



Student and Early Career Event Sponsorship Opportunities

\$2,500 each (unless noted otherwise)

Student Event: What Comes Next? Interviewing for Careers in Aquatic Science

This session will help students prepare for job interviews in the aquatic science field. A panel of mentors will give advice on interviewing for jobs in different sectors, including industry, academia, consulting, NGOs, and government. After advice on general topics (e.g. norms for virtual vs in-person, what to wear, etc.), students will split into small groups with mentors in their prospective job sector to get more advice on application/interview processes specific to the sector:

- 90-minute event during a lunch time frame
- Catered/boxed lunch
- Cap of 70-75 attendees
- Lead organizers: Nicole Marks (Nicole.Marks@Delaware.gov) and Amelia Langley Grose (groseame@msu.edu)

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Student Social

- Casual event for networking with students
- Organizing a raffle to raise money and looking for in-kind donations of vouchers and gift certificates from local businesses (restaurants, breweries, etc.) and tourist attractions
- Lead organizer: Sabrina Heiser (heiser@uab.edu)

Student Mentor-Mentee Networking Event

- 60-minute event during a lunch time frame
- Boxed lunch
- Lead organizer: Sabrina Heiser (heiser@uab.edu)

Early Career Mixer

- Casual event for networking with early career peers
- Hoping to have drinks and light appetizers (cash bar?)
- ~200 attendees
- Lead organizers: Kateri SalkGundersen (kateri.salkgundersen@tetrattech.com) and Liz Favot (liz.favot@gmail.com)

Early Career Lunchtime Workshop: Non-Academic Careers

Attendees will work with established professionals in government, industry, and nonprofit careers to explore the non-academic job sector. This workshop will focus on how to successfully pivot from academic to non-academic setting, with a focus on the job search and positioning yourself for success in a new position. Topics may include re-tooling your CV and application materials, exploring how existing skillsets fit into job responsibilities, and strategies for continued professional development.

- Catered/boxed lunch
- Cap of 50 attendees
- Lead organizers: Kateri SalkGundersen (kateri.salkgundersen@tetrattech.com) and Liz Favot (liz.favot@gmail.com)

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