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Spring 2017 Workshop Series
Supplementary Resources: Academic Conferences
March 23, 2017

UCF Pathways Graduate Workshops

<http://www.students.graduate.ucf.edu/PathwaysDescriptions/>

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| Presentation Skills | April 11 th | 10:00 am – 12:00 pm |
| The Basics of Poster Presentations | No more sessions Sp 17, check again F 17 | |
| Dealing with Communication Anxiety | No more sessions Sp 17, check again F 17 | |
| How it Works for You: Networking | No more sessions Sp 17, check again F 17 | |

UCF Funding for Conferences

College of Graduate Studies Presentation Fellowship:

<https://funding.graduate.ucf.edu/presentation/>

Decided on a weekly basis. Money is directly deposited into your bank account. Must be presenting at the conference. \$300 for in-state, \$500 for elsewhere in the U.S., Canada, or Mexico, \$800 for International conferences. You are only allowed one award per academic year.

Student Government Association Funding: <https://ucfsga.com/services/rso-funding/>

Up to \$250 for travel, hotel, or registration fees. Fill out the “CRT Individual Allocation Request Form” on the above website. Must complete the SGA’s financial training via Webcourses and provide screenshots to accompany an invoice. Involves several steps. SGA must make the purchases for you, not being reimbursed or given funds in advance.

Texts and Technology Funding

This has traditionally been sort of whoever happened to ask and if there was funding, but the Research and Awards Committee is coming up with clear guidelines that should be available by the end of the semester.

Before You Go

The Great Benefits of Attending Academic Conferences: <http://www.uaces.org/resources/the-great-benefits-of-attending-academic-conferences>

Why you should start going to national and international conferences immediately.

The Conference Abstract: <http://www.chronicle.com/blogs/profhacker/the-conference-abstract/23051>

Before you can go, you’ve got to get in. Advice for how to prepare a submission. Geared toward abstracts but much of it is equally relevant to full paper submissions.

Preparing for Conferences: <https://www.insidehighered.com/blogs/gradhacker/preparing-conferences>

From the perspective of a current graduate student. Advice on how to prepare as well as networking tips.

Art of the Conference Paper: <https://www.insidehighered.com/advice/2010/11/03/art-conference-paper>

Featuring useful formatting and style tips, this article explains how to make sure you're writing in the conference paper genre and producing a well-structured argument.

Presenting for Twitter at Conferences:

<http://www.chronicle.com/blogs/profhacker/presenting-for-twitter-at-conferences/43176>

T&T's own Dr. Salter provides tips for how to make your work tweetable.

What to do When You're There

Ten Tips for Tweeting at Conferences: <http://www.chronicle.com/blogs/profhacker/?p=54281>

Including how to correctly hashtag your tweets, what to write in your tweets, and time-saving technology hacks like using a Twitter client and using text expansion.

How to Work the Conference (in three parts):

<http://theprofessorisin.com/2011/08/17/how-to-work-the-conference-part-one-of-two/>

<http://theprofessorisin.com/2011/08/26/how-to-work-the-conference-part-two-of-three/>

<http://theprofessorisin.com/2011/09/02/how-to-work-the-conference-part-three-of-three/>

Conference networking tips for graduate students at every stage of their studies. Part II is relevant for PhD students who may be attending or presenting at their first conference.

Stop Acting Like a Grad Student: <http://theprofessorisin.com/2014/10/22/after-my-defense-i-will/>

Phrases you may be using that give you away as a grad student. Converse with your conference colleagues in a "professorial" manner rather than like a student.

How to Hack A Conference (AKA Attend One Productively):

<http://www.chronicle.com/blogs/profhacker/how-to-hack-a-conference-aka-attend-one-productively/22891>

An overview of how to survive (and even thrive!) doing this conference thing.

Why I Love Academic Conferences: How to get the most out of a scholarly meeting

<http://www.chronicle.com/article/Why-I-Love-Academic/229515>

Tips from someone with 25 years of experience, especially about the interpersonal parts of conferencing.

