

ND POSTDOC NEWSLETTER

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Important Resources

Monthly Postdoc Open Forum

Come meet Valli, Associate Program Director of the Postdoc Office, to ask questions about professional development, career exploration, and other services offered by the Postdoc Office in particular and Notre Dame as a whole. International scholars are also welcome to discuss matters specific to them.

Postdoc Corner

ND Postdoc received a highly competitive Research Career Development award from the NIH/NCI!

Dr. Tyvette Hilliard, a postdoctoral fellow in the laboratory of Dr. Sharon Stack, Director of Harper Cancer Research Institute, received a highly competitive 5-year K01 Research Career Development award from the NIH/NCI. Her project titled 'The



Impact of Maternal Obesity on the Reprogramming of the Metastatic Microenvironment' will investigate how maternal obesity may influence the susceptibility of offspring to ovarian cancer metastasis. Tyvette is the first-ever K01 awardee from the University of Notre Dame. The Harper Cancer Research Institute is happy to retain this highly promising young investigator as she begins her track record of independent federal funding here at Notre Dame.

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Why We Need Ph.D. Career Fairs

By Leonard Cassuto for [The Chronicle of Higher Education](#)

Graduate schools can't afford to wait for employers to come to us, Leonard Cassuto writes. Click [here](#) to read more about this unique development in post-Ph.D. career exploration.



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The ND Postdoc Newsletter wants to share your research or article you have

Date: Thursday, August 3rd
Time: 2 - 4 pm
Location: McCourtney 206

Date: Wednesday, August 9th
Time: 11 am - 1 pm
Location: LaFortune 312 (Blue room)

Date: Thursday, August 17th
Time: 2 - 4 pm
Location: Stinson Remick 100

One-on-One Consultations



Do you need assistance with...

- Career counseling
- Planning and defining career goals
- Exploring career options
- Identifying strengths and weakness and plan for skills development
- CV, resume or cover Letter feedback
- LinkedIn/Google scholar profile
- Preparing for upcoming interviews

Contact [Valli Sarveswaran](#) to schedule a one-on-one consultation.

International Postdocs



- [English for Academic Purposes](#)
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ND Calendar & Events

written with the ND Postdoc Community. If you would like to submit an article for the newsletter, please email [Valli Sarveswaran](#).

Career Services

Administration 101: The First-Round Interview

By David D. Perlmutter for [Chronicle Vitae](#)

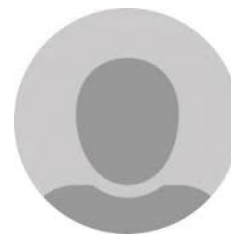
So you've made it out of a very crowded candidate pool. You are one of perhaps six to 12 semifinalists in an administrative search. What happens next? Click [here](#) to read more about interviewing well.



Events and Workshops

FREE Professional Head Shots for Postdocs!

The Office for Postdoctoral Scholars is offering FREE professional head shots for postdocs who have't used this service for the last 12 months. Walk-In Opportunity: No appointment necessary. Attire: Business formal. Dress for success!



Dates

- Friday, August 4, 2017 - 9 am - 12 pm
- Wednesday, August 23 - 4 - 7 pm
- Thursday, August 24 - 4 - 7 pm
- Friday, August 25 - 9 am - 12 pm

Location

- Jordan Hall of Science (Usually by the North Entrance/Lobby)

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World on Tap

International postdocs and friends are invited to World on Tap, a monthly social sponsored by Notre Dame International. Join us on first Wednesdays for community and free appetizers; the first 50 attendees will receive a free drink ticket valued up to \$6. Please bring a valid photo ID.





For a full listing of events on the Notre Dame campus for this week click [here](#).

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Academic iNDex



A secure and easily accessible online repository for your academic and professional information, where you can upload your CV publications, presentations, grants, work history, and other academic achievements.

For more information about Academic iNDex and how to use it, click [here](#).

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National Postdoctoral Association (NPA)



The University of Notre Dame is a sustaining member of the NPA. ND Postdocs can join the NPA for **free**. Learn about the benefits of a NPA membership [here](#).

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Notre Dame Graduate Student, Spouse, and Significant Other Network (GSN)



The Graduate Student Union (GSU) is accepting postdocs as members in the Graduate Student, Spouse and Significant Other Network (GSN). For more information about the GSN and how to get involved, visit [their Facebook page](#).

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- Date: August 2, 2017
- Time: 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM
- Location: Rohr's at the Morris Inn ([map](#))

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National Postdocs Appreciation Week

The University of Notre Dame is proud to recognize postdoctoral scholars and the significant contributions they make to research and discovery.



