



The Office for Postdoctoral Scholars  
The Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences  
The Graduate Student Body Committee

*Present a Professional Development Seminar*

# Conveying Messages with Graphs

**PLEASE NOTE  
TIME CHANGE**

**Jean-luc Doumont, Ph.D.**



Jean-luc Doumont, Ph.D., trains scientists, engineers, business people, and other rational minds across the world in effective communication using an original approach that contrasts sharply with traditional methods.

As an encore to last year's acclaimed talk, "Making the Most of your Presentation," he will present how to convey messages with graphs, taking a good look at what is a frequently yet very often poorly used communication device in papers and presentations: graphs. It discusses how to choose the right graph, optimize its construction, and write a useful caption.

Jean-luc is the author of *Trees, Maps, and Theorems*, a critically acclaimed book on effective communication for rational minds, and of the Nature series *English Communication for Scientists* on nature.com.

**Wednesday, January 28, 2015**

**NEW TIME: 1:30 to 3:00 p.m.**

**THIS IS A 90-MINUTE PRESENTATION WITH Q&A TO FOLLOW**

**Hiatt Auditorium, S1-608**

**Refreshments will be served**