ARTICLES: Career Advice – Life in Academia: Career Development and Relationships
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TITLE: Strategies for Career Exploration in Uncertain Times.
Author: Linda Louie
Published: March 20, 2023
Topic: Linda Louie offers four steps that grad students and postdocs can take to get past faulty assumptions and more rigorously examine the best options.

TITLE: Finding a Career Mentor (in Addition to an Academic One).
Author: Daniel J. Moglen
Published: March 6, 2023
Topic: Your thesis adviser may be the best person to guide your research, but conversations about your career may need to happen outside your department, Daniel J. Moglen advises.
LINK: https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2023/03/06/grad-students-need-career-mentors-well-academic-ones-opinion

TITLE: Lead With Curiosity and Creativity in Your Career.
Author: Sonali Majumdar
Published: February 27, 2023
Topic: Sonali Majumdar outlines how grad students and postdocs can apply the same qualities they do in their research to unlock possibilities in their professional lives.
LINK: https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2023/02/27/phds-should-apply-curiosity-and-creativity-their-careers-opinion?utm_source=Inside+Higher+Ed&utm_campaign=8adfd1ae0b-DNU_2021_COPY_02&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_1fcbc04421-8adfd1ae0b-197800013&mc_cid=8adfd1ae0b&mc_eid=dbdcee20ba

TITLE: Techniques For Managing And Learning From Failure In Academia.
Author: Gustavo Espinoza Ramos, University of Westminster
Published: 11 Jan 2023
Topic: Failure in academia does not have to be entirely negative – it can provide an opportunity to grow, build resilience and is an essential part of the self-improvement process.
LINK: https://www.timeshighereducation.com/campus/techniques-managing-and-learning-failure-academia

TITLE: Practice Makes Perfect And Other Networking Tips For Academics.
Author: Eleanor Hennige, The University of Edinburgh
Published: 11 Jan 2023
Topic: The benefits of networking for academics and how to do it well, both in person and online, explained by Eleanor Hennige.
LINK: https://www.timeshighereducation.com/campus/practice-makes-perfect-and-other-networking-tips-academics
TITLE: **Making the Most of Life After Tenure.**
Author: Michael S. Weisbach
Published: November 15, 2022
Topic: Many established scholars see their careers flounder because they fail to stay up-to-date and do
not work hard to find productive new uses of their time, warns Michael S. Weisbach.

TITLE: **What Faculty of Color Need to Know About a Tenure-Track Career.** *(And everyone else also needs to know!)*
Author: Elwood Watson
Published: October 31, 2022
Topic: How you cope with the morass of academic politics will be different depending on the person, the
department, and the institution.

TITLE: **Teaching as a Transferrable Skill.**
Author: Lauren Easterling
Published: October 24, 2022
Topic: The ability to help others learn can be applied in almost any job, and graduate students should
develop it as soon as they can, writes Lauren Easterling.

TITLE: **Negative feedback is part of academia (and life). These six strategies can help you cope.**
Published: September 14, 2022
Topic: There are strategies available to help you overcome and even use negative feedback to your
advantage.

TITLE: **How to Be a Productive Scholar.**
Author: Kenneth A. Kiewra, Linlin Luo, and Abraham E. Flanigan
Published: August 17, 2022
Topic: Advice on research and writing from academics who experienced early publishing success.

TITLE: **Embracing your Impostor Syndrome: Advice for Shifting Between Disciplines.**
Author: Amber Phillips, University of the West of England Bristol
Published: 17 Aug 2022
Topic: Changing disciplines can appear impossible at times, but it’s not, especially if academics embrace
the mindset that disciplinary boundaries are often somewhat artificial.
LINK: [https://www.timeshighereducation.com/campus/embracing-your-impostor-syndrome-advice-shifting-between-disciplines](https://www.timeshighereducation.com/campus/embracing-your-impostor-syndrome-advice-shifting-between-disciplines)
TITLE: **What Is Tenure – And How To Get It.**  
Author: Henry Reichman, California State University, East Bay  
Published: 12 Jul 2022  
Topic: For many scholars, permanent employment is the light at the end of a years-long tunnel. Here, Henry Reichman explains the US tenure system and why it is key to protecting academic freedom.  
LINK: [https://www.timeshighereducation.com/campus/what-tenure-and-how-get-it](https://www.timeshighereducation.com/campus/what-tenure-and-how-get-it)

