



# Agenda

## SYNERGI Career Development Workshop

Hartford Marriott Downtown  
200 Columbus Boulevard, Hartford, CT 06103

WEDNESDAY, JULY 26, 2017  
MARRIOTT CAPITAL ROOM 1 & 2

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| 5:00 PM – 6:00 PM | Registration - <b>Capital Room Foyer</b>          |
| 6:00 PM – 9:00 PM | Welcome Dinner & Alliance Talks (Plenary Session) |

**Alliance Talk Speakers:**

1. **David Castro**, Staff Scientist, NALCO Water, An Ecolab Company
2. **Tammi Taylor**, Assistant Professor, Department of Biology, Jackson State University
3. **Linda Miller**, Executive Editor, Cancer Immunology Research, American Association for Cancer Research
4. **Amalia Avila**, Sales Manager, Biocytogen USA

THURSDAY, JULY 27, 2017  
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8:00 AM - 9:00 AM	Check out of hotel and breakfast
9:00 AM - 10:30 AM	<p><b><i>Using Workforce Data to Guide Career Development</i></b></p> <p><b>Facilitators:</b> Barbara Schreiber and Chelsea Barbercheck</p> <p>This workshop presents a process whereby data on the biomedical workforce is generated and then used to help trainees with career exploration and identification of skills required for careers of interest. Case studies will promote discussion and encourage the audience to think about what career options they should consider and how to work toward achieving their career goals.</p>
10:30 AM - 10:45 AM	Break
10:45 AM - 12:00 PM	<p><b><i>How to Identify and Highlight your Experiences for the Right Career Opportunity</i></b></p> <p><b>Facilitator:</b> Lauren Celano</p> <p>This workshop will provide advice on how to prepare and conduct an effective job search to ensure a focused search on roles and organizations aligned to your values, interests, and skills. Tips on how to identify and research organizations through LinkedIn, conferences, and networking will be provided. You will also learn how to create a job search checklist and the value of formally tracking your progress over time. The workshop will also cover the importance of tailoring a resume and cover letter for each job with examples as a guide.</p>
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM	CV/ Résumé Review Lunch
1:00 PM - 2:45 PM	Speed Mentoring
2:45 PM - 3:00 PM	Closing Remarks/Adjourn