



# Careers and Professional Development Sessions

2019 Annual Meeting of the AAG

## **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3**

### **Welcome to the AAG**

8:00 – 9:40 am in Wilson B, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Graduate Student Affinity Group, Careers and Professional Development, American Association of Geographers*

### **Career Mentoring A**

9:55 – 11:35 am in Wilson B, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

### **Working Abroad: International Career Opportunities for Geographers**

12:40 – 2:20 pm in Wilson B, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

### **W1\_8 Do Human Geographers Need Computational Thinking Skills**

12:40 – 2:20 pm in Wilson C, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

### **Career Paths in Climatology-Geography**

2:35 – 4:15 pm in Wilson B, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Climate Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

### **W1\_2 Do Physical Geographers Need Computational Thinking Skills**

2:35 – 4:15 pm in Wilson C, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

### **W1\_3 Writing Successfully for the Journal of Geography in Higher Education (JGHE)**

2:35 – 4:15 pm in Marshall East, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by The Journal of Geography in Higher Education, Taylor Francis Routledge, Careers and Professional Development*

### **Family, Life, and Work: Strike a Balance**

4:30 – 6:10 pm in Wilson B, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

### **Should I Hire a Geographer or a Computer Scientist for this Job?**

4:30 – 6:10 pm in Wilson C, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

### **Making the Better Teacher: Pre-Service Training and Current Teachers' Professional Development**

4:30 – 6:10 pm in Johnson, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Geography Education Specialty Group, Community College Affinity Group, Careers and Professional Development*

### **Student Networking Social**

4:30 – 6:10 pm in Ballroom Salon 1, Marriott, Lobby Level

*Sponsored by the American Association of Geographers, Careers and Professional Development*

## **THURSDAY, APRIL 4**

### **Alcohol and the Academy**

8:00 – 9:40 am in Wilson B, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Political Geography Specialty Group, Graduate Student Affinity Group, Harassment-Free AAG Initiative, Careers and Professional Development*

### **Geography Teacher Training and Proficiency in Geography Education**

8:00 – 9:40 am in Wilson A, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Geography Education Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

### **Becoming Researchers: Negotiating Emotional/Affective Entanglements During the Early Stage of Fieldwork**

8:00 – 9:40 am in Wilson C, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Geographic Perspectives on Women Specialty Group, Sexuality and Space Specialty Group, Qualitative Research Specialty Group, Harassment-Free AAG Initiative, Careers and Professional Development*

### **Digital Geographies Morning Networking Session**

8:00 – 9:40 am in Washington 6, Marriott, Exhibition Level

*Sponsored by Digital Geographies Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

### **Career Mentoring B**

9:55 – 11:35 am in Wilson B, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

### **Geography Research Showcase for Emerging Workforce Scholars Program**

9:55 – 11:35 am in Wilson C, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

**Doing Fieldwork in Biogeography**

9:55 – 11:35 am in 8222, Park Tower Suites, Marriott, Lobby Level

*Sponsored by Biogeography Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

**The Conversation Continues: Mental Wellbeing in Geography**

9:55 – 11:35 am in Marshall East, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Retired Geographers Affinity Group, Task Force on Mental Health of the AAG, Careers and Professional Development*

**Location Intelligence: Business Geography Research and Applications 1**

9:55 – 11:35 am in Stones Throw 3, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Business Geography Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

**The Academic Job Market for Geographers: Strategies for Improving Career Preparation**

1:10 – 2:50 pm in Wilson B, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

**W2\_7 GISCI & the GISP – An Exploration of Professionalism Early in a Career or Profession**

1:10 – 2:50 pm in Wilson A, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

**W2\_14 Networking: Promoting Yourself by Making Connections that Count**

1:10 – 2:50 pm in Wilson C, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

**Teach the World, No Problem: Challenges to Teaching World Regional Geography in One Semester**

1:10 – 2:50 pm in 8228, Park Tower Suites, Marriott, Lobby Level

*Sponsored by Community College Affinity Group, Geography Education Specialty Group, Graduate Student Affinity Group, Careers and Professional Development*

**Increasing the Participation and Validation of Geographers at Underrepresented Institutions: Teaching Strategies**

1:10 – 2:50 pm in Roosevelt 1, Marriott, Exhibition Level

*Sponsored by Community College Affinity Group, Stand-Alone Geographers Affinity Group, Harassment-Free AAG Initiative, Careers and Professional Development*

