

## OPPORTUNITIES FOR POSTDOCS - FEBRUARY 13, 2024

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### From the Office of Postdoctoral Education

- [MU Postdoctoral Awards for Teaching and Research](#)
  - Nominees for these awards must currently be postdoctoral fellows at the University of Missouri, Columbia campus and have held the position as a postdoc for at least one semester prior to the nomination. Self-nominations are encouraged. Postdoctoral award winners will be recognized at the Awards Banquet hosted by the Graduate School in April. The awards will consist of an honorarium of \$500 to \$1,000 (depending on the number of awardees). The awards will be administered by the MU Postdoctoral Association (MUPA) with support from the Office of Postdoctoral Education. Funding for the award is provided by the Graduate School. Nominations are due February 15 by 5:00 PM. Click [here](#) for more information.
- [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 Friday, March 1 by 5:00 PM. For more details and application materials, click [here](#).
- [MUPA Travel Grant](#)
  - [MU Postdoctoral Association \(MUPA\)](#) is accepting applications for the spring travel grants.
  - MUPA Travel Grant helps support postdoc attendance at conferences during their time at MU. Postdocs may receive up to \$350 towards costs, limited to registration fees, lodging, poster printing, and childcare (please see note below), for any Meeting/Conference and/or training program taking place within the specified funding period to be considered for that funding round.
  - Click [here](#) for application instructions and application form.
  - Deadline: March 1, 2024

### Presentations/Workshops

- [Understanding the media: A starter guide for scientists](#)
  - A free training opportunity from SciLine, based at the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS)
  - Thu, Feb. 22, 1-2 pm

### MU Black Postdoctoral Association

- The MU Black Postdoc Association (MBPA) in celebration of Black History Month invites you to attend our seminar series.
  - Title: Why am I here? Where do I go from here?
  - Presenter: Prof. Adebowale Adebisi, Russell D. and Mary B. Sheldon Missouri Chair in Anesthesiology
  - When: 12 – 1 pm, 29<sup>th</sup> Feb 2024
  - Where: [Zoom link](#)

## Featured Article

- [Scientists aren't trained to mentor. That's a problem](#) – Science.org

## 2023 Tax Filing

- Tax Filing Season is here!
  - All nonresident taxpayers who received any taxable income during 2023 are required to file federal and state tax returns for 2023. Important information is deposited in a OneDrive folder for you to view. **A login with UM System email is required for access.**
    - Check the [Tax Year 2023 Overview](#) for nonresident tax payers.
    - The University provides discounted access to Sprintax. Click [here](#) find how to use Sprintax. The attached [Sprintax brochure](#) summarizes the information.
    - And even if you didn't work or receive income in the US, you're still obliged to file a Form 8843 with the IRS (if you held an F, J, M, or Q visa in 2023). Click [here](#) to find how to complete Form 8843.
    - Join International Student and Scholar Services and the Nonresident Alien Taxation Office 10–11:30 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 21, for a webinar about taxes for international students and scholars. We'll have plenty of time for Q&A, so bring your questions! [Register on Zoom](#).
  - For anyone with U.S. tax residency, there are these options:
    - [MU tax resident clinic](#)
    - [Taxpayer Assistance and Information Guide - Daniel Boone Regional Library \(dbrl.org\)](#)
    - [IRS Free file: https://apps.irs.gov/app/freeFile](https://apps.irs.gov/app/freeFile)

## Government/Industry Postdoctoral Opportunities

- [Various postdoc job opportunities with the NASA Postdoctoral Program](#)

## Strategic Postdoctoral Programs

- [Presidential Postdoctoral Fellowships](#) – Florida International University, Miami, FL
- [STEM Teaching Postdoctoral Fellow](#) – Weber State University in Ogden, UT
- [Postdoctoral Enrollment Scholar](#) – Western Illinois University in Macomb, IL

## Diverse Career Opportunities

- [Director, Medical Affairs](#) – Johnson & Johnson, Horsham, PA
- [Director, Nebraska LEAD Program](#) – University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, NE
- [Assistant Director, Office of Academic Career Development Programs](#) – University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA
- [Assistant Director for Postdoctoral Affairs](#) – University of Chicago, Chicago, IL

## JC Penny Suit Up Event

- JCPenney Suit Up event is happening on Sunday, February 18<sup>th</sup>. The event will run from 4 – 7 pm at the JC Penny location at 2301 W Worley St. in Columbia. Discounted professional clothing & accessories up to 50% off. Mizzou ID is required to qualify for the event.

## 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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