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Graduate School
Panel

{University or School}

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Introductions

Name of Distinguished Lecturer

- Position, Organization
- Ph.D. from School
- Area of Interest

Name of Panelist

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Grad student #1

- To be revised: year-in-program, B.S. from where, interests, jobs, internships, etc

Grad student #2

- To be revised as above



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Some Questions

- Why did you go to grad school?
- Research is what the graduate school experience really all about, so what excites you about the research you do?
- Myths and Surprises about grad school.
- Biggest challenge?
- How to prepare? Finding out if you like research.
- Advice on applying. Funding. Ph.D. or MS.?



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Resources

- Graduate School Information brochure and other information:
<http://www.cra.org/highlights/student.html>
- Advice for undergraduates considering graduate school:
<http://polaris.gseis.ucla.edu/pagre/grad-school.html>
- How to succeed in graduate school:
<http://www.acm.org/crossroads/xrds1-2/advice1.html>
<http://www.acm.org/crossroads/xrds1-3/advice2.html>
- Choosing a ph.d. program in computer science
<http://www.acm.org/crossroads/xrds6-1/choosing.html>
- Internships & more: <http://www.acm.org/crossroads/resources>
- Fellowships: <http://pag.csail.mit.edu/~amy/fellowships.html>



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Feedback

- Please fill out [Exit Survey](#) before you leave.
- More comments on how to improve this panel *after* you leave are also welcome : joann@avaya.com,
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