Postdoc News

Present your research with a poster or speed talk. Cash awards of up to $500. Deadline for abstract submission is Wednesday October 3, 2018 5 pm.

Not ready to present. See what others are up to, and network away.

We will also have keynote speakers, catered lunch and door prizes. What a fabulous opportunity!

PDFA/GSA Research Day 2018

For application and information

Falling Walls Lab - September 19
A prestigious event at the UofA. Join us for a fantastic opportunity to hear research messages packaged into 3 minutes for a general audience, learn about ideas that are transforming our world, and support your fellow postdocs. Congratulations to postdoctoral fellows Maedeh Roodpeyma and Kevin Hodder who are two of the 15 finalists. More info.

Wednesday, September 19, 2018, 5:30 - 8:30 pm
Room 150, TELUS Centre

What are three qualities of a postdoc?

September 17-22 is National Postdoc Appreciation Week

Add your 3 descriptors that highlight the qualities of a postdoc at www.menti.com and use the code 547088.

We look forward to sharing the outcome on our website and in the next newsletter. Or you can see it evolve here!
Other Upcoming Events - Click items to learn more

1. UofA Library Predatory Publishing - September 20
2. UofA Library Springer Materials Training - Search functions for material property data - Sept 27
3. Mitacs workshops Time Management, Essentials of Productive Teams, Skills of Communication - October 2, 25, and 30 respectively
4. Reading Research Papers and Remembering Them ($20) - October 2
5. Supervisory EHS Professional Development - online - for anyone who is or will be supervising people in Alberta, especially useful in a research facility.
6. Polishing Your Presentations ($25) - October 10, 27
7. Paraphrasing Effectively and Correctly ($20) - October 11
8. Advanced Grammar and Punctuation ($20) - October 12
9. Introduction to Mindfulness, Cultivating Self-Compassion, Happiness, Addressing Anxious Thoughts, Facing Fears and Gaining Control - October 10, 12, 18, 24, and 26 respectively

Career Centre Events

September 20 - Deadline for Job Shadow applications
September 26 - Deadline for Career Mentoring
September 26 - Making the Match sharing your uniqueness through resume building
September 26 - Careers Day to network with employers

Ongoing are Employer information sessions

New “Career Action” for Postdocs/PhDs
The Postdoctoral Fellows Office and Career Centre will be offering several round table discussions to help postdocs/PhDs take action on their careers. Bring your lunch and your questions for a facilitated discussion.

Leading with LinkedIn - October 10
LinkedIn is used by nearly all hiring agencies at some point during their job recruitment. Join Career Coach Tyree McCrackin as he share some key points in writing your leading statements for LinkedIn.

12:05-12:55 in 2-100 SUB (Students Union Bldg)

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