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# WITHITS



## The **Samoa Circle** Event

Monday July 11, 2016

Time: Monday lunch

Location: 40.S03

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WITHITS (Women in Information Theory) invites you to participate in our informal and fun Samoa Circle Event. All are welcome; the focus is on issues pertaining to women in academia.

Rules and **LUNCH** provided.

### Topics of discussion:

- (i) **tenure process:** perception and reality;
- (ii) **transition challenges:** student to postdoc to research/teaching faculty;
- (iii) **finding good mentors**
- (iv) **parenting and tenure/academic process:** concerns/issues/pretend-it-doesn't-exist ?
- (v) **how to mentor/advise female students:** addressing their unique challenges
- (vi) **gender and evaluations**

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