

CHEMISTRY CAREER NEWSLETTER (02/15/18)

JOB INFO

Arrowhead Pharmaceuticals Info Session: Feb 23, 8:30 – 9:30 am, room 9341. Bagels provided.

Arrowhead Pharmaceuticals On-Campus Recruiting: Feb 23, 11:00 am – 3 pm, room 1108. Looking to hire MS or PhD analytical or organic chemists. Deadline to submit resume is Feb 20 at midnight on BuckyNet.

Thorn Smith Labs: Thorn Smith Labs is an educational product company looking to hire someone to modernize the experimental procedures for their educational standards by providing modern context and updating procedures to reflect the most current practices in statistical evaluation of results. If interested, contact Rob Brown (rbrown@thornsmithlabs.com, 414-365-8005). Tracy Oudenhoven Reitz (toudenhoven@chem.wisc.edu) worked for them and can share information about the position.

Cabot Microelectronics Corporation: Aurora, IL. There are currently two positions available in R&D at Cabot Microelectronics Corporation (CMC): Intern and Research Scientist. See attachments for both job descriptions and where to learn more. Contact is Tina Li (Tina_Li@cabotcmp.com, 630-375-5424).

Michael Best's Open House: Wed, Feb 21, 5:00 – 6:30pm. If you are seeking a future internship or full-time opportunity and may have an interest in working in the legal industry, please consider attending the open house. The firm seeks STEM students to fill internship and entry-level opportunities in 2019, so we would like to provide general information and an introduction to our attorneys, patent agents, and patent engineers/scientists. Questions or RSVPs can be directed to Joshua (Kale) Engelkemier, (PhD 2016, Fredrickson; jmengelkemier@michaelbest.com).

The Lubrizol Corporation: Wickliffe, Ohio Job opportunity for Ph.D. or M.S. candidates. See <https://jobs.lubrizol.com/job/Wickliffe-Chemist-Ohio-44092/459143900/> Chris Ciolli, (UW Ph.D. Belshaw, 2004) is the hiring manager for this position. Please contact him (440-347-2702 or chris.ciolli@lubrizol.com) if you have any questions.

SEMINARS/WORKSHOPS

Morgridge Entrepreneurial Bootcamp (MEB; formerly the Wisconsin Entrepreneurial Bootcamp): This [program](#) provides graduate students with in depth business training they may not receive in the laboratory. The program runs from June 11-15, but the MEB [application \(linked here\)](#) deadline is March 15.

IP Management Careers Roundtable Seminar: Fri, Feb 16, 12:00pm-1:00pm, School of Pharmacy room 1105. WARF Ambassadors and AAPS is hosting a roundtable seminar, featuring recent UW-Madison alumna Dr. Kate Helmich who is now a patent agent at Quarles & Brady LLP. Event is free and lunch will be provided. Come and learn more about potential careers in intellectual property management and other related tracks. Register [here](#). See attachment for more.

Mellon-Wisconsin Dissertation Writing Camps: Application will become available on Feb 19; applications due March 9. The UW-Madison Writing Center and the UW-Madison Graduate School are pleased to sponsor two Mellon-Wisconsin Dissertation Writing Camps during May 2018. Acceptance in the program is competitive, and participation is limited to 20 dissertators per camp. Camp and application information can be found [here](#).

Effective Emails - Fundamentals in Business Writing: Thur, Feb 22, 9:00am-12:00pm. 21 North Park Street, Room 5045. Register [here](#).

Interacting with the Media: Tips for Scientists: Thur, Feb 22, 4:00pm-5:30pm. Orchard View Room, Discovery Building. Learn from communication experts how to make the most of opportunities when they arise through case studies and helpful tips from the field. A few spaces remain. Register [here](#).

Versatile PhD: Ask Me Anything (AMA): Mon–Wed, Feb 26-28 (online event). Dr. Jenny Furlong and Dr. Joseph Barber help PhDs plan successful careers – Furlong at CUNY Graduate Center and Barber at Penn. Barber maintains an active Zoology presence as consultant, writer and adjunct faculty member, and Furlong is co-author of The Academic Job Search Handbook. Ask them anything! To participate and take advantage of the UW-Madison Versatile PhD subscription, click [here](#) first to set up your confidential account. Then navigate to the Forums tab on the VPhD website.

Why Capable Students Suffer from the Impostor Syndrome and How to Thrive in Spite of It: Tue, Feb 27, 11:00am-1:00pm, Great Hall Memorial Union. Do you chalk your accomplishments as a fluke or “no big deal?” Do you think, “If I can do it, anyone can?” Do you feel like you’re just fooling your professors? Millions of people around the world—from executives to graduate students and their professors to Academy Award winners—secretly worry they’re not as bright and capable as other people “think” they are. It’s called the Impostor Syndrome and there is a cure. Join us for an interactive presentation led by speaker and author, Dr. Valerie Young. Find more Graduate School Professional Development events [here](#).

Be the “master” of your Master’s Degree: Understanding the Process: Thur, March 1, 12:30–2:00pm. This journey through the Master’s degree process will alert you to all of the detailed steps along the way so you’ll be prepared for all of the logistical details that come with completing your Master’s degree. Register [here](#).

Benefits, Taxes, Health Insurance, OH MY! : Tues. March 6th 12-1 pm, Genetics/Biotechnology Center room 1441. You’ve landed your first professional job! Maybe you are close to accepting a job offer or still looking for a job and scared about your financial independence. Evaluating the benefits package can be overwhelming for new college graduates. Attend this workshop to learn all the tips. No required registration.

Midwest Regional SACNAS Research Conference: Sat, April 28. The University of Chicago's Society for the Advancement of Chicanos and Native Americans in Science (SACNAS) Chapter is hosting their first annual Midwest Regional SACNAS Conference at the University of Chicago. The theme is Progress on All Fronts: Personal, Professional, and Social Advancement. The conference will feature speeches from notable advocates for diversity in STEM as well as numerous personal and professional development sessions. To be considered for a presentation, register [here](#) and submit a 200 word abstract by March 30. If you wish to attend but not present, register [here](#). Follow the event on [Facebook](#).

SuccessWorks Resources: Some great opportunities are coming up for your career planning and development! SuccessWorks, with the College of Letters and Science, will be hosting some events related to interviewing skills, benefits information, looking for internships, and more. You can view the attached document for additional information or click [here](#).