

# Mentoring for the Next Steps

## Mentoring Week 2020

### March 2-6

## Monday

### **Mentoring Academy for Trainees**

10 am-1 pm

Graduate and Postdoctoral career planning and decision making is challenging, but finding career satisfaction, and engaging in fulfilling work is worth the effort invested during your training. Join the 2020 Academy to discuss the career landscape, developing a career plan, and gaining tools to navigate difficult conversations related to your career.

Registration **Required**

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## Tuesday

### **Mentoring Academy for Faculty**

10 am-1 pm

The responsibility of a mentor is to ensure trainees are prepared to be successful. The Academy will focus in providing faculty members the tools needed to guide their trainees as they prepare to take their next step in their career. In this Academy, faculty will spend time delving to into the career landscape data and outcomes, explore tools for career planning, and gain a better understanding of how to support their trainees career goals.

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## Wednesday

### **Mentoring Week Keynote**

12 pm

*Developing a Robust Workforce*

Dr. Philip S. Clifford, Associate Dean for Research, Professor in Kinesiology and Nutrition at The University of Illinois at Chicago, and co-author of the career website, [myIDP.sciencecareers.org](http://myIDP.sciencecareers.org), will discuss how to prepare trainees for success, and how trainees should approach career planning.

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## Thursday

### **Theater Delta: 'Career Planning within the Academy'**

12 - 1:30 pm

An interactive theater performance exploring mentoring and career path decision-making in academic research. Theater Delta uses scripted and improvisational audience participatory theater – to foster dialogue and implement solutions that result in palpable change in communities around the globe.

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## Friday

### **Walk-in Career Advising**

10 am - 2 pm

Still trying to decide on, or prepare for the next step in your career? Need assistance with a CV, resume, cover letter, or other application materials? Stop by and chat with someone who can answer questions, and get you moving on your career plan.

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