

Opportunities for Postdocs - 9/19/2023

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

From the Office of Postdoctoral Education

- [MU Postdoctoral Faculty Mentor Award](#)
 - This award represents an appreciation for a MU faculty mentor who has demonstrated either a profound, sustained, or leadership contribution to improving the postdoctoral experience. The nomination must be made by a postdoctoral scholar. This is a great opportunity to acknowledge a faculty mentor who goes above and beyond to support you (mentee). Click [here](#) to see the details.
 - The due date for the award is fast approaching (December 1, 2023).
- [MU Postdoctoral Research Grant](#)
 - The grant awards help defray the costs of conducting a clearly defined research project that is not financially supported by other grants, faculty members, or their department/division. The research project should be led by the postdoctoral scholar and represent a contribution to their independent research program.
 - Applications are due by Wednesday, November 1 by 5:00 PM. For more details and application materials, click [here](#).

External Awards, Fellowships, & Prizes

- [Michelson Philanthropies & Science Prize for Immunology](#)
 - Applicants must be no older than thirty-five (35) years of age and must hold an M.D., PhD., or M.D./Ph.D. at the time of entry.
 - Deadline: 1 October 2023

Presentations/Workshops

- [Postdoc to Industry transition as a Temporary Visa Holder](#)
 - Navigating your career is extra challenging when you have to factor in your immigration status. To make it slightly easier, we have organized a panel where you will have the opportunity to learn from those with experience and success who are open to sharing their specific insights with navigating the transition from Postdoc to Industry in this Panel Discussion, which will also include time for a brief Q&A.
 - Panelists:
 - Karthik Murugan From F-1 OPT to O-1
Research Scientist III at Integrated DNA Technologies
 - Aneta Przepiorski From J-1 to O-1 to NIW green card (in the process)
Scientist at Iviva
 - Thursday, September 21 · 2 - 3 pm

Conferences/Recruitment Events

- [American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology \(ASBMB\) National Postdoc Appreciation Week Events](#)
 - Monday, Sept. 18, 12:30 pm: Webinar: Grant application budgets 101
 - Tuesday, Sept. 19, 2 pm: Webinar: Beyond R&D: Exploring career paths in industry

- Wednesday, Sept. 20, 2 pm : Webinar: Finding the funds: Early-career funding and training opportunities
- Thursday, Sept. 21, 1 pm: LinkedIn chat: #ASBMBLovesPostdocs
- [Pathways to Advanced Scientific Skills through Postdoctoral Research Training \(PASSPoRT\)](#)
 - PASSPoRT to WashU is a virtual 2-day event for prospective postdocs hosted by the Office of Postdoctoral Affairs at Washington University in St. Louis. PASSPoRT to WashU is open to advanced PhD students (post-qualifying exams), recent PhD graduates, and early-stage postdocs. There is no citizenship requirement to participate. The first day will offer information on what it means to be a postdoc at WashU and how to get the most out of a postdoctoral experience. The second day is reserved for informational conversations with participating faculty members looking to hire new talent like you!
 - This virtual event will be held on October 12-13, 2023.

Featured Article

- [AI Means Professors Need to Raise Their Grading Standards](#) - The Chronicle of Higher Education

Strategic Postdoctoral Programs

- [Provost's STEM Postdoctoral Fellowships for Diversity, Inclusion, and Impact](#)
 - Brown University is pleased to announce the Provost's STEM Postdoctoral Fellow Program. Fellows, appointed for two years, will form a multidisciplinary cohort of scholars with tenure-track faculty aspirations who can leverage Brown's unique low-boundary collaborative environment to build exceptionally creative and influential projects across STEM disciplines. Teaching and mentoring opportunities may also be arranged for interested Fellows.
 - Deadline: November, 15, 2023
- [Inspire Fellowship](#)
 - Eligibility: Applicants must be within 12 months of completing a Ph.D., M.D. or other appropriate terminal degree. Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents who identify as members of an underrepresented racial and/or ethnic group as defined by the National Institutes of Health.

Diverse Career Opportunities

- [Director, Data Science - CARES](#) - Emory University, Atlanta, GA
 - Ph.D. in Statistics, Applied Mathematics, Epidemiology, Public Health, Industrial Engineering/Optimization, or a related quantitative field.
 - Strong programming skills in languages such as Python, R, or similar for data manipulation and analysis. Proficiency in computer coding and data processing techniques. Experience with data visualization tools, particularly Tableau, for creating interactive dashboards and visual representations of data. Familiarity with spatial analysis and mapping tools, preferably ArcGIS.
- [Project Director, McNair Scholars Program](#) - Texas Woman's University, Denton, TX
 - Doctoral degree (Ph.D.) required in higher education administration, student development, counseling, humanities, social work, or STEM-related field from an accredited college or university.
 - If you consider this job, please consult with Valli Sarveswaran. Valli used to hold a similar job for more than 8 years.

JCPenney Suit Up Event

- JCPenney Suit Up event is happening on Sunday, September 24, 2023. The event will run from 4 – 7 pm at the JCPenney location at 2301 W Worley St. in Columbia.

- Discounted professional clothes up to 50% off. Mizzou ID is required to qualify for the event.

LinkedIn Group: [MU Office of Postdoctoral Education](#)

- Join the MU postdoc office [LinkedIn group](#) to view and share professional and career development opportunities.
- Many career & professional development-related opportunities are shared daily. Click [here](#) to join.

Previously shared opportunities that are still open can be viewed [here](#).

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,
Valli

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