



Laney Graduate School Professional Development and Career Planning Spring 2024 Workshops and Programs

Visit the [LGS Professional Development and Career Planning calendar](#)
and the weekly *Grad Report* for a regularly updated schedule of opportunities.

Programming for Graduate Students

PDCP offers various panels, info sessions, and workshops throughout the semester for graduate students. This semester, we are pleased to offer the following sessions:

"What Can I Do with a PhD?" Beyond the Professoriate Information Session

Date: January 25, 2024 ♦ Time: 12:00pm to 1:00pm ♦ [Sign Up Ended](#)

Communicating Your Research: A Workshop on Storytelling

Date: February 6, 2024 ♦ Time: 3:30pm to 5:00pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

How to Set Yourself Up for Career Success After Your Master's: A Beyond Graduate School Information Session

Date: February 8, 2024 ♦ Time: 10:00am to 11:00am ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

Strengths-Based Interviewing Workshop

Date: February 16, 2024 ♦ Time: 9:00am to 12:00pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

Strengths-Based Networking Workshop

Date: March 1, 2024 ♦ Time: 10:00am to 12:00pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

Graduate Career Consortium PhD and Master's Virtual Career Expo

Date: March 6, 2024 ♦ Time: 12:00pm to 4:00pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

Professional Headshots for LGS Students

Date: April 3, 2024 ♦ Registration Information Forthcoming

Three Minute Thesis (3MT®) Competition

Share your work and its impact with a wider audience, refine your presentation skills, and compete to become Emory's 2024 3MT winner. Cash prizes are available for the winner, the runner-up, and the "People's Choice" award. The winner will move on to compete in the regional and possibly national competition. If you are interested in competing, [click here to learn about how to enter the competition](#). The deadline to [apply](#) is February 15.

3MT® Information Session

Date: January 19, 2024 ♦ Time: 12:00pm to 1:00pm ♦ [Sign Up Ended](#)

3MT® Information Session

Date: January 24, 2024 ♦ Time: 5:00pm to 6:00pm ♦ [Sign Up Ended](#)

Three Minute Thesis (3MT®) Finals Competition

Come watch LGS graduate students compete as they explain their research project through a verbal presentation to a non-specialist audience in three minutes or less.

Date: March 27, 2024 ♦ Time: 5:00pm to 7:00pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

Jones Program in Ethics (Selected JPE 610 Sessions)

The following activities are eligible for JPE 610 credit for LGS students who sign up in advance. This is only a selected list; to see the full schedule of JPE 610 activities or to learn how to sign up for a JPE 610 session, visit the JPE 610 homepage on the [LGS website](#). LGS PhD students must attend four JPE 610 sessions during the course of their PhD program in order to graduate.

JPE 610: Losing Power: African Americans and Racial Polarization in TN Politics

Date: January 22, 2024 ♦ **Time:** 12:00 to 1:30pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

JPE 610: The Darkened Light of Faith: Race, Democracy, and Freedom in African American Political Thought

Date: February 12, 2024 ♦ **Time:** 12:00 to 1:30pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

JPE 610: Building Accessible Classrooms for Uncertain Futures

Date: February 14, 2024 ♦ **Time:** 3:00 to 4:30pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

JPE 610: Making the Latino South: A History of Racial Formation

Date: February 19, 2024 ♦ **Time:** 12:00 to 1:30pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

JPE 610: Suffer the Little Children: Child Migration and the Geopolitics

Date: March 4, 2024 ♦ **Time:** 12:00 to 1:30pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

JPE 610: How to Translate Academia into Accessible, Memorable Story

- **Session One - Date:** March 7, 2024 ♦ **Time:** 10:00am to 12:00pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)
- **Session Two - Date:** March 21, 2024 ♦ **Time:** 10:00am to 12:00pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)
- Please note: These are identical sessions but are offered twice this semester (each session has limited capacity and students will be selected by lottery).

JPE 610: Ethical Considerations in Observing Digital Spaces

Date: April 5, 2024 ♦ **Time:** 2:00pm to 3:30pm ♦ [Sign Up Here](#)

JPE 610: Ethics and Data

Date: TBA ♦ **Time:** TBA

JPE 610: Ethics and AI

Date: TBA ♦ **Time:** TBA

JPE 610: Laboratory Animals in Biomedical Research: Ethical and Practical Considerations

Date: TBA ♦ **Time:** TBA

JPE 610: Science Communication

Date: TBA ♦ **Time:** TBA

Career Coaching for Graduate Students

LGS offers career coaching appointments for graduate students with a range of professional [career coaches](#) who specialize in different areas. Our coaches are very experienced with graduate education and can offer guidance on topics such as: navigating general questions about graduate school, assessing your strengths, interests, and values, practicing strategies for networking (in-person and online), learning about diverse career paths, assembling documents (i.e. resume, cover letter) for job applications, and interviewing strategies.

- **Sign up for a Coaching Appointment at:** bit.ly/emorylaneypdcp.

Online Resources for Graduate Students

As a student in the Laney Graduate School, you have access to a variety of online resources for building skills and exploring careers. A list of these resources and instructions for accessing them may be found here:

<https://www.gs.emory.edu/professional-development/sharpening-skills/online-resources.html>.

Beyond the Professoriate

Beyond the Professoriate is an online professional development training platform that supports PhD students and postdoctoral scholars in leveraging their education into meaningful careers inside and outside the professoriate. Through this platform, students can explore career options, discover and articulate their values and skills, and learn job search strategies through live and on-demand courses, webinars, videos, and workbooks.

Beyond Graduate School

Beyond Graduate School is an online professional development training platform that supports master's students in leveraging their education into meaningful careers. Through this platform, students can explore career options, discover and articulate their values and skills, and learn job search strategies through live and on-demand courses, webinars, videos, and workbooks.

Center for the Integration of Teaching and Learning (CIRTL)

This fall, the Center for the Integration of Teaching and Learning (CIRTL) is offering 3 courses, 1 event series, and 10 workshops for graduate students and postdocs pursuing teaching careers in STEM disciplines. Fall programming covers a range of teaching and learning topics: accessibility, evidence-based teaching fundamentals, teaching development for postdocs, academic professional development, science communication, and teaching-as-research. Most CIRTL programs are free for LGS students and faculty through Emory's institutional membership.

National Center for Faculty Development and Diversity (NCFDD)

The National Center for Faculty Development and Diversity (NCFDD) offers workshops, webinars, and resources to empower students and faculty to thrive in academia. Topics include planning and prioritizing, developing a daily writing practice, time management, mentorship, overcoming perfectionism, engaging in healthy conflict, and dealing with stress and rejection.

Professional Development and Career Planning Resource Repository

We have accumulated recordings and resources related to our offices' trainings for graduate students. We have made these available on our PDCP Resource Repository, which is a Canvas page that may be accessed by permission.

To request access, please contact the Professional Development and Career Planning office at (lgs.profdev@emory.edu). Once you have been granted access, you may [access the Resource Repository here](#).