

# UIC Non-Academic Science Career Workshop



*Good news! The unemployment rate for people with science PhDs is very low – about 1-2%.  
But did you know... Only 30% of science PhD holders end up working in academia?  
And only 3% of them become professors?  
Fact: The vast majority of PhDs work outside of academia.*

**When: Monday March 28, 2016**

**Where: SSB Conference Rooms A,B&C**

**Time: 12:00 PM-5:00 PM**

**Free Lunch Provided for all who Pre-Register**

**RSVP: <https://uofi.uic.edu/fb/sec/9728973>**

**Space is Limited! Be sure to register today!**

Sessions Include:

**\*What do I do with my graduate degree?**

Rudy Bellani (PhD, Neuroscience, Rockefeller University), founder and CEO of Oystir.com, will describe non-academic career paths for people with graduate degrees in science: What those careers are like, what type of people do well in them, and what it takes to get a job.

**\*Career-specific breakout sessions:**

Attendees will hear specifics about the most popular and lucrative career options: biotech, consulting, science writing, startups, etc. Learn how to break into the career path best suited for you!

**\*Resume overhaul:**

After learning about specific career options, attendees will be taught how to turn their academic CV into a resume for the non-academic career they want, and how to actually find and apply for jobs.

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