

Opportunities for Postdocs- 12/13/2022

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To: MU PostDoc Scholars <gc_postdocscholars@missouri.edu>

Dear MU postdocs,

The new opportunities that I have not shared before are in [blue](#). Some of the opportunities that appeared in the previous emails are still open. Click [here](#) to access previous emails.

External Awards, Fellowships, & Prizes

- [L'Oréal USA For Women in Science Fellowship Program](#)
 - Closing date: Jan. 27, 2023
- International Young Scientist Fellowship, Beijing, China
 - PhD degree from a university outside Mainland China during the past five years / PhD degree from a university in Mainland China and no less than one-year of overseas research experience during the past five years.
 - Closing date: Feb. 26, 2023
 - Click [here](#) for more.
- Click [here](#) to access previously posted opportunities.
- See more funding opportunities [here](#) and search [Pivot](#). Pivot is a searchable database of funding opportunities that also helps identify potential collaborators. You can also create alerts based on keywords and areas of interest.

Presentations/Workshops

If you plan to attend any workshops, make sure to register (if there is a registration available) so that the organizers can update you with any last-minute changes.

- MU Employee Assistance Program (EAP) hosts stress reduction classes
 - Click [here](#) for the EAP website and [here](#) for more information about each session.
 - Dec. 21, 12:00 p.m. — Managing in Times of Change
 - Remember, MU postdocs are eligible for services offered by MU Employee Assistance Program.
- [MU Employee Assistance Program's Spring 2023 lineup](#)
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 - [Fostering Positive Relationships at Work](#)
 - [Zoom Meeting](#); Meeting ID: 998 5042 7069 Passcode: 714256
 - January 10, 11:30 am – 12:30 pm
 - [Workplace Synergy](#)
 - [Zoom Meeting](#); Meeting ID: 920 2801 3158 Passcode: 078434
 - January 24, 11:30 am – 1:00 pm
- [Engaging Students with Compassion and Empathy](#)
 - Offered by: Teaching for Learning Center

- Facilitated by: Rachel Bailey-Wood, Assistant Clinical Professor, School of Health Professions
- Undergraduates and graduate students face increasing challenges in their academic lives. They must balance the responsibility of learning with mental health needs, socio-economic status, and family obligations. True learning requires presence, which can feel impossible with a myriad of competing responsibilities. The relationship between instructor empathy and student outcomes is strong. In this session, we will discuss skills required for educators to meet the complex needs of online and in-seat students.
- Tuesday, January 10, 2023, 11 - 11:50 am
- Register [here](#)
- Cultivating a Culture of Academic Integrity in your Classroom and on Campus
 - Offered by: Teaching for Learning Center
 - Facilitated by: Dr. Sarah Bush, Teaching Professor – Biology & Dr. Johannes Schul, Professor – Biological Sciences
 - Evidence from Mizzou and other universities suggests that there has been a recent increase in violations of academic integrity, perhaps associated with instructional changes during the pandemic. The focus of this session will NOT be on strategies for limiting opportunities to cheat on assessments, or on how to catch students who are engaged in academic dishonesty, but rather on how to cultivate a learning environment in which students choose not to cheat.
 - Wednesday, January 11, 2023, 10 - 10:50 am
 - Register [here](#)
- NCFDD - Making the Most of Your NCFDD Membership
 - In this session, Dr. Lisa Hanasono will share a collection of classic and fresh ways to make the most of your NCFDD membership. In addition to highlighting some new and upcoming NCFDD resources, Lisa will present a variety of approaches and ways that individuals and their institutions can use their NCFDD memberships to boost their research productivity, improve their work-life balance, expand their professional networks, and more!
 - The University of Missouri is an institutional member of the National Center for Faculty Development & Diversity (NCFDD), and as such you get a free account. If you have not registered with NCFDD yet, click [here](#) to register. Click [here](#) to watch the previous workshops.
 - Tuesday, January 17, 1 - 2:30 pm. Register [here](#).
- NCFDD - Intro to Academic Publishing Contracts & Negotiation Basics
 - Too often, academic authors receive an offer and contract from a university press and sign it without fully understanding what they are agreeing to, which can cause issues further in their careers. The objective of this webinar is to give you an introduction to the structure and language of university press contracts, as well as equip you with tips and tools on how to navigate the negotiation process. As the author and owner of valuable intellectual property, you should feel empowered to advocate for yourself and the rights to your work. Major points to be discussed, time permitting, include: grant of rights (Territory, Language, Type), advance and royalties, subsidiary rights, competing works, option clauses, copyright, termination, and rights reversion.

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- Tuesday, January 24, 1 - 2 pm. Register [here](#).
- The MU Graduate School offers in-person and online professional development workshops often in collaboration with campus partners. Postdocs are welcome to attend and take advantage of these resources.
 - [gradESSENTIALS](#)

Preparing Future Faculty Programs

- Propel Postdoctoral Scholarship
 - Launched in 2021, the Stanford School of Medicine's Propel Postdoctoral Scholars Program is a program for incoming and early postdoctoral scholars who come from backgrounds historically underrepresented in academia, and who have an interest in becoming faculty in the biological, biomedical, or population-based sciences.
 - Deadline: June 1, 2023
 - Apply [here](#).

Diverse Career Opportunities

- [Innovation Analyst, Criminal Justice Focus \(Remote/Hybrid\)](#) - Durham, NC
 - Minimum Qualifications
 - Bachelor's degree with at least one year of work experience, OR recent master's or PhD graduate
 - Area of study in science or engineering discipline
- [Scientific Writer - Vaccines - Non Clinical Publications](#) - Rockville, MD
 - Minimum Qualifications
 - Master's degree with a minimum of 2 years of relevant experience in Biochemistry, Molecular Biology, immunology, Biotechnology, Bioengineering, or a related scientific field.
 - At least one year in developing manuscripts for research projects in biologics
 - Preferred Qualifications
 - PhD preferred in vaccinology or other related fields

NPA Career Center

- The National Postdoctoral Association Career Center allows employers to search for potential candidates and view their resumes while protecting the job seeker's privacy. Your contact information will only be provided to those you allow – eliminating the chances of receiving unsolicited emails and phone calls.
- [NPA Job Seeker Log-in](#)

[Archived weekly emails](#)

Please do not hesitate to email me or click [here](#) to schedule an appointment to discuss grant writing, career opportunities, or any other matters concerning you.

Thanks,
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