

# The 5 step plan for building a community

Sarvani Chadalapaka  
HPC Manager

University of California Merced  
schadalapaka@ucmerced.edu



# THANK YOU ALL FOR BEING HERE!!



When an email finds me well



# Why build a community?

Career is a jungle gym



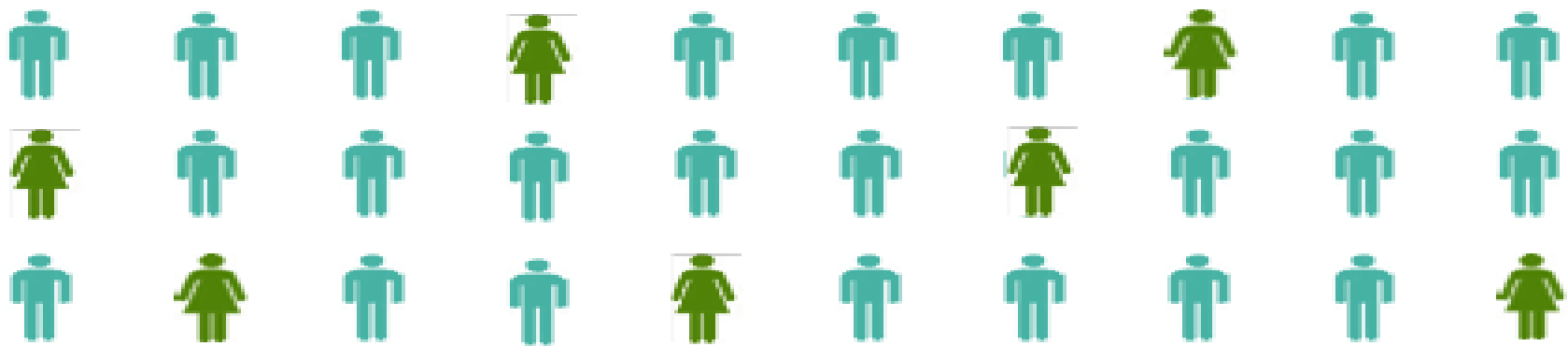
# Research Computing Communities



# How to build a community?

1. Identify barrier(s)
2. Leverage existing work in the space
3. Have a plan
4. Execute
5. Receive feedback

(Repeat)



# Join Women in HPC

Join the conversation on social media

Membership is free and open to all

[www.womeninhpc.org/membership](http://www.womeninhpc.org/membership)



**Women in HPC Mentoring Program: [womeninhpc.org/mentoring](http://womeninhpc.org/mentoring)**