



# Society for Viral Studies

GBM 4: Monday, October 18, 2021



# This or That

## 01 Careers

Lab work or field work?

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## 02 Interests

Viruses or bacteria?

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## 03 What you want more info on

Applications or interviews?

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## 04 Which is more interesting to you

Epidemics or pandemics?

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# Member Appreciation



Farah

- Being awesome and driving friends to Yogurtology :)

Jaclyn and Brianna G

- Bacteriophage folding geniuses at the homecoming festival!

Erynne

- Tabling master at the homecoming festival!

Antonia

- Pitched the club amazingly at the homecoming festival and held a cockroach fearlessly at CALS Kickoff!

# UF Research and Professional Opportunities



## Graduate & Professional Schools Fair

Where: Virtual on [Career Fair Plus \(Desktop or Mobile App\)](#)

When: Wednesday, October 20<sup>th</sup> 10am – 2pm (Event is open NOW for students to schedule appointments for the day of the event)

This is a great opportunity to meet graduate and professional school representatives from around the country who recruit University of Florida students and alumni interested in pursuing higher education. Over 35 programs are registered for the 2021 Virtual Fair. For further questions, contact our Career Events staff with the Career Connections Center at (352) 273-2331 or [CCCCareerFairs@ufsa.ufl.edu](mailto:CCCCareerFairs@ufsa.ufl.edu).

## Paid Undergraduate Research Opportunity: Information Session

October 13 | 12:30 p.m. | Bob Graham Center, Pugh Hall

Information session regarding "Civic Scholars," a paid (\$500) program at the Bob Graham Center for Public Service. Students will learn about qualitative and quantitative research design upon completion of a 3 credit course. This is an opportunity to learn about the program before the [application deadline on Monday, November 1st](#). The 2022 Civic Scholars will research public opinion, civic engagement, and public policy in the state of Florida. Civic Scholars is meant to be an introductory research experience where students will work collectively to design and execute a research project. [Learn more about attending the information session virtually or receiving a recording of the event!](#)



Applications are open for the [UF Center for Undergraduate Research](#) Emerging Scholars Program! The program is for freshmen and sophomores who are interested in adding a research experience to their curriculum. Students should not have previous university level research experience.

Applications are due November 19. Learn more at <http://ow.ly/I1IE50Gfio3>

Check out our website (<http://virologuuf.weebly.com/>) for more information!

## Tabling Events



We will be tabling at the Discover Your Career in Healthcare Conference!

- October 26 from 5-6pm
- Career Connections Center in the Reitz Union
- Please see Hailey after the meeting if you are interested in tabling!
- The registration link will be sent in Slack after the meeting

# Volunteering

- Collecting peanut butter through the end of November
- Quick Poll – Raise of hands for interest in different volunteering events
  - Fall 2021:
    - Group volunteering at Nicoya Farm: variety of tasks including harvesting, planting, cleaning veggies, etc.
      - T, W, F from 8am-12pm
    - Free Grocery Store: Help sort and pack food donations.
      - T & W anytime
    - Beautification Projects with Keep Alachua County Beautiful
      - Picking up trash, removing weeds, etc. Any day of the week/time!
  - Spring 2022:
    - Serve as judges at Alachua County Science Fair
    - Saturday volunteering at Wilmot Gardens

## Weekly Wisdom: Careers in Virology

Careers in virology include research, work in medical schools, hospitals, lab centers, and government agencies

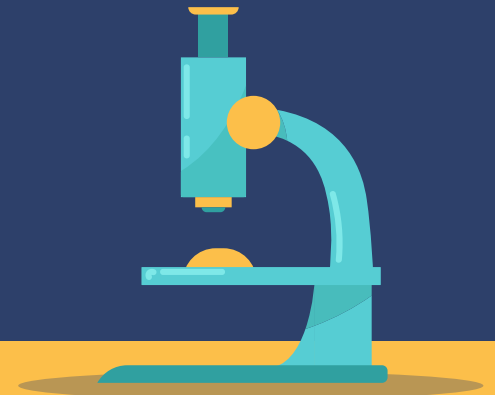
Microbiology-related fields are projected to grow by 5% from 2020 to 2030

Education:

A bachelor's degree in Microbiology or in a related field is needed for entry-level microbiologist jobs

Need lab experience before entering the workforce

A Ph.D. is needed for independent research and to work in universities



# UF Homecoming Festival

Thank you to everyone who tabled and came to talk to us at the event!





# Viral Jeopardy Social



Congratulations to Viral Jeopardy Champion Hailey!

Challenged participants with questions in viral structure, transmission, epidemiology, and more.

We forgot to take a picture but shout out to Farah and RYanne for playing too!

# CALS Kickoff

Thanks to everyone who stopped by our table at CALS Kickoff to see Hailey, Ryanne, and Antonia!

