



**Upcoming Events**

**Work-Life Integration with Jamie Ladge**

May 18, 2011  
12:00 - 1:30  
411 Richards Hall  
[RSVP Here](#)

**NSF Career Grants: Proposal Writing Workshop**

June 7, 2011  
9am-1:30pm  
431 Stearns Hall  
[RSVP Here](#)

**Chair's Corner**

Preparing for new additions to your family is an exciting time. But it can also be stressful, as both you and your colleagues need to prepare for you to change your schedule and work priorities. This [article](#) from the Tomorrow's Professor Mailing List gives some great tips for helping faculty organize and prepare for maternity and paternity leaves in labs, departments and centers.



-Graham Jones

Chair of Chemistry and Chemical Biology, ADVANCE co-PI

**Work-Life Intergration - with Professor Jamie Ladge**

The monthly ADVANCE luncheon will be on May 18, 2011. ADVANCE will host Jamie Ladge, Assistant Professor of Management and Organizational Development in the College of Business, for a conversation on Work-Life Integration. Professor Ladge is an expert in stigmatized social identities and gender and diversity issues in organizations. She will be presenting research on the intersection of identity, careers and work-life integration in organizations. Her presentation will be followed by a question and answer session and discussion. We encourage faculty of all levels to come and share their experiences. From marathoners to moms, all balancing acts are welcome. Please [RSVP here](#) to reserve your place around the table for this event. The event will be in 411 Richards Hall at 12pm.



**Mass AWIS (Association for Women in Science) Mentoring**



The Mass chapter of AWIS announces its 2011-2012 Mentoring Circle Program. Useful for providing support and development, mentoring circles focus on career growth and problem solving in a supportive environment. If you are a woman scientist, or know one, who would benefit from mentoring and networking, this program could be very beneficial! Find out more about AWIS and the Mentoring Circle [here](#).

**NSF CAREER Grants: Proposal Writing Workshop**

Sign up for this great workshop on the importance of an NSF CAREER Proposal for tenure-track faculty. The workshop will consist of a series of presentations concerning the proposal writing process, including Do's and Don'ts, tips on grant writing, what makes a career proposal different from others, and personal experiences in getting the grant. Lunch will be served. The workshop will be June 7, 2011 from 9am-1:30pm in 431 Stearns Hall. [RSVP here](#).

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