Panel: Leveraging Your Digital Presence for Professional Development
Thursday, March 14, 6:00pm-7:15pm, 106 Stanley Hall
You may know how to engage with other scientists through online platforms such as Twitter or ResearchGate, but need advice on how to use them strategically for career and professional growth. During this panel, you will have a chance to explore which platforms may be most useful to early career scientists, learn dos and don’ts to get started, and tips for developing goals for social media participation. Speakers include:

- David Drubin, PhD, Professor, MCB, UCB; Editor in Chief, *Molecular Biology of the Cell (MBoC)*
- Megan Hochstrasser, PhD, Science Communications Manager, Innovative Genomics Institute (UCB, MCB 2016)
- Sally Winkler, Founder and co-host of Double Shelix podcast, BioE doctoral student, UCSF/UCB

Panel: Finding the Right Postdoc
Thursday, April 4, 6:00pm-7:15pm, 106 Stanley Hall
What makes for a GREAT postdoc experience, and how can you ensure that this next step in your training will prepare you for a successful career? Panelists will discuss the process of identifying and pursuing postdoctoral opportunities. Why do a postdoc? What factors are important to consider, such as opportunities for publishing, relationships with colleagues/supervisors, funding? What are the steps in searching for a postdoc position? What do PIs look for when evaluating candidates? Speakers include:

- Stephen Brohawn, PhD, Assistant Professor, MCB, UCB;
- Britt Glaunsinger, PhD, Professor, PMB, UCB;
- Tatjana Petojevic, PhD in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Postdoc Fellow at Genentech and former UCB Postdoc

Panel: Funding Your Postdoc
Thursday, April 25, 2019, 6:00pm-7:15pm, 106 Stanley Hall
In the progression from graduate student to postdoctoral scholar, early career scientists start demonstrating their independence as researchers. Finding and securing funding can serve as an important step in the transition, demonstrating your ability to design research projects (as well as build your CV). In this panel, you will learn the types of awards Berkeley bioscientists pursue and hear from a reviewer for a prestigious award. Panelists will share their tips and insights into the application process. Speakers include:

- Randy Schekman, PhD, Professor, MCB, UCB;
- Elisa Zhang, PhD, Postdoc Fellow, Stanford School of Medicine (UCB, MCB 2015)