



## Junior Faculty and Advanced Graduate Student

### Workshop

**September 17, 2010 • 11 – 2 p.m. • Rackham Graduate School, Executive Board Room**

Public scholarship continues to gain momentum within academe as a scholarly genre among the continuum of knowledge production. Yet it evokes many questions: What does it mean to be a publicly engaged scholar? How can graduate students and early career scholars develop essential skills for engaged scholarship? What are the career opportunities for public scholarship within and outside the academy? What strategies can assist in writing about and presenting public scholarship in traditional academic disciplines? What are the best ways to communicate/explain/translate public scholarly practice and results for multiple audiences? What strategies are there for representing public scholarship in job applications and cover letters, promotion and tenure portfolios, grant applications and exhibit proposals.

This workshop will explore professional development strategies for graduate students and early career faculty. Presenters will discuss recent trends both within higher education and alternative career settings. Participants are asked to preregister in order to receive optional advance readings and to share a one paragraph intellectual biography that could be used in letters of application, promotion and tenure materials or biographical introductions.

### Workshop Facilitators



Kelly Quinn is Assistant Professor at Miami University. She examines the dynamic relationship between people and places in her research and teaching and is keenly interested in the confluence of the arts, humanities, design and social justice.



Timothy K. Eatman is Assistant Professor of Higher Education and Director of Research for Imagining America. An educational sociologist, Tim conducts research on policy and practice to support publicly engaged scholarship and a range of equity issues in higher education. He has been selected to receive the 2010 Early Career Research Award for the International Association for Research on Service Learning and Community Engagement.

In addition, a panel of newly-minted PhDs and current doctoral students will discuss their personal experiences with the academic and non-profit job markets.

**We will serve lunch! Please email Kamilah at [kamilahh@umich.edu](mailto:kamilahh@umich.edu) to reserve your space in the workshop and to receive advance materials.**