**Proposal-Writing Strategies for the NSF Geography and Spatial Sciences Program 1**

1:10 – 2:50 pm in Roosevelt 2, Marriott, Exhibition Level

*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

**Underrepresented Groups in Geography-Climatology**

1:10 – 2:50 pm in Marshall East, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Climate Specialty Group, Harassment-Free AAG Initiative, Careers and Professional Development*

**Location Intelligence: Business Geography Research and Applications 2**

1:10 – 2:50 pm in Stones Throw 3, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Business Geography Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

**W2\_2 How to Publish Your Remote Sensing Paper**

3:05 – 4:45 pm in Johnson, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

**W2\_5 Finding Your Career Outside Academia I: A Workshop for Graduate Students**

3:05 – 4:45 pm in Wilson B, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

**W2\_8 Are You Ready for the GISCI Exam? Join Us to Review Your Knowledge**

3:05 – 4:45 pm in Wilson A, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

**Geospatial Intelligence in Business**

3:05 – 4:45 pm in Wilson C, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Military Geography Specialty Group, Geography Education Specialty Group, Business Geography Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

**Increasing the Participation and Validation of Geographers at Underrepresented Institutions: Research Strategies**

3:05 – 4:45 pm in Roosevelt 1, Marriott, Exhibition Level

*Sponsored by Stand-Alone Geographers Affinity Group, Community College Affinity Group, Harassment-Free AAG Initiative, Careers and Professional Development*

**Powerful Geography: Research for the Next Generation of Geography Standards**

3:05 – 4:45 pm in Washington 6, Marriott, Exhibition Level

*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

**Geographers as Administrators in Higher Education**

3:05 – 4:45 pm in Hoover, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

**Challenging Injustice and the Neoliberal Academy from Within: Ethical Considerations for the Every-day Work of Scholars**

5:00 – 6:40 pm in Wilson A, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Geographic Perspectives on Women Specialty Group, Cultural and Political Ecology Specialty Group, Socialist and Critical Geography Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

**Exploring Geospatial Intelligence (GEOINT) Opportunities Within K-12 School Settings**

5:00 – 6:40 pm in Wilson C, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

**Increasing the Participation and Validation of Geographers at Underrepresented Institutions: Mentoring & Connecting**

5:00 – 6:40 pm in Roosevelt 1, Marriott, Mezzanine Level

*Sponsored by Stand-Alone Geographers Affinity Group, Community College Affinity Group, Harassment-Free AAG Initiative, Careers and Professional Development*

## **FRIDAY, APRIL 5**

### **Publishing in Geography Education Journals: Perspectives from the Editors**

8:00 – 9:40 am in Wilson B, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Geography Education Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

### **Southern Queer (In)Visibilities**

8:00 – 9:40 am in Wilson A, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Study of the American South Specialty Group, Cultural Geography Specialty Group, Sexuality and Space Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

### **And the Band Played On: Defeating Depression and the Imposter Syndrome in Academia**

8:00 – 9:40 am in Wilson C, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Graduate Student Affinity Group, Black Geographies Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

### **GEOINT in Practice**

8:00 – 9:40 am in Lincoln 2, Marriott, Exhibition Level  
*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

### **Career Mentoring C**

9:55 – 11:35 am in Wilson B, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

### **Ever Forward: Making Queerness Visible in the U.S. South**

9:55 – 11:35 am in Wilson A, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Study of the American South Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

### **STEM Education Research Challenges and Opportunities for Geographers: A Discussion with NSF**

9:55 – 11:35 in Wilson C, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

### **Reinstitutionalizing Equity (II): Work, Occupations and Technological Change**

9:55 – 11:35 am in Maryland B, Marriott, Lobby Level  
*Sponsored by Economic Geography Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

### **Preparing Geographers for Government & Nonprofit Careers**

1:10 – 2:50 pm in Wilson B, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Public/Private Affinity Group, Careers and Professional Development*

### **Mentoring the Next Generation of Indigenous Geographers**

1:10 – 2:50 pm in Wilson A, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Indigenous Peoples Specialty Group, Graduate Student Affinity Group, Careers and Professional Development*

### **Learning Geography at/from/with HBCUs**

1:10 – 2:50 pm in Wilson C, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Graduate Student Affinity Group, Black Geographies Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

### **Proposal-Writing Strategies for the NSF Geography and Spatial Sciences Program 2**

1:10 – 2:50 pm in Virginia C, Marriott, Lobby Level  
*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

### **Challenging Injustice and the Neoliberal Academy from Within: Ethical Considerations for the Every-day Work of Scholars**

