

HESA Professional Development 3.21.17 Presenting/Networking at Conferences

1. Proposals
 - a. Keep track of deadlines for proposals for different conferences
 - b. Think of topics that have been challenging for you or you have enjoyed
 - c. Ask colleagues and/or friends to present
 - i. If they are at the same institution, that is helpful to prepare and communicate
 - ii. If they are not, having a close relationship is super helpful
 - d. Don't feel a lot of pressure to present at every conference; if you can't think of a topic, just go and learn at the conference
 2. Networking
 - a. Not all about the elevator speech, spend time building organic relationships with people you sit next to at meals, approach presenters to ask them questions, ask a presenter to grab coffee one morning to discuss something they said further etc.
 - b. Bring business cards and when you trade, write notes about the person so you can send a personalized follow-up email later
-

The Office of Research on Teaching in the Disciplines
announces a

Conference Forum for Graduate Students

*What should you expect when you participate in a
national or regional professional conference?*

What is a poster session?

How do I make contact with other graduate students attending the conference?

What financial support is available for conference participation?

Other questions?

Tuesday, March 28, 2017 10:30-1:00 pm Carmichael 211

(pizza served at noon)

Panelists:

Tina Ogodo - C & I : Getting the Most Out of Conferences

Marsha Simon - ESPMRC : Types of Conferences

Behzad Mansouri - C & I : Funding for Conferences

Jean - ELPTS : Networking