In 2010 the U.S. House of Representatives recognized the week starting third Monday in September as National Postdoctoral Appreciation Week.

National Postdoc Appreciation Week (Sept. 18 through Sept. 22.) will be filled with both social and professional development events for ND Postdocs!

Stay tuned for detailed announcement soon. The following events are planned for the week.

- Postdoc etiquette dinner
- Immigration and employment options
- Notre Dame Resources for postdocs

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Professional Development

Join the Notre Dame Postdoc LinkedIn Group!

The Notre Dame Office for Postdoctoral Scholars has created a special LinkedIn group for all ND postdocs, graduate students, and faculty to share professional information.



To join the group, click [here](#) and then click "Ask to Join." Make sure to update your profile, profile picture, and check notification settings. If you need help creating or optimizing your LinkedIn profile, please contact [Valli](#).

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Hesburgh Libraries Workshops



The Hesburgh Libraries and Center for Digital Scholarship workshops are offered to all ND Postdocs.

Hesburgh Libraries Workshops

- Register: <http://library.nd.edu/about/workshops.shtml>

Spotlight Jobs of the Week

Engineering

- [Assistant Professor/Associate Professor/Professor \(Chemical Engineering\)](#)
- [Machine Learning Engineer \(PhD level\) at ThirdEye](#)

Humanities

- [Assistant Professor of English](#)
- [Dean of Wesley Seminary](#)

Business

- [Tenure-Track Assistant or Associate Professor in International Business](#)
- [Director- Energy, Power and Products Group](#)

Science

- [Assistant Professor of Applied Mathematics and/or Statistics](#)
- [Scientist, R&D](#)

Social Science

- [Assistant Professor of Sociology](#)
- [Clinical Psychologist \(PsyD or PhD\)](#)

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Positive Productivity Points

[4 Suggestions for Planning a Productive Summer](#)

From [ProfHacker](#)

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GPS for Mind, Body & Soul

[The Healthiest Way to Order Coffee](#)

From [Well + Good](#)

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Funding Opportunities

For professional assistance in applying for competitive external funding opportunities, email Notre Dame's [Office of Grants and Fellowships](#).

2018-19 Fulbright Postdoctoral Scholar Awards

Deadline: August 1, 2017

Click [here](#) for further details. Postdoctoral scholars who



- Click [here](#) for this week's list of workshops.

Library Workshop

Calendar: nd.libcal.com/calendar/allworkshops

Questions? cds@nd.edu

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Kaneb Center Workshops

The Kaneb Center supports graduate students and postdocs

in the pursuit of teaching excellence by

stimulating scholarly reflection and

conversation about teaching, and encouraging the adoption of practices that enhance learning.



For more information on Kaneb Center workshops and other events, please click [here](#).

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Center for the Study of Languages and Cultures



The Center for the Study of Languages and Cultures

The Center for the Study of Languages and Cultures' English for Academic Purposes program offers workshops that are open to all ND Postdocs and their spouses. The center helps postdocs & their spouses develop their writing, conversational, and speaking skills.

Visit the center's [website](#) for more information on [tutoring and consultations](#) and [workshop registration](#).

Questions? Contact [Lisa Joy Oglesbee](#)

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Workshops from the Writing Center

Use Writing to Teach Critical Thinking



The University Writing Center is pleased to offer consultations with instructors who want help designing and integrating writing assignments into their courses. We welcome instructors from every discipline, especially STEM subjects.

Email writing@nd.edu with the subject "Teaching Consultation" to set up a meeting!

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consider applying for the above award can contact the [Office of Grants and Fellowships](#). The Institute of International Education listed Notre Dame as one of the top-producing institutions for the 2015-2016 Fulbright U.S. Student Program competition.

Mirzayan Fellowship Program

Deadline: September 8, 2017
Click [here](#) for more information.

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Social Media

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Workshops from the NCFDD

The National Center for Faculty Development and Diversity is an independent professional development, training and mentoring community of over 71,000 graduate students, postdocs, and faculty members. They offer on-campus workshops, professional development training, and intensive mentoring programs.

The University of Notre Dame is an institutional member of the NCFDD. Through Notre Dame's membership, ND Postdocs may claim an Institutional Sub-account Membership at no cost and enjoy all the benefits of a NCFDD Individual Membership. Register [here](#) to join. For a list of NCFDD 2017 webinars, click [here](#).

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PhD Humor



Courtesy of [The Upturned Microscope](#)

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