**THURSDAYS**  
**Noon – 12:50 p.m.**  
**Beginning January 11**  
University of Pittsburgh  
Swanson School of Engineering, Benedum Hall, Room 312

**THE FINAL DAY**  
**FOR ADDING A**  
**SPRING CLASS IS**  
**FRIDAY, JANUARY 19.**

**This seminar series is designed for PhD students interested in pursuing an academic career and within 1.5 years of graduating. Experienced faculty provide discussion-based seminars in two areas: (1) getting the desired academic position, and (2) how to be successful during the early years. Topics include, but are not limited to:**

- how to apply for academic positions
- preparing for the interview
- supervising graduate research
- balancing service obligations
- the promotion and tenure process
- funding avenues
- publishing and intellectual property
- teaching expectations
- balancing work-life issues

**COURSE COORDINATORS**  
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**To Register**

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