1. ‘FACE TO FACE’ WITH SCIENTIST AKA CHILDREN’S BOOK AUTHOR

One of UC Davis’ newest faculty members may be focused on researching the way the body sends signals about being cold, but she’s also writing a series of children’s books so kids from underrepresented minorities know they can be scientists.

“As a Black woman that was once a young Black girl, growing up in the nineties there weren’t a lot of books that had people that looked like me,” said Theanne Griffith, an assistant professor of in the department of Physiology and Membrane Biology, in the School of Medicine. “And I don’t think I realized until I got older the consequence of that lack of representation on my confidence to be a successful scientist.”

Griffith is the author of The Magnificent Makers, which her website describes as “a modern-day Magic School Bus for chapter book readers” ages 7-10. She wrote the first when she was on leave after having her first daughter in 2017 and sought to show a diverse group of children learning and taking a scientific approach to solving problems. Three books have been published so far, and the fourth, The Magnificent Makers: The Great Germ Hunt, is due out in October.

For entire article, click here.

2. MERITS & PROMOTIONS TOOLKIT 2021/2022

Please see attachment for the following information!

- Items needed to process your merit or promotion advancement
- Tips for successful review
- How your CV is entered into MyInfoVault (MIV) System
- Template for writing your Candidate Statement
- Extramural letters information-Requirements if you are eligible for a promotion/merit that required letter of reference
- Contributions to jointly authored works- What do you need to provide?

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3. ANTI-RACISM AND CULTURAL HUMILITY (ARC) FELLOWSHIP – APPLICATIONS NOW BEING ACCEPTED!
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4. JUST ADDED – FACULTY SEARCH COMMITTEE DATES JUNE-JULY

- June 16th from 1-3pm - **Automatically register yourself** for this date
- July 21st from 1-3pm - **Automatically register yourself** for this date