



Join our special guest CBE Alum, Arianna Watters (2010 and 2014) where she will present "Life After Grad School."

Date: Wednesday, September 6, 2017

Time: 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm

**Location: Hill Conference Room** 

## You Will Learn:

Landing your first job

o Life beyond grad school - reestablishing the work-life balance

o Building your network outside of academia

o The key to success in industry is commercialization

## Presenter Bio:

Arianna graduated from Drexel in 2010 with a BS in Chemical Engineering and continued research under Dr. Palmese and the Materials Science and Engineering department to earn a PhD in 2014. She began her career with Avon Products, Inc. in the New Technology Department, with a focus on evaluating novel materials from adjacent industries for cosmetic use. Arianna returned to the polymers industry in 2017, joining FXI, a polyurethane foam company and works on developing new formulations and evaluating new technologies to enable new benefit spaces and applications.