BRET Office of Career Development

VIRTUAL ASPIRE OFFERINGS OF THE FORTNIGHT

Lab Dynamics Workshops for Postdocs Applications due today! August 31

ASPIRE American Heart Association Internship, Small Market/Rural Health Deadline: tomorrow, September 1, noon

ASPIRE Job Search Series: Leveraging LinkedIn Thursday, September 3 • 11:00am • Zoom log-in registration required for admittance

ASPIRE Cafe for Postdoctoral Fellows: Preparing a Faculty Position Application Package Thursday, September 10 • 11:00am • Zoom log-in registration required for admittance.

Individual Appointments are virtual!

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Applications for the two **Lab Dynamics Workshops for Postdocs** closes Monday, August 31. Learn more <u>here</u>.

4th and 5th year female graduate students: learn about the local **PEO Scholar award**, a \$20,000 scholarship given out annually to exceptional women who meet the criteria. Learn about

eligibility and application requirements. <u>Your application materials are due September 11 to Kate</u> <u>Stuart.</u> On September 15 and 22, the **Vanderbilt University Advanced Degree Consulting Club** (VUADCC) has organized two upcoming webinars with Peter K., a professional case interview coach, to help prepare graduate students with interviews for management consulting firms.

The **<u>2019-2020 ASPIRE Annual Report</u>** is here! Check out how the ASPIRE Program served you last year.

<u>Code for Nashville</u> has a virtual monthly meet-up. If you are interested in technology, data science, non-profits, or policy, check out these great networking opportunities!

Do you want to build a career in global health research? A year of research training in a low- or middle-income country (LMIC) can be foundational for such a career. Applications for the **Vanderbilt-Emory-Cornell-Duke (VECD) Fogarty Global Health Fellowship** 2021-2022 cohort are now open. This program offers a year-abroad opportunity for US and LMIC postdocs and doctoral students to develop research skills in a global health research setting. Additionally, the **Fulbright-Fogarty Fellowship Program** is accepting applications for the 2021-2022 academic year. The Fulbright-Fogarty program specifies countries and engages students in ongoing research projects (applicants do not have to design or propose a project). Learn more about both and the informational webinar on September 22 via our blog post.

The Black Doctoral Network welcomes current graduate and doctoral students and postdoctoral scholars of all racial backgrounds to participate in their online poster session at the **<u>8th Annual</u> <u>Black Doctoral Network Virtual Conference</u>**, held on October 29-31, 2020.

WHAT'S THIS?



In order to better assist biomedical graduate students and postdoctoral fellows in making decisions about which of the ASPIRE programs and offerings are most beneficial to them at their current stage of training, we are now "stamping" session titles by training stage: early, mid-late, or all. These stamps apply to both grad students and postdocs. Of course, you are welcome to attend whichever sessions are of interest, even if it is marked for a different stage, but the guide will help you decide which sessions are most relevant to you *right now*.

Read more about our staging badges.

ASPIRE EVENTS

ASPIRE Job Search Series: Leveraging LinkedIn

Thursday, September 3 11:00am-noon Zoom log-in registration required for admittance

ASPIRE Cafe for Postdoctoral Fellows:

Preparing a Faculty Position Application Package Thursday, September 10 11:00am Zoom log-in registration required for admittance.

PhD Career Stories: Karen Vieira, PhD

Featuring Dr. Vieira, CEO of The Med Writers Friday, September 18 10:00am <u>Zoom registration required.</u>

ASPIRE Bistro from PhD Students: The Next Step-Applying for a Postdoc or Your Post-Grad Job Thursday, October 8 11:00am Zoom registration required for admittance.









ASPIRE Cafe for Postdoctoral Fellows: What to Expect from a Faculty Interview Thursday, October 15 11:00am Zoom log-in registration required for admittance.

<u>ASPIRE Job Search Series: Writing a Better Cover Letter</u> Thursday, October 22

INTERNSHIP CORNER



The ASPIRE Program is excited to offer <u>ASPIRE Internships</u>, which are advertised on a rolling basis.

Small Market/Rural Health Intern American Heart Association

Fall 2020 (Remote, Unpaid, Part-time)

The Small Market/Rural Health Intern will be supervised by American Heart Association's Vice President, Small Market and Rural Health and will assist in driving AHA's health strategies initiatives throughout eight Southeastern states. These initiatives focus strongly on how to drive impact and change toward the AHA's four focus areas of women's

health, nutrition security, tobacco and vaping, and high blood pressure. The AHA teams working on these issues include Communications, Advocacy, Foundations and Community Impact. The Rural Health Intern will work with various staff on these teams as we research, design, and implement specific programs that impact the community that we serve. <u>Learn more</u>.

