

# Presentation Skills

Presentation and public speaking skills are required of all graduate students and postdoctoral scholars for success in their programs and chosen career fields. For English language learners, additional resources are available to help address the challenges of communicating in a non-native language.

## WORKSHOPS

### Are You Engaged? Communicating the Value of Research to Public Audiences

Tuesday, January 21 | 11:00-1:00pm | SCC Room D  
[Learn More and Register](#)

**Creating an Effective and Memorable Presentation**  
Wednesday, January 22 | 5:00-6:30pm | Garrison Room, MU  
[Learn More and Register](#)

**Improv for Academics**  
Tuesdays, February 4 & 11 | 4:00pm-6:00pm  
| Arena Theatre, Wright Hall  
[Learn More and Register](#)

**Grad Slam Qualifying Rounds**  
Monday, February 10 | 9:00am-12:00pm | Educ. Bldg Rm  
1204 LH (Sacramento)  
[Learn More and Register](#)

**Grad Slam Qualifying Rounds**  
Thursday, February 13 | 8:00am-5:00pm | SCC Room D  
[Learn More and Register](#)

**Lights, Camera, Action:  
On Camera Media Training Clinic for Researchers**  
Thursday & Friday, March 12 & 13 | 9:00-4:00pm & 9:00-  
12:00pm | TBD  
[Learn More and Register](#)

## Coming in Spring 2020:

**Postdoctoral Research Symposium**      **Monday, March 30 8:00 am - 7:00 pm**      [Learn More](#)

The UC Davis Postdoctoral Research Symposium is an annual event that showcases the research and scholarly work of postdoctoral scholars across disciplines at UC Davis. This day-long symposium includes oral poster presentation, panel discussion, and an awards ceremony.

## PRESENTATION SKILLS CONSULTATIONS

[Schedule a Consultation](#)

Available through partnership with the Center for Educational Effectiveness (CEE), receive feedback to make your presentations more engaging and better learning experiences for your audience.

## GRAD SLAM

[Sign Up for Grad Slam](#)

A competition to find the best three-minute research presentation given by a UC Davis graduate student. The winner of the campus-wide competition will compete in the UC system-wide competition in spring quarter! Prizes are awarded at both competitions.

## TUTORING OR LANGUAGE EXCHANGE

[Sign up to be a part of the Language Exchange Program](#)

The UC Davis Language Center has program designed to help native speakers of one language find native speakers of another to help one other in language learning. Through the Tandem Exchange Program you can conduct a search available language partners on the website. The Pal Program through the Office of Undergraduate Education, International and Academic English, pairs up UC Davis students for intercultural conversation experiences. Participants can use these sessions to practice their target language, acquire intercultural competence, explore campus, and enrich their college experience.

## [ADDITIONAL RESOURCES FOR ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS](#)

[View all Winter Quarter GradPathways Events](#)



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