TITLE: **Women In Academia Are Doing Too Much Non-Promotable Work – And That Has To Stop.**  
Author: Linda Babcock, Brenda Peyser, Lise Vesterlund, Laurie Weingart, Carnegie Mellon University, University of Pittsburgh  
Published: 30 Jun 2022  
Topic: The No Club shares advice for women about how to spend their time at work, how to change the environment to stop saddling women with unrewarded work, and prioritise the tasks that get noticed.  

TITLE: **Seven Big Lessons from a Retiring Professor.**  
Author: Patty H. Phelps, EdD  
Published: June 17, 2022  
Topic: In the end, it all comes down to doing what matters most—supporting our students.  

TITLE: **2 Biases That Can Stall Your Career Advancement.**  
Author: Kristi DePaul  
Published: April 26, 2022  
Topic: Kristi DePaul describes those biases and provides advice on how you can overcome them.  

TITLE: **LinkedIn Is Quickly Becoming Academia’s Key Tool For Career Progression.**  
Author: Gillian McCurdy, Arden University  
Published: 6 Apr 2022  
Topic: For students and academics alike, it’s becoming hard to ignore LinkedIn’s combination of networking and self-promotional opportunities.  
LINK: [https://www.timeshighereducation.com/campus/linkedin-quickly-becoming-academias-key-tool-career-progression](https://www.timeshighereducation.com/campus/linkedin-quickly-becoming-academias-key-tool-career-progression)

TITLE: **7 Tips for Securing a Research Collaboration**  
Author: Rae Robertson-Anderson  
Published: January 6, 2022  
Topic: Rae Robertson-Anderson describes how new professors can obtain collaborative research opportunities that not only advance knowledge but also propel their careers.
TITLE: 6 Things I’ve Learned as I’ve Navigated a Non-Academic Career Path Post-PhD.
Author: Sarah Ellinwood
Published: 2022 (Date Unknown)
Topic: These insights are from my own experiences blundering the post-PhD world.
LINK: https://biobuzz.io/6-things-ive-learned-as-ive-navigated-a-non-academic-career-path-post-phd/

TITLE: 7 Hard Truths and a Few Lies [about Academic Life]
Author: Jennifer Snodgrass
Published: November 18, 2021
Topic: Jennifer Snodgrass shares some of the negative realities of academic life that people often avoid discussing, while offering some advice for dealing with them along the way.
LINK: https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2021/11/18/truths-about-academic-career-people-often-dont-share-opinion

TITLE: Interdisciplinary Research Collaborations Are Hard.
Author: Margaret Schedel and Heather Lynch
Published: July 20, 2021
Topic: To head off common problems, Margaret Schedel and Heather Lynch recommend three questions you should always ask when developing your academic prenup.
LINK: https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2021/07/20/three-questions-ask-when-embarking-interdisciplinary-research-collaboration

TITLE: Using Your Research Skills for Career Exploration
Author: Tina Solvik
Published: April 12, 2021
Topic: Like any other research project, career exploration requires information gathering and assessment, can have unexpected discoveries, and is a long-term process, writes Tina Solvik.
LINK: https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2021/04/12/framing-career-exploration-research-project-opinion

TITLE: Networking Matters More for Women in Academe
Author: Karlyn Crowley
Published: March 9, 2021
Topic: We need to talk about why women, usually more than men, feel hesitant to build networks overtly -- and how we must remedy that, writes Karlyn Crowley.
LINK: https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2021/03/09/why-and-how-women-academe-need-network-opinion

TITLE: When, How and Why to Conduct Informational Interviews
Author: Brandy L. Simula
Published: January 28, 2021
Topic: A common misperception is that you should only pursue them when you are actively seeking a new position or making a career transition, writes Brandy L. Simula.


