

Tentative Agenda:

Faculty Grant Writing Institute 2015

Research Development Services

Office of Research & Economic Development | University of California Merced

April 13, 2015 – April 17, 2015

Kolligian Library Room 232

Participants are welcome to attend all sessions or portions of the Institute as scheduling allows. Please RSVP for the sessions you plan on attending.

Day 1: Monday, April 13, 2015 • 8:30 am – 11:30 am • Kolligian Library Room 232

- 8:30 – 9:00 a.m. **Continental breakfast (Provided)**
- 9:00 – 9:15 a.m. **Welcome and Introductions**
Samuel Traina, Ph.D.; Vice Chancellor for Research and Economic Development, UC Merced
- 9:15 – 9:30 a.m. **Overview: Grant Writing Institute & Research Development Services**
Susan Carter, J.D.; Director, Research Development Services
- 9:30 – 10:00 a.m. **Overview of Research Grants Development and Administration at UC Merced**
Susan Carter, J.D.; Director, Research Development Services
- 10:00 – 10:30 a.m. **Discussion of Mock Peer Review Process**
- 10:30 – 11:30 a.m. **Speed Networking**

Day 2: Tuesday, April 14, 2015 • 9:00 am – 4:30 pm • Kolligian Library Room 232

- 9:00 – 9:30 a.m. **Continental breakfast (Provided)**
- 9:30 – noon **“Grantsmanship for the Researcher”; Part 1.**
Presenter: Holly Falk-Krzesinski, Ph.D.; Instructor, Philanthropy and Non-Profit Organizations, Northwestern University and Vice President, Global Academic and Research Relations, Elsevier
- Topics to be covered include: grant resources, funding agencies and opportunities; research program development; proposal components and planning; proposal specific aims, objectives and narratives; budget development; proposal submission; and the review process.*
- Noon – 1:00 p.m. **Lunch (Provided)**
- 1:00 – 4:30 p.m. **“Grantsmanship for the Researcher”, Part 2.**
continued.
Presenter: Holly Falk-Krzesinski, Ph.D.

Continuation of the morning session.

Day 3: Wednesday, April 15, 2015 • 8:00 am – 2:30 pm • Kolligian Library Room 232

- 8:00 – 8:30 a.m. **Continental breakfast (Provided)**
- 8:30 – 10:30 a.m. **“Grantsmanship for the Researcher”, Part 3.**
Presenter: Dr. Holly Falk-Krzesinski
continued.
- 10:30 – 10:45 a.m. **Break**
- 10:45 – noon **“Team Science: Proposals, Planning, Leadership and Tools”**
Presenter: Dr. Holly Falk-Krzesinski
- Noon – 1:00 p.m. **Lunch (provided)**
- 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. **Getting to Know the Federal Funders**
Overview: Federal Funds at UC Merced
Susan Carter, J.D.; Director, Research Development Services
- Trends in Federal Funding**
Samuel Traina, Ph.D.; Vice Chancellor for Research and Economic
Development
- Talking with Agencies and Program Officers**
Marjorie Zatz, Ph.D.; Vice Provost and Graduate Dean
Thomas Peterson, Ph.D.; Provost and Executive Vice Chancellor

Day 4: Thursday, April 16, 2015 • 8:30 am – 11:45 am; 1:30 pm – 4:00pm • Kolligian Library Room 232

- 8:30 – 9:00 a.m. **Continental breakfast (Provided)**
- 9:00 – 11:45 a.m. **Grant Writing for the Social Sciences and Humanities**
Barbara Walker, Ph.D.; Director of Research Development for the Social
Sciences, Humanities, and Fine Arts, UC Santa Barbara
(Session Co-Sponsored by the UC Merced Center for the Humanities)
- 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. **Focus on Early Career Proposals**
Susan Carter, J.D.; Director, Research Development Services
- 2:30 – 2:45 p.m. **Break**
- 2:45 – 4:00 p.m. **Panel of Faculty Early Career Award Recipients**
Asmeret Berhe, Associate Professor for School of Natural Sciences
Miguel Carreira-Perpinan, Associate Professor for School of Engineering
Sayantani Ghosh, Associate Professor for School of Natural Sciences

Kevin Mitchell, Associate Professor for School of Natural Sciences

Day 5: Friday, April 17, 2015 • 9:00 am – 1:00 pm • Kolligian Library Room 232

- 9:00 – 9:30 a.m. **Continental Breakfast (Provided)**
- 9:30 – 10:45 a.m. **The Grant Proposal Review Process**
Susan Carter, J.D.; Director, Research Development Services
Rudy Ortiz, Associate Professor, School of Natural Sciences (invited)
- 10:45 – 11:00 a.m. **Break**
- 11:00 – 12:30 p.m. **Mock Peer Review**
Susan Carter, J.D.; Director, Research Development Services
- 12:30 – 1:00 p.m. **Wrap-up, closing remarks and adjourn**

RSVP by Friday, April 3, 2015

Further Information and to RSVP:
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