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**ALUMNI-SPONSORED SEMINAR SERIES PRESENTS...**

## **“A CHEMIST’S GUIDE TO FORGING A MULTI-FACETED CAREER PATH”**

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Savanah L. Saldaña-Shumaker is a chemistry educator, entrepreneur, and STEM advocate. Throughout her career as a chemist, she has worked in industry, government, startups, and academia in medicinal, analytical, and cosmetic chemistry settings. She now serves as an Instructor of Practical Applications (Chemistry) at the United States Naval Academy and is also the Co-Founder of 8 Count Cosmetics. Beyond her teaching and entrepreneurship, Savanah is an active leader in the scientific community and holds volunteer leadership roles in a variety of organizations. In this talk, she will discuss her career journey, share scientific insights, and provide advice on navigating diverse career paths in STEM.



**TUESDAY | MARCH 11, 2025**  
**12:30 PM | ZOOM PRESENTATION**

All WPU students are welcome. Zoom links will be emailed.  
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