Coming Up...

THE POSTDOCTORAL WOMEN’S COMMITTEE PRESENTS:

ACADEMIC APPLICATION WORKSHOP SERIES

DEVELOPING A RESEARCH STATEMENT

Facilitated by: Sharon Stack
Professor and Director, Harper Cancer and Research Institute
University of Notre Dame

Tuesday July 16th
1:00-2:30pm
246 Hesburgh Library
Register at: https://forms.gle/YjKdPWnn29dP7pjK7

Postdoc Summer Picnic

Date: Friday, July 19
Time: 12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Location: Bond Quad (in front of Bond Hall)

"Save the date" for the 2019 Postdoc Picnic! We will be celebrating summer at a new location this year: the lawn area in front of Bond Hall from 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. on Friday, July 19.
area in front of Bond Hall from 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. on Friday, July 19. A group photo will be taken at 1:00 p.m. Postdocs are encouraged to bring their families for the event. There will be food for everyone, as well as activities and goodies for kids!

RSVP [here](#).

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### 2019 Summer Grant Writing Program, July 29-Aug 15

The [Office of Grants and Fellowships](#) is organizing the annual Summer Grant Writing Program scheduled to take place from **July 29 through August 15, 2019**. Their grant writing workshops, which include 1-on-1 consultations, are highly successful and yield numerous winners, honorable mentions, and semi-finalists. Register [HERE](#).

There are two focus areas (Track 1: Grant Writing Boot Camp and Track 2: NSF GRFP; AM and PM Sessions). Postdocs and graduate students are welcome to mix and match lectures from both tracks and to attend as many writing sessions as needed. The Office of Grants and Fellowships will provide postdocs with writing space (with unlimited draft reviews and snacks).

**Track 1: Grant Writing Boot Camp (recommended for postdocs)**

Designed to help new and seasoned grant writers to generate compelling application(s) for the Fall cycle.

*Available Lectures*

- Optimize Your Resume/CV For Fellowship Applications
- Develop a Long-Term Funding Plan & Learn to Navigate Award Databases
- Looking Ahead to Dissertation Completion and Postdoc Opportunities
- Personal Narrative 101: Match Your Personal Story to Award Criteria in Essays and Cover Letters
- Constructing a Research/Completion Timeline
- Communicating Your Research: The Research Proposal
- Why Does Your Work Matter?

**Track 2: NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Program**

Designed for first- or second-year NSF GRFP-eligible students who plan to submit their application in October.

*Available Lectures*

- What is NSF GRFP, and When Should I Apply?
- Maximize Your NSF GRFP Resources and Q&A
- The NSF GRFP Personal Statement
- Intellectual Merit and Broader Impact
- Writing an NSF GRFP Research Proposal
- Why Stop Here? Win other Predoctoral Fellowships in STEM

To register, click [HERE](#).

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### Recurring On-Campus Workshops

[Center for the Study of Languages and Cultures](#)

[Hesburgh Libraries and Navari Family Center for Digital Scholarship](#)

[Office of Human Resources](#)

[Office of Information Technologies](#)

[Kaneb Center for Teaching and Learning](#)
Funding Opportunities

Contact the Postdoc Office for a preliminary discussion and for assistance finding the appropriate resources for competitive external funding applications.

**Sofja Kovalevskaja Award**
Deadline: July 31, 2019

**Human Frontier Science Program (HFSP) Postdoctoral Fellowships**
Deadline: August 22, 2019

**Fulbright Global Scholar Award**
Deadline: September 16, 2019

**Freigeist Fellowships**
Deadline: October 10, 2019

**USA to Australia Fellowship Program**
Deadline: October 15, 2019

**BAEF Study and Research Fellowships in Belgium**
Deadline: October 31, 2019

**Profellow - Postdoctoral Fellowships**
Various deadlines

**Postdoctoral and Early Career Awards**
Various deadlines

**Pathwaystoscience.org: Postdocs and early career opportunities**
Various deadlines

Indiana Clinical and Translational Sciences Institute

Open RFAs:

