1st Gen Graduate Students – How to Successfully Navigate your First Year of Graduate School

Tuesday, October 17, 2017
1:00-2:30pm – Student Community Center, Room E

Please RSVP: https://1stgenerationgradstudent.eventbrite.com

Are you a first generation college or grad school student? Is a research university structure (and hierarchy) unfamiliar to you? Are you unsure who to ask confidential questions? If you answered yes to these questions, then this workshop is for you! Learn from seasoned 1st gen staff and faculty how to navigate your first year of graduate school successfully. In this workshop attendees will learn about the many people and resources to draw upon and where to go for answers and support that may be a given for some, but must be learned by others. All are welcome to attend.

**Instructor: Josephine Moreno, Ph.D.**

Josephine Moreno, Ph.D., is the Graduate Diversity Officer for the Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences (HASS) at UC Davis. Dr. Moreno is returning to UC Davis where she earned her B.S. in Textiles and Clothing and later held a position as a postdoctoral scholar from 1995-1996. After earning her doctoral degree in Textiles and Clothing from Iowa State University, Dr. Moreno was an Assistant Professor at the University of Rhode Island where she taught undergraduate and graduate courses, and supervised Master's graduate students. For the past 12 years, Dr. Moreno has held the position of Graduate Diversity Director for the Arts & Humanities Division in the College of Letters & Science at UC Berkeley. Dr. Moreno has extensive experience working closely with prospective and current graduate students from diverse populations on financial, academic and personal matters.