Deadline: tomorrow, September 1, noon

For more information on eligibility requirements and how to apply, check out our <u>FAQs page</u>.

DEADLINES



Postdoc Workshops by Carl Cohen Deadline: today! Monday, August 31

<u>Presidential Management Fellows (PMF) Program Informational Webinars</u> Tuesdays in September

ASPIRE Module Deadlines Introduction to the Principles and Practice of Clinical Research: no deadline <u>Maximizing Your Potential: Leading and Managing People, Projects, and Your Career</u>: September 14 <u>EQ + IQ= Career Success</u>: October 12

Fulbright-Fogarty Fellowship Program

Deadline: October 13

Vanderbilt-Emory-Cornell-Duke (VECD) Fogarty Global Health Fellowship Deadline: November 2

Learn how the ASPIRE Program served YOU in 2019-2020!



Check out our Annual Report!

NON-ASPIRE PROGRAMS TO ENHANCE YOUR DEVELOPMENT

The ASPIRE program provides many opportunities for career and professional development, but there are numerous other terrific opportunities at Vanderbilt and in Nashville to test your interests and build your skills and network. <u>This list</u> of potential activities to enhance your career and professional development was originally compiled by VU alumnus Teddy van Opstal, PhD Biological Sciences '18, and we've added to it as we've learned of new developments. Have ideas for the list? <u>Let us know!</u>

See the full listing here.

OTHER EVENTS OF INTEREST



Vanderbilt Science Policy Group (VSPG) Chat with Teddy van Opstal, AAAS Fellow Thursday, September 3 Register for the Zoom event.

<u>Reading for Research</u>

Sponsored by the VU Jean and Alexander Heard Libraries Research Productivity workshop series Tuesday, September 15 • 1-2pm via Zoom

Intro to Consulting Case Interview

Sponsored by the Vanderbilt University Advanced Degree Consulting Club Tuesday, September 15 • 10-11:30am • <u>Registration required.</u>

FAIR Data Practices

Sponsored by the VU Jean and Alexander Heard Libraries Research Productivity workshop series Thursday, September 17 • 1-2pm via Zoom

Global Health Fellowships Info Session

Sponsored by the Vanderbilt Institute for Global Health Tuesday, September 22 • 8:00am Learn about the Vanderbilt-Emory-Cornell-Duke Fogarty Global Health Fellowship and the Fulbright-Fogarty Fellowship Program

<u>Case Interview Structuring</u>

Sponsored by the Vanderbilt University Advanced Degree Consulting Club Tuesday, September 22 • 10-11:30am • <u>Registration required.</u>

Algorithmic Bias in Search and Communication

Sponsored by the VU Jean and Alexander Heard Libraries Research Productivity workshop series Thursday, September 24 • 1-2pm via Zoom

Literature Searching in the Hard Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine

Sponsored by the VU Jean and Alexander Heard Libraries Research Productivity workshop series Tuesday, September 29 • 1-2pm via Zoom

Boosting Your Impact

Sponsored by the VU Jean and Alexander Heard Libraries Research Productivity workshop series Thursday, October 1 • 1-2pm via Zoom

Managing Your Research

Sponsored by the VU Jean and Alexander Heard Libraries Research Productivity workshop series Tuesday, October 6 • 1-2pm via Zoom

Disambiguation Tools

Sponsored by the VU Jean and Alexander Heard Libraries Research Productivity workshop series Thursday, October 8 • 1-2pm via Zoom

Finding and Evaluating Open Research

Sponsored by the VU Jean and Alexander Heard Libraries Research Productivity workshop series Thursday, October 15 • 1-2pm via Zoom

Presenting Your Research

Sponsored by the VU Jean and Alexander Heard Libraries Research Productivity workshop series Tuesday, October 20 • 1-2pm via Zoom

Critical Thinking and Data Visualization

Sponsored by the VU Jean and Alexander Heard Libraries Research Productivity workshop series Thursday, October 22 • 1-2pm via Zoom

JOB OPPORTUNITIES



Follow us our job feed on Twitter! @VUBRETPhDJobs

If you would like to advertise an open job or postdoc position in the BRET Office of Career Development newsletter, please post the opportunity through our <u>webform</u> or contact <u>Kate Stuart</u>. We welcome submissions from faculty, alumni, postdocs, students, and the community.

