Insider’s Look at Trends in Higher Education for Graduate Students

Tuesday, March 18, 12:00 to 2:00p.m., MPR Lower Level

Are you considering entering Academia after graduate school? Learn more about the profession and where higher education is heading with MOOCS, adjuncts, funding, globalization, and changing students demographics that may impact your place of employment. Please RSVP at http://bit.ly/1oOfQdv.

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