

Graduate Student Webinars & Events



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What PhDs Need to Know about the Academic Job Market

Wednesday, April 2, 9:00-10:00 am | Location: Zoom

If you're thinking about going on the academic job market this fall, part of your preparation will involve evaluating your readiness to apply for faculty positions. And if you're still deciding between an academic and a non-academic career, one factor to consider is the availability of jobs in your discipline and your competitiveness for those positions. Join this webinar to learn about the state of the academic market and how to prepare.



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Negotiate Like a Pro: The Art of Salary Negotiation for Graduate Students

Tuesday, April 8, 3:00-4:30 pm | Location: GPSRC (310 Gateway Study Center & Zoom)

Ready to get paid what you're worth? This workshop will equip graduate students with essential strategies and tactics to confidently negotiate salary offers and secure better compensation. You'll learn how to assess offers, navigate tough conversations, and leverage your unique skills and qualifications to advocate for yourself. Whether you're entering academia, industry, or a startup, gain the tools you need to approach salary negotiations with confidence and secure the best possible deal.



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Using AI in Your Job Search

Wednesday, April 16, 9:00-10:00 am | Location: Zoom

As AI tools have emerged and grown in popularity, many PhDs and postdocs wonder if it is helpful to use generative AI to write their resumes or cover letters. This webinar focuses on what AI can do and what are its limitations and what you need to know before using AI in your job search.



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Interview for Success: Behavioral Interview Edition

Tuesday, April 22, 12:00-1:30 pm | Location: GPSRC (310 Gateway Study Center & Zoom)

Ace behavioral interview questions with confidence and clarity. In this workshop, graduate students will learn how to effectively use the BART method (Background, Action, Result, Takeaway) to share compelling stories that highlight their skills, experiences, and achievements. Gain valuable insights on what employers are looking for, practice answering real-world questions, and walk away with the tools you need to leave a lasting impression in any interview.

12th Annual PhD Career Conference



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Beyond the Professoriate Virtual PhD Career Conference

Monday, May 5 - Friday, May 9 | Location: Zoom

Beyond Prof's annual career conference is designed to help PhDs quickly learn how to build a foundation for your job search strategy.

Sessions include:

- May 5: What employers actually value about your degree
- May 6: How to write a resume
- May 7: How to network when you don't have a network
- May 8: Using LinkedIn in your job search
- May 9: How to find jobs that will give you stability



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Unlocking the Power of AI and ChatGPT: Strategies for Success in Your Job Search

Tuesday, May 13, 12:30-1:30 pm | Location: GPSRC (310 Gateway Study Center & Zoom)

Let's face it: the job market is undeniably competitive, and standing out now is more challenging than ever. Using Artificial Intelligence (AI) can give you the edge in your job search. In this workshop, you'll explore how AI tools can help you streamline your job search, tailor your resume and cover letter, and uncover opportunities that match your skills and career goals while staying ahead of industry trends. Learn how to make the most of AI-driven resources to enhance your applications and job search strategies, empowering you to navigate the evolving job market with efficiency and confidence.

Additional Resources

UCI Career Fairs

In-Person Spring Career Fair

Week 1 | Thurs, April 10
10 am-2 pm
UCI Student Center

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