

Program for Excellence & Equity in Research

Discourse Schedule spring 2017

BCMB 610 section 003, LFSC 695 section 002

Thursday, 3:40 – 5:00 PM (location: *Earth & Planetary Science Building, Rm. 405 and 413*)

Discourse Meeting Schedule

January 9 (All PEER)

Negotiations for Success Workshop

Facilitator: Caroline Szymeczek, Ph.D.

President of Integrated Learning and Innovations, Inc.

Toyota Room, Howard Baker Center

PEER Scholar meet Advisory Board

3:00 – 4:00 PM, 204 Howard Baker Center

Jan. 12 (All PEER)

Review spring schedule and expectations

Facilitator: Sekeenia Haynes, Ph.D.

Stylistic Adjustment for Better Science Writing

Facilitator: Liz Howell, Ph.D.

Professor, BCMB

Jan. 19 (All PEER)

Plagiarism, Copyright & Avoiding Research Misconduct in the Publication

Facilitator: Rachel Caldwell, Communication Librarian

University Libraries

Jan. 26

Study Strategies & Common Pitfalls

(1st Yr.)

Facilitator: Cheryl Barksdale, Ph.D.

Director of Leadership Development Programs, Haslam College of Business

CV/Resume Writing

(2nd Yr.)

Facilitator: Jennifer Schweitzer, Ph.D.

Associate Professor & Associate Head, EEB

Feb. 2

Designing and Delivering a Scientific Poster

(1st Yr.)

Facilitator: Tessa Burch-Smith, Ph.D.

Assistant Professor, BCMB

Social Media and How to Effectively Use It

(2nd Yr.)

Facilitator: Jeremy Hughes

Digital Communication Manager, College of Arts & Sciences

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March 30 **Tools for Writing a Research Statement** **(1st Yr.)**

Facilitator: Gladys Alexandre

Preparing for the Comprehensive Exam **(2nd Yr.)**

Facilitator: Todd Reynolds,

April 6 (All PEER)

Improvisation

Facilitator: Joshua Peterson, Suzie Allard

April 13 (All PEER)

Review & Critique Research Statement **(1st Yr.)**

Peer Review Research Statement **(2nd Yr.)**

Facilitator: Gladys Alexandre, Ph.D.

April 20 (All PEER)

How To's, Available resources (both internal & external), and Guidance

Facilitator: Louise Nuttle, Ph.D.

Director of Faculty Development Team, Office of Research & Engagement

April 27

**Submit Proposal for Review (rubric must be completed by 3 reviewers)
(PEER faculty mentor, Research Advisor, 1- additional faculty member) (1st Yr. only)**

April 28

Classes End

June 1

Spring Semester Progress Reports are due by Thursday, June 1, 2017.

June 1

Submit reviewers feedback to proposal by 5 PM to Sekeenia, shaynes6@utk.edu

June – July

Continue refining your Pre-doctoral Fellowship Application (1st Yr.)

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