Expectations for STEM Oral Communication Fellows and Research Team

Fellows will learn the following skills:

- Employ storytelling techniques to discuss your research
- Use Improvisation techniques during conversations about your research
- Convey a strong stage presence
- Create and edit a podcast about an open access journal article in your field
- Prepare and deliver Curiosity Café events to the public

Each Fellow agrees to:

- Attend weekly workshops; 90 minutes per week for the duration of the academic year
- During the fall semester: script, record and edit two podcasts with your partner (you will each be in charge of one)
- During the spring semester: attend all Curiosity Cafés; present at one
- Keep a weekly journal. This journal may be collected occasionally by the research team
- Miss no more than three workshops, or your Fellowship may be revoked.
- Meet all deadlines
- Collaborate productively and respectfully with your cohort

The research team agrees to:

- Assist Fellows in creating and achieving goals related to this program
- Support the Fellows in their learning in a non-judgmental manner
- Provide each Fellow with regular feedback
- Be available for one on one meetings
- Guide Fellows on earning 592 independent study credits
- Meet all deadlines
- Provide financial support for Fellows to attend the American Association for the Advancement of Science Conference upon completion of the program

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