TITLE: How to navigate conflict with your research adviser.
Published: Nov. 17, 2020
Topic: We break down advice for trainees based on what type of mentor they’re dealing with — a good mentor, a bad mentor, or a toxic one — and encourage faculty to play a role in changing their own mentoring and improving the culture of scientific training.

LINK: https://www.sciencemag.org/careers/2020/11/how-navigate-conflict-your-research-adviser

TITLE: Mic-Drop Advice for Getting Promoted and Tenured
Author: Katie D. Lewis
Published: October 29, 2020
Topic: Katie D. Lewis provides recommendations for how to succeed along the tenure track in each key area of academe — while also balancing the demands of motherhood.


TITLE: New Job: How to Negotiate Your Starting Offer
Author: Karin A. C. Johnson
Published: October 22, 2020
Topic: Karin A. C. Johnson recommends five steps to take when negotiating the pay and benefits of a new job.


TITLE: Starting a Tenure-Track Career: Settling in Your First Year.
Author: Melissa Dennihy
Published: September 22, 2020
Topic: This transition, while enormously exciting, can present some challenges and concerns, writes Melissa Dennihy, who offers tips on how to settle in your first year and keep thriving.


TITLE: Five Strategies for Navigating a New Job in a Crisis.
Author: Michelle Moyna
Published: August 13, 2020
Topic: Although many institutions are implementing hiring freezes, some people are still beginning new jobs during the pandemic, and Michelle Moyna offers advice for starting off on the right foot.


TITLE: If I Only Knew: Reflections for New Faculty Members at Research Universities.
Author: Lance D. Fusarelli
Published: August 6, 2020
Topic: Now toward the end of his career, Lance D. Fusarelli looks back and offers three pieces of advice to just-minted professors.


Author: Mai P. Trinh
Published: January 9, 2020
Topic: Mai P. Trinh describes how it has actually enhanced her career and made her a better scholar.


TITLE: Conflict in your research group? Here are four strategies for finding a resolution.
Published: Nov. 18, 2019, 3:25 PM
Topic: Drawing on our own experiences and challenges, we offer four strategies for resolving conflict in the lab.

LINK: https://www.sciencemag.org/careers/2019/11/conflict-your-research-group-here-are-four-strategies-finding-resolution

TITLE: Creating Serendipity (for Career Advancement)
Author: Stephen J. Aguilar
Published: April 18, 2019
Topic: Stephen J. Aguilar offers guidance for developing habits that will help you maximize the odds of being at the right place at the right time when it comes to your career.


TITLE: Positive Communication in Your Career Conversations
Author: Laura N. Schram
Published: April 8, 2019
Topic: Laura N. Schram highlights six actions you can take to improve your professional relationships.

TITLE: What I Learned as I Was Leaving Higher Education
Author: Beth Godbee
Published: January 16, 2019
Topic: Beth Godbee shares three responses that surprised her when she announced her decision to depart higher ed after being at her institution for seven years and having just earned tenure and promotion.

TITLE: The Psychology of Networking
Author: Joseph Barber
Published: October 1, 2018
Topic: Joseph Barber recommends some best practices for introverts.
LINK: https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2018/10/01/viewing-networking-psychological-perspective?utm_source=Inside+Higher+Ed&utm_campaign=c3e8a6f743-CareersInsider_COPY_01&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_1fcbe04421-c3e8a6f743-197800013&mc_cid=c3e8a6f743&mc_eid=dbdcee20ba

TITLE: Networking: Just Do It
Author: Stephen J. Aguilar
Published: June 28, 2018
Topic: Even if up until now you haven’t done it, even if you find it insufferable, even if you think you’re awkward, even if you secretly believe that you’re somehow above it argues Stephen J. Aguilar, do it and open yourself up to the possibilities that follow.