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OPPORTUNITIES FOR POSTDOCS

October 31, 2023

Health Insurance & Other Benefits

- Annual Enrollment is open.
- Ends at 11:59 pm, Friday, November 3, 2023.
- To begin the enrollment process:
 - Log in to [myHR](#)
 - Select the "My Benefits" tile; and
 - Select "Benefits Enrollment" in the left-hand menu.

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 (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](#).

Presentations/Workshops

- [Teaching and Supporting First-Generation Students](#) – MU Teaching for Learning Center
 - Did you know that 25%+ of our student population at MU are First-Generation students? Join us to explore evidence-based teaching practices that can serve to address some of the unique needs of our students, such as: demystifying Higher Education jargon such as "Office Hours", building cultural capital, and developing personal relationships with students.
 - Facilitated by Selena Meints
 - Tues. October 31st, 2023, 1 - 2pm
- [Introduction to Rubrics](#) – MU Teaching for Learning Center
 - Join us for a session where we'll discuss basic principles of rubric design and use as well as explore how AI tools can help generate rubrics for our own courses.
 - Facilitated by Dr. Lydia Bentley

- Thur. November 2nd, 2023, 2 - 3 pm
- [Nature Masterclass, Getting Published: Effectively Communicating Your Research](#)
 - The workshop is meant for early and mid-career researchers working in Parkinson's research, chronic degenerative disorders, CNS disorders, neurology and movement disorders, more broadly.
 - Beware not all workshops offered by Nature Master Classes are free.
 - Register [here](#) by November 3.
- [MU Staff Development Week](#) - November 6th-November 9th 2023
 - Many short (1 hr) online courses are relevant to postdocs. Postdocs are eligible to register and attend. The following titles are highly recommended for postdocs.
 - Introduction to the DiSC Assignment
 - Mitigating Conflicts of Interests
 - Demystifying Student Loan Repayment Options & Public Service Loan Forgiveness
- [Dynamic Presentations: How to Manage Stress, Rejection, and the Haters in Your Midst](#) – Offered by National Center for Faculty Development and Diversity
 - Please join us to learn: a) The impact that stress and negativity can have if they are not managed, b) Identify the most common areas of stress in academic life, c) Concrete strategies for managing the physical, emotional, and attitudinal effects of stress.
 - Presenter: Rosemarie A. Roberts, PhD, Connecticut College
 - Thursday, November 9, 1-2:30 pm

Featured Article

- [Falling behind: postdocs in their thirties tire of putting life on hold](#) - Nature

Resources

- [Euraxess North America](#)
 - Researchers can find a wealth of constantly updated information on job vacancies, funding opportunities, fellowships, and hosting offers throughout Europe. Posting their CV will allow recruiters to find them.

Strategic Postdoctoral Programs

- [Future Faculty Postdoctoral Fellowship](#) – Northeastern University
 - Deadline: January 22, 2024
- [Provost's Tenure-Track Fellow to Faculty Program](#) – Ohio State University
 - Deadline: Rolling basis

Diverse Career Opportunities

- [Associate Director \(STEM\)](#) - Barnard College in New York City, NY
 - PhD or EdD in a STEM or sciences discipline or in education.
 - Experience teaching at the college level.
- [STEM Student Success Postdoctoral Associate](#) - University of Minnesota, Duluth, MN
 - The Swenson College of Science and Engineering at the University of Minnesota Duluth (UMD) is hiring three postdoctoral associates to study elements of student success as part of a college-wide transformation of curriculum and support

programs. These are two-year research and teaching positions beginning immediately with teaching duties (one course per semester) in SCSE departments depending on candidate qualifications and departmental need.

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

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

Postdoc Consultations

- Click [here](#) to schedule an appointment with Valli Sarveswaran (Director of Postdoctoral Education) to discuss your career & professional development needs, or to discuss any other matters concerning you.

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