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ARTICLES – Career Development and Relationships



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?utm_source=Inside+Higher+Ed&utm_campaign=a122f84d5a-DNU_2021_COPY_02&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_1fcbc04421-a122f84d5a-197800013&mc_cid=a122f84d5a&mc_eid=dbdcee20ba

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.

LINK: https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2021/01/28/advice-making-most-informational-interviews-opinion?utm_source=Inside+Higher+Ed&utm_campaign=ebaa816909-DNU_2021_COPY_02&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_1fcbc04421-ebaa816909-197800013&mc_cid=ebaa816909&mc_eid=dbdcee20ba

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.

LINK: https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2020/10/29/tips-advancing-academe-and-gaining-tenure-opinion?utm_source=Inside+Higher+Ed&utm_campaign=b28303fa53-DNU_2020_COPY_02&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_1fcbc04421-b28303fa53-197800013&mc_cid=b28303fa53&mc_eid=dbdcee20ba

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.

LINK: https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2020/10/22/five-steps-take-when-negotiating-pay-and-benefits-new-job-opinion?utm_source=Inside+Higher+Ed&utm_campaign=b98cf5dcf3-DNU_2020_COPY_02&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_1fcbc04421-b98cf5dcf3-197800013&mc_cid=b98cf5dcf3&mc_eid=dbdcee20ba

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.

LINK: https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2020/09/22/tips-how-succeed-during-your-first-year-tenure-track-opinion?utm_source=Inside+Higher+Ed&utm_campaign=cfaf6f79e8-DNU_2020_COPY_02&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_1fcbc04421-cfaf6f79e8-197800013&mc_cid=cfaf6f79e8&mc_eid=dbdcee20ba

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.

LINK: https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2020/08/13/advice-starting-new-job-midst-coronavirus-crisis-opinion?utm_source=Inside+Higher+Ed&utm_campaign=511abf95cb-WNU_COPY_01&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_1fcbc04421-511abf95cb-197800013&mc_cid=511abf95cb&mc_eid=dbdcee20ba

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.

LINK: https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2020/08/06/seasoned-faculty-member-reflects-what-he-wishes-hed-known-new-professor-opinion?utm_source=Inside+Higher+Ed&utm_campaign=1f9c3dc283-

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TITLE: The Surprising Benefits of Having a Baby. Career Enhancement.

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.

LINK: https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2020/01/09/benefits-having-baby-while-working-untentured-professor-opinion?utm_source=Inside+Higher+Ed&utm_campaign=609a0342e1-WNU_COPY_01&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_1fcbc04421-609a0342e1-197800013&mc_cid=609a0342e1&mc_eid=dbdcee20ba

TITLE: Conflict in your research group? Here are four strategies for finding a resolution.

Author: William A. Cunningham, June Gruber, Jay J. Van Bavel, Neil A. Lewis, Jr.

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.

LINK: https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2019/04/18/how-maximize-odds-youll-be-right-place-right-time-your-career-advancement-opinion?utm_source=Inside+Higher+Ed&utm_campaign=112d879fec-CareersInsider_COPY_01&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_1fcbc04421-112d879fec-197800013&mc_cid=112d879fec&mc_eid=dbdcee20ba

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.

LINK: https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2019/04/08/actions-you-can-take-improve-your-career-conversations-opinion?utm_source=Inside+Higher+Ed&utm_campaign=112d879fec-CareersInsider_COPY_01&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_1fcbc04421-112d879fec-197800013&mc_cid=112d879fec&mc_eid=dbdcee20ba

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.

LINK: <http://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2019/01/16/professor-describes-what-surprised-her-when-she-announced-she-was-leaving->

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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_1fcbc04421-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.

LINK: http://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2018/06/28/getting-past-common-obstacles-effective-networking-early-tenure-track-opinion?utm_source=Inside+Higher+Ed&utm_campaign=f4e72a43da-WNU_COPY_01&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_1fcbc04421-f4e72a43da-197800013&mc_cid=f4e72a43da&mc_eid=dbdcee20ba