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Networking with Alumni & Learning about Employers

2020-2021



Employer Virtual Visits for PhDs



The Rita B. Leahy Career Series
Where PhD Training Meets Opportunity

This series of eight virtual employer visits, specifically for PhDs, makes learning about potential employers very convenient for busy doctoral students and postdocs. Attendees will learn about the featured organization and its work culture as well as the types of work that PhDs do and typical entry points for employment. Attendees can also expect to gain valuable advice from UMD PhD alumni and Human Resources professionals about effective networking and job search strategies. Registration links and the details about the featured organization, PhD alumni, and HR professionals presenting at each session are available at go.umd.edu/phdemployervisits.

The Rita B. Leahy Career Series for PhDs brings current doctoral students, postdocs, and Maryland alumni together to meet and explore career opportunities for PhDs. Each session of the series focuses on one broad career area and features alumni from different disciplines doing meaningful work related to that area. The 2020-2021 series features eight sessions focused on careers in: research, data science, biotechnology, federal agencies, policy and advocacy, entrepreneurial ventures, communications, and public health. Specific dates and times, registration links, and the names of the alumni speakers for each session are listed on the series website go.umd.edu/leahyseries.

Friday, September 25
Noon-1 p.m.

Friday, October 16
Noon-1 p.m.

Friday, November 13
Noon-1 p.m.

Friday, January 29
Noon-1 p.m.

Friday, February 19
Noon-1 p.m.

Friday, March 26
Noon-1 p.m.

Friday, April 16
Noon-1 p.m.

Friday, June 18
Noon-1 p.m.

Wednesday, September 30
3-4 p.m.

Tuesday, October 20
3-4 p.m.

Thursday, November 19
3-4 p.m.

Thursday, January 14
3-4 p.m.

Tuesday, February 9
3-4 p.m.

Wednesday, March 3
3-4 p.m.

Tuesday, April 6
3-4 p.m.

Thursday, June 10
3-4 p.m.

Information about speakers and registration links for the Employer Virtual Visits are available at: go.umd.edu/phdemployervisits and for the Rita B. Leahy Career series at: go.umd.edu/leahyseries.