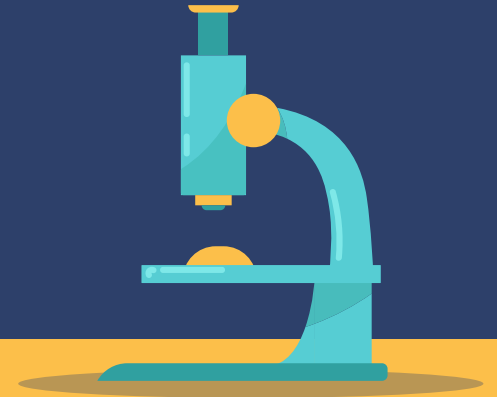


PS: Did you get a selfie with Albert or the cockroach?

# Trips

Unfortunately, the Cleveland Clinic's Lerner Research Institute had a COVID outbreak and cannot take guests until further notice

- Working on rescheduling for a later date or finding a new location for fall



# Virtual Trip: Black Plague Graveyard

The Black Death epidemic had run its course by the early 1350s, but the plague reappears every few generations.. Modern sanitation and public-health practices have greatly mitigated the impact of the disease but have not eliminated it. While antibiotics are available to treat the Black Death, according to The WHO, there are still 1,000-3,000 annual cases.

## Bubonic Death Burial Ground:

<https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=40F4sHQVabA>

[https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=9L9CBr\\_wleg](https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=9L9CBr_wleg)

## Virtual graveyards:

<https://nolacatholiccemeteries.org/360-virtual-tour>



# Yogurtology Fundraiser

Thanks to everyone who came to our Yogurtology fundraiser!

We even convinced groups of strangers to participate!



# Upcoming Events



- Halloween Party
  - Baking cookies and making spooky crafts at Jennings Hall (courtesy of Erin)
  - Either Saturday 10/23 or 10/30 in the afternoon
    - Vote!
- Holiday Party
  - Monday, Dec. 6th at 7pm at the Cheesecake Factory
  - White Elephant gift exchange
    - Bring a wrapped \$10 gift to exchange!

# Resume and CV Workshop

Let's play Kahoot!

# What's the difference between a Resume and a CV?

## Resume

- Should be 1 page
- “Just the highlights” of your academic/professional career”
- Include things like extracurriculars, volunteering, etc.
- A more “holistic” of who you are
- Used for job applications

## CV

- Should be 2+ pages
- Include everything from your academic/professional career
- Limit to relevant work, research, publications
- Used for graduate school/professional school applications, research applications



# Common Resume Structures

## **Bolded headers**

Emphasize specific items

## **Using fonts/italicizing**

Highlights officer positions, key duties, etc.

## **List dates**

Typically on the right side of the page

## **Consistency**

If you use a format for dates, italicizing, etc. for something, do it for all!

# Common Resume Headers

## Education

Should ALWAYS come first!

## Professional experience

Research, internships, etc. – should be relevant to your field

## Technical skills

And other proficiencies

## Optional headers

Publications  
Awards  
Memberships

# Action Words

This is how you make yourself sound amazing!

Examples:

- Designed
- Collaborated
- Utilized
- Assisted
- Led/instructed
- Managed

# Preparing Your Resume/CV

## Listing order

- Have what you want seen at the top
  - This can be adjusted depending on the position!
  - More relevant experiences
- Chronological is fine if you have no preference

## Keep descriptions short

- Focus on skills exercised (actions words!) rather than tasks done

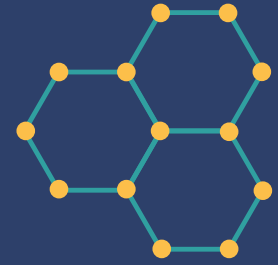
## Update frequently!

- Replace less relevant experiences as you gain more
- Don't be afraid to make changes!
- Keep an running log of all experiences for quick reference
- Use different experiences per what you are applying for

# Example Resumes

# Sticker Raffle

- Viral Jeopardy
- GBM 4



## General Information

For information on fundraisers, active member requirements, ordering viral merchandise, or a calendar of events, please refer to our website (<http://virologyuf.weebly.com/>) or see an officer!



# Member Monday

All members please fill out this form now!





# The Maruniak Legacy

- Balance your PIES
  - Physical, emotional, and intellectual wellbeing with sleep
- Remove “um” from your vocabulary
- Question everything
- When everyone says you can't, keep going
- Don't limit yourself; keep your options open
- Don't be scared to ask for help



**Dr. Jim Maruniak**

Club Founder

# Final Announcements



## Join Slack

Scan QR code  
See Hailey for help



## Facebook

Page/Group:  
UF Society for  
Viral Studies  
[@virology.uf](#)



## Instagram

[@virology.uf](#)

## Website

[virologyuf.weebly.com](http://virologyuf.weebly.com)



## Next GBM

Monday, November 1  
7:30pm  
Reitz 2315 or Zoom



## Next Event

Halloween Party  
Saturday afternoon  
10/23 or 10/30  
Jennings Hall

# THANKS

Does anyone have any questions?

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