Local Opportunities

<u>Staff Scientist, PMI Molecular Pathogenesis,</u> <u>Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Nashville,</u> <u>TN</u>

<u>Faculty Position, Computational Microbiology,</u> <u>Department of Pathology, Microbiology, and</u> <u>Immunology, Vanderbilt University Medical</u> <u>Center, Nashville, TN</u>

Other Opportunities

<u>Microbiome Initiative Postdoctoral Fellow,</u> <u>Microbiome Initiative, Boston University,</u> <u>Boston, MA</u>

<u>COVID-19 Immunology in Mouse Models,</u> <u>National Institute of Allergy and Infectious</u> <u>Diseases, Bethesda, MD</u>

<u>Postdoctoral Research Scholar, Nolz Lab,</u> <u>Portland, OR</u>

Postdoctoral Scholar, Biological Sciences, Zaneveld Lab, UW Bothell, Bothell, WA

<u>Postdoc positions, Cancer Signaling and</u> <u>Metabolism, Valvezan Lab, Rutgers University,</u> <u>Rutgers, NJ</u>

<u>Postdoc, immediate opening, COVID testing</u> <u>strategies, co-op with Grubaugh, Wyllie, and</u> <u>Weinberger Labs, Yale School of Public Health,</u> <u>New Haven, CT</u>

<u>Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Sohi Lab, San</u> <u>Diego State University, San Diego, CA</u>

<u>Postdoctoral Scholar, Epitranscriptomics and</u> <u>Epigenetics in Cancer, The University of</u> <u>Chicago, Chicago, IL</u>

<u>Lab Operations Support Manager, The Marine</u> <u>Biological Laboratory (MBL), Woods Hole, Cape</u> <u>Cancer Biology, Tumorigenesis, National</u> <u>Institute of Environmental Health Sciences,</u> <u>Research Triangle Park, NC</u>

<u>Faculty Position in Immunology, Boston</u> <u>University School of Medicine, Boston, MA</u>

<u>Regulation of Neuronal Gene Expression by</u> <u>Nuclear Hormone Receptors, National Institute</u> <u>of Environmental Health Sciences, Research</u> <u>Triangle Park, NC</u>

<u>Staff Fellow/Visiting Associate:</u> <u>Pharmacology/Toxicology Reviewer, Food and</u> <u>Drug Administration, Center for Biologics</u> <u>Evaluation and Research, Silver Spring, MD</u>

Extracellular Vesicles and MicroRNA-mediated Signaling, University of Maryland School of Medicine, Baltimore, MD

<u>Senior Scientist, Analytics, Research &</u> <u>Development, Des Plaines, IL</u>

<u>Skin Microbiome, National Institute of Arthritis</u> <u>and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases,</u> <u>Bethesda, MD</u>

<u>Genetic Impairment of Cholesterol</u> <u>Homeostasis, Eunice Kennedy Shriver National</u> <u>Institute of Child Health and Human</u> <u>Development, Bethesda, MD</u>

<u>Immunity to Emerging Viruses (SARS-COV-2,</u> <u>EBOLA, SUDAN, MARBURG, AND LASSA</u> <u>viruses), National Institute of Allergy and</u> <u>Infectious Diseases, Vaccine Research Center,</u> <u>Bethesda, MD</u>

<u>Staff Scientist/Project Manager, Therapeutic</u> <u>Development, National Center for Advancing</u>

<u>Cod, MA</u>

Data Journalist, NBC News Digital, Remote

<u>Fusion and Endocytosis of Secretory Vesicles</u> <u>and SARS-COV2 Virus, National Institute of</u> <u>Neurological Disorders and Stroke, Bethesda,</u> <u>MD</u>

<u>Scientific Program Manager, Oak Ridge</u> <u>Associated Universities, Rockville, MD</u> <u>Translational Sciences, Therapeutic</u> <u>Development Branch, Rockville, MD</u>

<u>Director, Research Regulatory Affairs,</u> <u>Children's National Research Institute, Silver</u> <u>Spring, MD</u>

<u>Single Cell Epigenomics and Developmental</u> <u>Biology, University of California, Santa Barbara,</u> <u>CA</u>



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