIAIDAA](#) for a discussion on the growing biotech region of DC, MD & VA. Did you know that this area has seen tremendous growth in the biotech industry in the last five years and expects even more growth in the coming years?

**HEALTHCARE  
CAREER WEEK**  
Data/  
IT/  
Consulting

### Data Science in the Healthcare Industry

Healthcare IT, Data & Consulting panel from 11 am - 12 noon, Tuesday, April 3, followed by "office hours" from 2-4 pm with representatives from iQ Solutions, WebFirst, everseat and certify. [More info](#)



## Interested in a Career in Data Science?

[The Data Incubator](#) is an intensive 8 week fellowship that prepares masters students, PhDs, and postdocs in STEM and social science fields seeking industry careers as data scientists. All sections will be from 2018-06-18 to 2018-08-10. Who Should Apply: Anyone who has already obtained a

masters or PhD degree or who is within one year of graduating with a masters or PhD is welcome to apply. Applications from international students are welcome. [More info.](#)

## GEOGRAPHICAL SCIENCES CAREER & INTERNSHIP FAIR



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**Friday, April 6, 2018, 9:30 am -12:30 pm**

[List of Employers](#)

Public, private and non-profit organizations will be in attendance to fill internship and full-time positions, as well as network with undergraduate and graduate students. All majors are welcomed.

**CBS**  
Entertainment Diversity & Inclusion

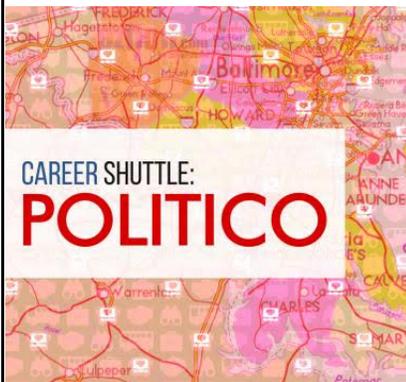
**CBS ON TOUR:**  
A special conversation with Executive Vice President of Communications for CBS Corporation & UMD Alumnus,  
**Chris Ender '86**  
Monday,  
**April 9**  
**5:30 p.m.**  
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**7:00 p.m.**  
Eaton Theatre,  
**Knight Hall**  
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Hosted jointly with the  
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Virtual Career Fair | Hire Big 10 Plus  
April 11, 2018

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**Thursday, April 12, 8:30 am - 1 pm**

Register: [go.umd.edu/cspolitico](http://go.umd.edu/cspolitico)

Founded in 2007, Politico is a global news & information organization that focuses on politics and policy. Students of all majors (undergraduate & graduate) are welcome to attend, though you should have a demonstrated interest in positions involving writing, editing, journalism, production, media, business/sales and/or design. Space is limited.

### Career & Professional Development Workshops of Interest to PhDs

- 4/3 12-1:00 pm [Managing Your Career](#) - Part of Grad Appreciation Week, Charles Carroll A (Stamp 2203)
- 4/5 12-1:00 pm [Leveraging Your LinkedIn Profile](#) - Part of Grad Appreciation Week, Benjamin Banneker B (Stamp 2212)
- 4/5 1-3:00 pm [Get Your LinkedIn Photo Taken](#). Check in Benjamin Banneker B following the LinkedIn workshop
- 4/9 12-1:15 pm [Writing an Effective Teaching Philosophy Statement](#) (CIRTL)
- 4/10 3-4:00 pm [Advanced job Search Strategies](#)
- 4/12 12-1:30pm [Teaching Hacks: 10 things that make teaching more effective](#) (Offered by the TLTC)
- 4/12 12-1:15 pm [Science Communication for Any Audience](#) (CIRTL)
- 4/13 12-1:30 pm [Effectively Telling Your Story](#) to an Employer (AKA Interviewing)
- 4/25 4-5:30 pm [Industry Job Search](#)
- 4/26 11:30-1 pm [Academic Job Search](#)

[Events for Engineers \(Click image to see full calendar and register\)](#)



## [Create Your Account & Sign Up Today](#)

4/12/18 [Inclusive Teaching in Science](#)

4/26/18 [Inclusive Teaching in Mathematics and Informatics](#)

## Resources & Tools



### Careers4Terps YouTube Video Tutorials

Learn the basics of how to use C4T to schedule career advising appointments, search and apply for jobs, access the Vault online career library, and use Interview Stream to practice typical interview questions. PhDs and postdocs already have a FREE account—simply complete or update your profile to activate your account.

### CIRTL Network Workshops and Courses Create Your Free Account Today!

If you are preparing for an academic career check out CIRTL! Consortium universities offer FREE ONLINE professional development training for graduate students and faculty related to implementing and advancing effective teaching practices for diverse student audiences. Learn more about teaching careers, mentoring, research methods, and teaching and assessment best practices.

GoinGlobal is available inside of your Careers4Terps account. It is useful for PhDs searching for jobs outside of the US and contains career guides for 90 locations, international job and internship postings database, and information about employers hiring international students. Watch the instructional videos to get started. Schedule a follow up appointment through C4T to discuss your job search.



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transformation center

If you are preparing for an academic career, TLTC programs and services should be a part of your professional development plan! The TLTC provides faculty, students, and staff with training, resources, professional development activities, and individualized consultation to transform their classrooms and careers. Attend their teaching portfolio and teaching philosophy statements in preparation for starting your search for a faculty position.



Not sure what you want to do with your PhD? ImaginePhD is a career exploration and planning tool developed specifically for Arts and Humanities and Social Sciences PhDs. Take the online assessments and explore 16 career families. Schedule an appointment through C4T with Dr. Susan Martin to discuss your results and effective strategies for exploring careers that are aligned with your interests and skills.



[myIDP](#)



STEM PhDs can use this tool to explore science careers outside of academia and create an Individual Development Plan. Schedule an appointment through C4T with Dr. Susan Martin to discuss your results and effective strategies for exploring careers that are aligned with your interests and skills.

**ChemIDP**<sup>TM</sup>  
A career planning tool for chemical scientists

ChemIDP is an Individual Development Plan tool designed specifically for graduate students and postdoctoral scholars in the chemical sciences. [Learn more](#). Take the assessments and schedule an

appointment through C4T with Dr. Susan Martin to discuss your results and effective

strategies for exploring careers that are aligned with your interests and skills.



Thinking about non-academic careers? The University of Maryland subscribes to a resource that demystifies non-academic careers and reveals many professions that can utilize the skills you are developing in graduate school. This resource contains real life examples of the resumes, CVs and cover letters of Humanities, Social Science and STEM PhDs and their story about how they landed their job outside of academia. [Learn more](#)

[Visit the Graduate School Website](#)



Questions? Make an appointment with Dr. Susan Martin through [Careers4Terps](#).



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