

PATHS

PROFESSIONAL ADVANCEMENT AND TRAINING FOR
HUMANISTS AND HUMANISTIC SOCIAL SCIENTISTS



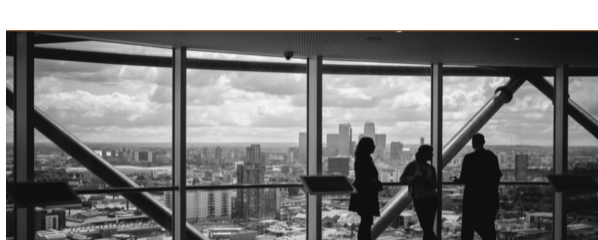
PATHS NEWSLETTER

PATHS is a Mellon-funded initiative that helps PhD students and postdocs in the humanities and humanistic social sciences chart a course toward careers in academia, industry, nonprofits, and government. This newsletter features career resources and professional development opportunities for these students and postdocs at UChicago.



EVENTS AND PROGRAMS

Virtual Trek: Exploring Think Tank Careers



Dec. 8-10, 2020, Online

Applications Due: Friday, Nov. 20, 2020

Would you like to use your academic skills to influence policy on local, national, and global scales? Join PATHS for a virtual "trek" to learn about careers in think tanks. Participating organizations include RAND, Brookings, the Chicago Council on Global Affairs, the Stimson Center, the Carnegie Endowment, the Aspen Institute, and more. View application instructions and more info in [GRAD Gargoyle](#).

PATHS AMA (Ask Me Anything)

Friday, Nov. 6, 12:00-1:00 p.m., Online

Join the PATHS team for a Q&A and info session. We'll answer ANY questions you have about the program or careers for PhDs. RSVP in [GRAD Gargoyle](#).



OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS AND PROGRAMS

- Career Conversation with David Maddox (VP, Portland State): Friday, Nov. 20, 12:30-1:30 p.m., Zoom. RSVP [here](#).
- Career Conversation with Elana Lopez (change.org): Monday, Nov. 30, 1:00-2:00, Zoom. RSVP [here](#).
- Academic Job Market AMA: Wednesday, Nov. 11, 12:30-1:30 p.m., Zoom. RSVP [here](#).

PATHS COURSES

Qualitative Research Careers



Friday-Saturday, Dec. 4-5, 2020, Zoom

Are you curious about public or private sector careers in audience research, UX research, and program evaluation? This 1.5-day online PATHS course will provide attendees with a basic awareness of the different goals, methods, and terminology used in this career area. The instructor is Tanya Treptow (PhD NELC '13), VP and Co-Director of Research at Slover Linett Audience Research.

Interested? RSVP and get more information in [GRAD Gargoyle](#)

Introduction to Performance Curation



3 Sessions; Friday, November 13 to Sunday, November 15, Zoom

In this short course, Sarah Curran, Consulting Curator for the Experimental Performance Initiative at UChicago, will offer an overview of the field of performance curation, the role of the curator, and the skills needed to support performing artists. For more information and to RSVP, visit [GRAD Gargoyle](#).

JOBS AND INTERNSHIPS

Modern Philology Internships

Modern Philology

Critical and Historical Studies in Literature,
Medieval through Contemporary

Modern Philology is seeking three interns for the 2020-21 academic year:

1. [Historiography and Social Media Intern](#)
2. [Database Development Intern](#)
3. [Reviews Assistant](#)

Click on the positions for more information. \$6000 stipend.



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CAREER INSIGHTS



Did You Know?

With your PhD in the humanities and humanistic social sciences, you could . . .

- Work as an instructional technologist like this [Divinity School Ph.D.](#)
- Work in qualitative research like this [Archaeology Ph.D.](#)

Reading List

- [Writing a Zine In a Pandemic - BIPOC Guest Post](#) from *The Professor is In Blog*
- [Tips for Improving Academic Writing](#) from *Interfolio Blog*

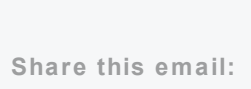
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