How Not to Be a Jackass at Your Next Academic Conference:

<https://chroniclevitae.com/news/873-how-not-to-be-a-jackass-at-your-next-academic-conference>

What it says on the tin: etiquette tips to not be "that person" people tell stories about later.

Six Conference Questions Every Academic Hears:

<https://www.timeshighereducation.com/features/six-conference-questions-every-academic-hears/2006738.article>

Typical conference questions, including the “wandering statement” and “the display of superior knowledge.” How best to deal with each question type.

Dealing with the ‘Informal’ Conference Chat: <http://theprofessorisin.com/2011/11/09/chatting-dealing-with-the-informal-conference-chat/>

All grad students should consider “informal chats” as being identical to interviews with the same high stakes involved.

Minding Your Manners for the Conference Interview:

<http://www.chronicle.com/article/Minding-Your-Manners-for-the/134184/>

This article gives useful tips on how to make the best of a conference interview, including advice, such as, don’t overschedule yourself and come with handouts.

Conference Listings

Digital Humanities

[Association of Internet Researchers](#)

[Converge Disciplinarity and Digital Scholarship](#)

[Day of Digital Humanities](#)

[Digital Humanities 2017](#)

[Digital Humanities and Design Symposium](#)

[Digital Preservation for Social Sciences and Humanities 2017](#)

[Digitorium](#)

[Festival of the Web](#)

[HASTAC](#)

[MLA](#)

[Popular Culture Association/American Culture Association \(PCA/ACA\)](#)

[Research Data Access and Preservation Summit](#)

[RIDCH Conference 2017](#)

[Society for Cinema and Media Studies](#)

[Society for Textual Scholarship Conference 2017](#)

[Visualisation and Visual Thinking](#)

Digital Media

[Association of Internet Researchers](#)

[Association for Computing Machinery: Computer-Human Interaction](#)

[Association for Computing Machinery: Computer-Supported Cooperative Work and Social Computing](#)

[Association for Computing Machinery: Design of Communication](#)

[CSV Conference](#)

[Digitorium](#)

[HASTAC](#)

[Language, Data and Knowledge](#)

[International Internet Preservation Consortium](#)

[Popular Culture Association/American Culture Association \(PCA/ACA\)](#)

[Society for Cinema and Media Studies](#)
[Visualisation and Visual Thinking](#)

Public History

[American Alliance of Museums](#)
[Dangerous Librarianship](#)
[EDUCAUSE](#)
[International Federation for Public History](#)
[International Internet Preservation Consortium](#)
[Museums and the Web](#)
[National Council on Public History](#)
[Popular Culture Association/American Culture Association \(PCA/ACA\)](#)
[Society of American Archivists](#)

Rhetoric and Composition

[College Composition and Communication Conference](#)
[Computers and Writing](#)
[Conference of the Association for the Advancement of Computing in Education](#)
[EDUCAUSE](#)
[Feminisms and Rhetorics](#)
[Florida College English Association meeting](#)
[MLA](#)
[Rhetoric Society of America](#)
[Thomas L. Watson Conference](#)
[Writers UA Conference](#)
[Writing Research Across Borders](#)

Scientific and Technical Communications

[American Medical Writers Association \(AMWA\)](#)
[American Society for Engineering Education \(ASEE\) Annual Conference](#)
[Association of Teachers of Technical Writing \(ATTW\)](#)
[College Composition and Communication Conference](#)
[Council for Programs in Scientific and Technical Communication \(CPTSC\)](#)
[Education and Information Systems](#)
[EDUCAUSE](#)
[IEEE Professional Communication Conference \(IPCC\)](#)
[International Society for Business Education Annual Conference](#)
[Society for Technical Communication \(STC\) Summit](#)
[Usability Professionals' Association International Conference](#)
[Visual Resources Association Conference](#)
[Visualisation and Visual Thinking](#)
[Visualizing for Justice: Creative, Critical and Contestational Mapping](#)
[Writers UA TechComm](#)