GRADUATE DIVISION 2015-16 PROGRAMMING PREVIEW
(dates TBA unless otherwise noted)

FALL 2015

Applying for an NSF Fellowship: Advice and Information Panel  ▶ Oct 1  ▶ 3-4:30p  ▶ SRB MPR
Panel discussion with faculty and graduate students knowledgeable in the NSF application process

Personal Finance for PhDs  ▶ Oct 21
Talk by Emily Roberts, PhD in Biomedical Engineering who now does full-time consulting on personal finance topics, including writing for Vitae and Inside Higher Ed

Funding Workshops
A variety of finding funding and personal finance workshops led by the Funding Peer Advisor

Cheeky Scientist: Careers in Industry  ▶ Oct 14
Talk on how STEM students can break into industry sectors

Academic Job Search Faculty Panels
One for HFA and SS; one for STEM

Career Pathways
Panel discussion with professionals in a variety of non-academic fields

Likely topic for Fall: Jobs in University Administration

Creating a CV Workshop  ▶ Nov 3  ▶ 10a-12p  ▶ SRB 2154
Led by the Professional Development Peer Advisor

IRB Workshop  ▶ Nov 19  ▶ 3-4:30p  ▶ SRB MPR
Co-hosted by the Office of Research, workshop on going through the IRB approval process

Versatile PhD Informational Workshop  ▶ Oct 20  ▶ 11-11:30a  ▶ Career Services CRR
An introductory workshop on all the offerings of the Versatile PhD website

Dissertation and Thesis Filing Workshops  ▶ Oct 22 & Nov 17  ▶ 10a-12p  ▶ SRB MPR
Offerings pre-checks, information on policies and procedures, and tips on formatting

Writing Workshops
A variety of academic and non-academic writing workshops (such as how to write a cover letter, how to approach introduction paragraphs, etc.) led by the Writing Peer Advisor

Graduate Writers’ Room  ▶ Sep 29-Dec 3  ▶ TR 9a-12p W 1-4p  ▶ SRB 1103
A dedicated writing space for graduate students offering coffee, snacks, and moral support

WINTER 2016

Soft Skills Workshops
Led by Turi Honegger from CAPS; topics include emotional intelligence, difficult conversations, etc.

Communication and Presentation Skills Series

Stage Skills for Academic Presenters
A workshop on using the power of movement, body, and voice to engage an audience

Captivating an Audience with Your Research Story
Led by Jeff Hanson from the Writing Program

Peer Advisor Presentation on Presentations
Led by 2-3 Graduate Division Peer Advisors, covering both academic and non-academic presentations, includes run-throughs of Grad Slam talks

Fundamentals of Grant Writing
Workshop on how to write a successful grant

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(WINTER 2016 CONTINUED)

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Likely topic for Winter: Jobs in Nonprofit Organizations

California Council on Science and Technology (CCST) Fellows Recruitment Event
Presentation and information session

Conference Planning 101 Workshop
Introduction for graduate students and postdocs on how to organize a speaking event or conference

Crafting Your Digital Reputation Workshop
Led by the Professional Development Peer Advisor

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SPRING 2016

Graduate Student Showcase and Grad Slam ➔ April 4-15
Two-week-long celebration and showcase of graduate student work

Beyond Academia Conference
Graduate student-led conference about careers outside of and alongside academia

Academic Publishing Faculty Panels
Two panel discussions (one for HFA and SS, one for STEM) with faculty members knowledgeable of the editorial process

Academic Publishing Workshop
Focusing on how to turn course papers into publications, led by the Professional Development Peer Advisor

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Fulbright Fellowship Information Session
Led by Robert Hamm of the Graduate Division

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