- **Collaboration in Translational Research (CTR)**
  - Opportunity for collaborative translational research projects with strong potential to develop external funding or IP
    - Funding available: up to $75,000 over 2 years
    - Deadline for uploading proposal: July 29, 2019

- **Indiana Alcohol Research Center Pilot Project Program**
  - Opportunity to develop research on alcohol use disorders
    - Funding available: up to $50,000
    - Deadline for uploading proposal: September 1, 2019

- **Pilot Funding for Research Use of Core Facilities (Fall)**
  - The Indiana CTSI Pilot Funding program is intended to promote the use of technologies and expertise afforded by the Indiana CTSI Core Facilities available at all partner institutions. Successful proposals will demonstrate outstanding scientific merit that can be linked to generating extramural funding or novel intellectual property (IP). Success of the program will be viewed, in part, by the fostering of new funded grants or providing significant contributions to grant renewals. Therefore, proposals will be judged with equal measure on scientific merit and the likelihood of generating new IP or extramural grant support. Proposals must use a CTSI-designated Core Facility.
    - Submission deadline: September 9, 2019

- **Eli Lilly-Stark Neurosciences Post-Doctoral Research Fellowship in Neurodegeneration**
  - The Stark Neurosciences Research Institute and the Indiana Clinical and Translational Sciences Institute (CTSI) are seeking applicants for special post-doctoral training fellowships in translational
(CTSI) are seeking applicants for special post-doctoral training fellowships in translational neurodegenerative disease research. We seek applicants whose research is focused on age-related neurodegeneration, including Alzheimer's disease, Parkinson's disease, amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, chronic traumatic encephalopathy, among others. Translational research refers to what is popularly termed as "bench to bedside"; the process by which research in the lab translates into patient treatment. Translational research fosters the multidirectional integration of basic research, patient-oriented research, and population-based research, with the long-term aim of improving the health of the public. Translation can involve everything from basic science discoveries in the lab that directly focus on human disease states, through animal studies and drug development to the development of clinical trials and studies in humans.

- Annual stipend (plus applicable health insurance) is aligned with current NIH recommendations. Annual supplement of $7,500 to be used for travel, computers, and general supplies. Initial funding duration is for one (1) year, and is renewable for one (1) additional year pending review and demonstration of satisfactory progress.

  Submission deadline: September 16, 2019

Job Postings

- Engineering:
  - Assistant Professor, Mechanical Engineering
  - Coastal Engineer
- Humanities:
  - Assistant Professor, Philosophy
  - University Archivist
- Science:
  - Assistant or Associate Professor
  - Ecologist
- Social Science:
  - Assistant Professor, Political Science
  - Director, MSUCorps
- Multidisciplinary:
  - Assistant Director of Programs & Student Formation
  - Director Inclusive Excellence /Diversity Education
- Postdoc Positions:
  - Cancer Biology - University of Cincinnati
  - Infectious Diseases - Indiana University
  - Sustainable Supply Chains - MIT
  - Biochemistry/Molecular Biology - Penn State

Open Consulting Hours

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. Postdocs can also email Valli to schedule an appointment.

Date: Thursday, August 15
Time: 2 - 4 pm
Location: Stinson Remick, across Room 100

Date: Thursday, September 5
Time: 2 - 4 pm
Location: McCourtney Hall First Floor, by Espresso Cart

Did you know...

...that ND offers a great resource for finding off-campus housing? If you are a new postdoc and need to find a place to live, or if you are an outgoing postdoc and need to sell or rent out your home, check out the Notre Dame Off-Campus Housing Website! This site is available for students, postdocs, faculty and staff to view, filter and compare listings of...
available properties for rent. The site also contains a roommate finder (available to students only) and a page for buying/selling property. Finding a place to live in South Bend has never been easier!

**PhD Comics**

![PhD Comics comic strip](https://www.phdcomics.com/comics/archive.php?day=20140524)

**Quick Links**

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