

Professional Development and Career Planning

Fall 2022 Highlights

Be sure to view the LGS [Professional Development and Career Planning Calendar](#) for a detailed look at all of the activities taking place to support the professional development and career planning of LGS graduate students.

One-on-One Career Coaching

Graduate Students are invited to sign up for one-on-one coaching with Laney's career coaches. **Sign Up for a Coaching Appointment at: bit.ly/emorylaneypdcp**

LGS Career Coaches also offer trainings and workshops throughout the semester. This semester, we are pleased to offer the following sessions:

Strategies for Professional Success from LGS Career Coaches

Date: September 23, 2022 ♦ **Time:** 10:00 am to 12:00 pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

Build Your Academic CV

Date: October 6, 2022 ♦ **Time:** 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

Strengths-Based Interviewing

Date: October 21, 2022 ♦ **Time:** 9:00 am to 12:00 pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

Challenging Negative Career Beliefs: Discovering What Could be Holding You Back

Date: October 25, 2022 ♦ **Time:** 10:00 am to 12:00 pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

Developing Your Own Personal Branding for Career Success

Date: November 14, 2022 ♦ **Time:** 10:00 am to 12:00 pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

Strengths-Based Networking

Date: November 15, 2022 ♦ **Time:** 9:00 am to 12:00 pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

Business Concepts Course for Life Scientists, from iBiology

This course will enhance PhD scientists' understanding of foundational business concepts. This business coursework is unique because it is designed to prepare scientists for career transitions into both academic and non-academic settings. Instructors Dr. Thi Nguyen and Deb Dauber, PhD will help doctoral students and postdocs understand how biopharma enterprises operate beyond the bench. Participants who attend all four sessions will have completed work to obtain a certificate in Business Concepts from iBiology. Contact the PDCP Team (lgs.profdev@emory.edu) if you would like to participate.

Part 1: Intro to Business Strategy

Date: October 17, 2022 ♦ **Time:** 3:00 to 5:00 pm

Part 2: Strategy Toolkit

Date: October 24, 2022 ♦ **Time:** 3:00 to 5:00 pm

Part 3: Intro to Business Development

Date: October 31, 2022 ♦ **Time:** 3:00 to 5:00 pm

Part 4: Finance

Date: November 7, 2022 ♦ **Time:** 3:00 to 5:00 pm

Jones Program in Ethics: Selected JPE 610 Sessions

The following activities are eligible for JPE 610 credit for LGS students who sign up in advance. This is only a selected list; to see the full schedule of JPE 610 activities or to learn how to sign up for a JPE 610 session, visit the JPE 610 homepage on the [LGS website](#). LGS students must attend four JPE 610 sessions in order to graduate.

JPE 610: How to Translate Academia into Accessible, Memorable Story (2 Sessions Available)

Date: September 21, 2022 ♦ **Time:** 10:00am to 12:00pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

Date: October 18, 2022 ♦ **Time:** 10:00am to 12:00pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

JPE 610: What's Ethical About Data?

Date: September 27, 2022 ♦ **Time:** 3:00 to 4:30pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

Networking Opportunities

National Nuclear Security Administration (NNSA) Graduate Fellowship Information Session

Date: September 29, 2022 ♦ **Time:** 12:00 to 1:00pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

IQVIA Information Session

Date: October 13, 2022 ♦ **Time:** 5:00 to 6:00pm ♦ Registration information forthcoming

BeiGene Information Session

Date: October 19, 2022 ♦ **Time:** 9:00 to 10:00am ♦ Registration information forthcoming

Advanced Fellowship Information Sessions

National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship Program (NSF-GRFP) Webinar

Date: September 26, 2022 ♦ **Time:** 3:00 to 4:00pm ♦ Register [here](#) by September 26.

Dean's Teaching Fellowship AY23-24 Information Session (Zoom)

Date: October 7, 2022 ♦ **Time:** 3:30 to 4:30pm ♦ Register [here](#) by October 5.

Online Resources for Graduate Students

Aurora, by Beyond the Professoriate

The Laney Graduate School is pleased to offer LGS graduate students to Beyond the Professoriate's professional development training platform Aurora. The platform offers recorded workshops in preparing for a range of career paths, panels and interviews with PhDs working in a variety of positions, and an interactive workbook to help guide you through the career exploration and application process.

[Access the tool here.](#) (You must be a current LGS student to authenticate. Select "Login through your institution" and select Emory University.)

Professional Development and Career Planning Resource Repository

Over the last year, we have accumulated recordings and resources related to our offices' trainings for graduate students. We have made these available on our PDCP Resource Repository, which is a Canvas page that may be accessed by permission.

To request access, please contact the PDCP Team (lgs.profdev@emory.edu). Once you have been granted access, you may [access the Resource Repository here](#).

Interfolio Dossier Service

The Laney Graduate School is again able to offer a limited number of access codes for a free Interfolio dossier account to graduate students who are nearing completion, are entering the job market, and plan to use the service. The supply of codes is very limited and there are some restrictions on how it may be used. Please contact the PDCP Team (lgs.profdev@emory.edu) to request a code.

Other Special Online Tools Available to Graduate Students

As a student in the Laney Graduate School, you have access to many subscription-based online resources for building skills and exploring careers. We have created a list of these online resources to help our students find the tools they are looking for.

[View other special online tools here.](#)

Future Offerings

SciPhD: Business of Science Webinar Series

The Laney Graduate School and the Office of Postdoctoral Education have partnered to offer the four-week SciPhD: Business of Science Webinar Series. This series of webinars will cover all aspects of finding, preparing for, interviewing for, and negotiating job opportunities in industries available to scientists in all fields. The webinars will assist with combining your scientific, business, and social skills to make you competitive for a professional career.

Registration for the fall cohort is closed. Future offerings will be advertised in the Laney Grad Report.

NIH Resilience Training Program

The Laney Graduate School and the Office of Postdoctoral Education have partnered to offer a virtual program through the NIH Office of Intramural Training and Education (OITE) on Becoming a Resilient Scientist. Participants will be asked to watch various webinars on their own time, followed by a synchronous discussion with the program cofacilitators. Please note that because this is a pilot program from the NIH intended to train our facilitators, an observer from the NIH will be attending all small group discussions.

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