OPPORTUNITIES FOR POSTDOCS - FEBRUARY 20, 2024

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From the Office of Postdoctoral Education

- **MU Postdoctoral Awards for Teaching and Research** - Deadline extended to Feb 22
  - 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 22 (extended deadline) 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

External Awards, Fellowships, & Prizes

- **McKenzie Postdoctoral Fellowships Scheme** – University of Melbourne, Australia
  - 3 pm Australian Eastern Standard Time, June 14, 2024

Presentations/Workshops

- **How to Develop a Daily Writing Practice** - by the National Center for Faculty Development and Diversity
  - In this webinar you'll learn a) the three biggest myths about writing that hobble new faculty productivity; b) the surprising difference between struggling new faculty members and those who are designated as "rising stars"; c) the 30-minute strategy that will increase your writing productivity AND decrease your stress, anxiety and guilt.
  - Facilitator: Angelique Davis, JD
- 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.
- 1 - 2:30 pm; Tue, Mar 14, 2024

**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 Adebiyi, Russell D. and Mary B. Shelden Missouri Chair in Anesthesiology
  - When: 12 – 1 pm, 29th Feb 2024
  - Where: Zoom link

**Featured Article**
- **Everyone Talks About ‘Critical Theory’. What is it?** – The Chronicle of Higher Education

**Resources**
- **How we hire – Eli Lilly**
  - Learn how Eli Lilly & Company handles applications, interviews, offers, and onboarding.

**Government/Industry Postdoctoral Opportunities**
- **Post Doc AI/ML Bioimage Analysis** – Johnson & Johnson

**Diverse Career Opportunities**
- **Executive Director of the Institute for STEM Experiential Learning** – Saint Peter’s University in Jersey City, NJ
- **TRIO McNair Scholars Program Manager** – University of Colorado Denver in Denver, CO

**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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