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Upcoming Events

Research Administration at Northeastern with Deborah Grupp-Patruz

February 17, 2010
411 Richards Hall
11:45 - 1:00pm (lunch incl.)
[RSVP here](#)

Panel of Recently Promoted Faculty

March 17, 2010
411 Richards
11:45 - 1:25pm (lunch incl.)
[RSVP here](#)

Chair's Corner

"It is who you know and who knows you"



- is the title of an article that describes how networking is important for business. However in academia, there is the added importance of who knows you. For some helpful tips, new and seasoned faculty are encouraged to check out this [article](#) from The Chronicle of Higher Education. It discusses self promotion and networking with sensitivity given to the fact that we are academics not "salesmen."

-Graham Jones

Chair of Chemistry and Chemical Biology,
ADVANCE co-PI

Research Administration at Northeastern



Learn how Northeastern develops research relationships with funding institutions. On February 17, 2010, ADVANCE invites you to hear about the available initiatives and opportunities here at Northeastern with the Director of Research Administration & Finance, Deborah Grupp-Patruz. We encourage those interested to [RSVP here](#).

Tenure and Promotion

It is the time of year to gather information for annual merit reviews. Take the opportunity to take this organization one step further. Be sure to scan and archive documents that you will want to use in a tenure or promotion dossier. This is a good idea whether the review is next year or in five years. For those applying for tenure or promotion in the Fall of 2010, now is the time to start planning and preparing your dossier. Outline research activities (short and long term) and gather and organize all your paperwork. Refer to the new 2010 [model dossier](#) for guidance. The process requires that your dossier and most appendices be presented in an electronic format. Scanning and document conversion can be a time consuming endeavor. So, start early, network outside the university, and ask your department committee or chair what and when things are needed.



International Research Collaborations

Have you taken part in international research collaborations? Would you like to, but are finding barriers in the process of establishing collaborations? ADVANCE is conducting research with faculty who have and you have not had these experiences. Forty faculty members have already participated in focus groups and personal interviews, and we are looking for additional faculty participants. If you are interested in talking about international collaborations, please email [Dr. Guckenheimer](#).

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