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Keynote Address
Taking Control of Your Career: Ways to Get to and Prosper in Your Professional Life

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Career-Specific Discussions
• Contract Research Organizations
• Teaching in Small Colleges
• Writing and Communication
• Clinical and Translational Research
• Start-Ups and Small Industries
• Science Policy
• Nonprofit Organizations
• Therapeutic Development

Career Development Workshops
• Academic Interview Process
• Overview of the Industry Career Landscape
• How to Avoid Self-Sabotage and Win at Salary Negotiations
• Speak Up – How to Ask for What You Need in the Lab and in Life
• Leave a Lasting Impression: Interviewing Tips and Tricks From a Recovering Recruiter
• Preparing for the Tenure and Promotion Process in Academia
• Building Resilience in the Job Search, at Work, and Throughout Life
• Building Your Career Wardrobe
• Articulating Your Accomplishments: Tips for Applying to Government Jobs
• Your Non-Scientific Skill Set and Why It Really Matters

Networking Opportunities
• Informal Networking Lunch
• Exhibit Browsing – Local Organizations Focused on Biomedical Research
• Meet With HR Company Representatives

One-on-One CV/Resume/LinkedIn Consultations With Professionals From Academia, Industry, and Government

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