1:10 – 2:50 pm in 8228, Park Tower Suites, Marriott, Lobby Level  
*Sponsored by Geographic Perspectives on Women Specialty Group, Cultural and Political Ecology Specialty Group, Socialist and Critical Geography Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

### **W3\_2 Finding Your Career Outside Academia II: A Workshop for Graduate Students**

3:05 – 4:45 pm in Wilson B, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

### **Navigating the Field: Supporting Women in Geography Across Sub-Disciplines, 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Panel**

3:05 – 4:45 pm in Wilson A, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Graduate Student Affinity Group, Geographic Perspectives on Women Specialty Group, Harassment-Free AAG Initiative, Careers and Professional Development*

### **Gender, Entrepreneurship, and Innovation: A Regional Perspective**

3:05 – 4:45 pm in Wilson C, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Economic Geography Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

### **Speed-Dating with an NSF Program Officer 1**

3:05 – 4:45 pm in Virginia C, Marriott, Lobby Level  
*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

### **Applications of NASA Earth Observations**

5:00 – 6:40 pm in Wilson B, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Applied Geography Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

### **Graduate Student Affinity Group Plenary**

5:00 – 6:40 pm in Wilson A, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Graduate Student Affinity Group, Careers and Professional Development*

**Working Smarter Not Harder – The Mysteries of Publishing Unravelling by Regional Studies Association Editors**

5:00 – 6:40 pm in Maryland B, Marriott, Lobby Level  
*Sponsored by Economic Geography Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

**SATURDAY, APRIL 6**

**Reclaiming Critical Space in the Academy**

8:00 – 9:40 am in Wilson B, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Geographic Perspectives on Women Specialty Group, Harassment-Free AAG Initiative, Careers and Professional Development*

**Publishing in Geography and Food Studies**

8:00 – 9:40 am in Wilson C, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Historical Geography Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

**Teaching Programming for GIS and Geography**

8:00 – 9:40 am in 8210, Park Tower Suites, Marriott, Lobby Level  
*Sponsored by Geographic Information Science and Systems Specialty Group, Spatial Analysis and Modeling Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

**Best Practices for Teaching the AP Human Geography Test**

8:00 – 9:40 am in Washington 2, Marriott, Exhibition Level  
*Sponsored by Geography Education Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

**W4\_4 Walking the Tightrope: Practical Ideas for Women in Geography on Finding Your Voice**

9:30 – 12:00 pm in Wilson A, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Harassment-Free AAG Initiative, Careers and Professional Development*

**Career Mentoring D**

9:55 – 11:35 am in Wilson B, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

**Publishing Work in Historical Geography**

9:55 – 11:35 am in Wilson C, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Historical Geography Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

**Preparing Geographers for Business and Private Sector Careers**

1:10 – 2:50 pm in Wilson B, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Public/Private Affinity Group, Careers and Professional Development*

**Women in Geography, Building Leaders for Tomorrow**

1:10 – 2:50 pm in Wilson A, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Geography Faculty Development Alliance (GFDA), Geographic Perspectives on Women Specialty Group, Harassment-Free AAG Initiative, Careers and Professional Development*

**Placing “Failure” in Research: Challenges and Transformation in Geographic Fieldwork**

1:10 – 2:50 pm in Wilson C, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Ethnic Geography Specialty Group, Qualitative Research Specialty Group, Cultural Geography Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

**W4\_2 Preparing Students for 21<sup>st</sup> Century Careers in Geography**

3:05 – 4:45 pm in Wilson B, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

**Forum: Celebrating Diversity in Geography**

3:05 – 4:45 pm in Wilson A, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Disability Specialty Group, Sexuality and Space Specialty Group, Indigenous Peoples Specialty Group, Graduate Student Affinity Group, Careers and Professional Development*

**Speed-Dating with an NSF Program Officer 2**

3:05 – 4:45 pm in Wilson C, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

**Reading the AP Human Geography Test: The Craziest, Most Rewarding 7 Days of Your Life**

3:05 – 4:45 in Washington 2, Marriott, Exhibition Level  
*Sponsored by Geography Education Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

**SUNDAY, APRIL 7**

**Interdisciplinary Mentorship in Communities of Practice: Experiences, Best Practices, and Challenges**

8:00 – 9:40 am in Washington 2, Marriott, Exhibition Level  
*Sponsored by Careers and Professional Development*

**Geographies of Work Beyond the ‘Proper Job’**

9:55 – 11:35 am in Wilson C, Marriott, Mezzanine Level  
*Sponsored by Political Geography Specialty Group, Development Geographies Specialty Group, Cultural Geography Specialty Group, Careers and Professional Development*

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