

## OPPORTUNITIES FOR POSTDOCS - July 16, 2024

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### [Annual MU Postdoctoral Survey](#)

- The University of Missouri (MU) Postdoctoral Survey is conducted annually to collect data and assess the needs of postdocs on our campus. All postdoctoral scholars at MU are eligible to participate in this survey. This includes anyone who has a postdoctoral job title. Click [here](#) to start the survey. The survey should take you approximately 5-10 minutes to complete. MU Postdoctoral Association (MUPA) is offering a newly designed MUPA water bottle for the first 50 MU postdocs who complete the survey.
  - Please complete it before Friday, August 23, 2024.

### **External Awards, Fellowships, & Prizes**

- [MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowships 2024](#)
  - MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowships enhance the creative and innovative potential of researchers holding a PhD and who wish to acquire new skills through advanced training, international, interdisciplinary and inter-sectoral mobility. MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowships will be open to excellent researchers of any nationality.
  - Deadline: September 11, 2024
- [BII & Science Prize for Innovation](#)
  - Behind every life-changing solution is an entrepreneurial scientist – a creative mind who proved an idea in the lab and dared to carry it out in the world. To encourage more scientists to translate their research, BioInnovation Institute (BII) and Science collaborate to host an annual award. Through the BioInnovation Institute & Science Prize for Innovation, the editors of Science seek to recognize bold researchers who are asking fundamental questions at the intersection of the life sciences and entrepreneurship.
  - Applicants must have completed a PhD, an MD, or a PhD/MD in the last 10 years.
  - Deadline: November 1, 2024
- [Zuckerman STEM Leadership Program](#)
  - Check out the Zuckerman Postdoc, Israeli Postdoc, and Faculty programs.

### **Presentations/Workshops**

- Stress Management; A Primer - Offered by the [MU Employee Assistance Program's \(EAP\)](#)
  - August 6 – 11:30 AM – 12:30 pm
    - Meeting ID: 262 503 151 535
    - Passcode: 5DUWn2
  - Or call in (audio only)
    - [+1 573-818-2635,,880751370#](#) United States, Columbia
    - Phone Conference ID: 880 751 370#
- [Perfecting Presentation Skills](#) – By National Postdoctoral Association
  - Creating an impactful presentation is an essential skill! In this class, we will provide participants with the tools and techniques needed to create presentations that will get the attention of their audience, covering topics such as keeping it simple, having a structure, practicing, and delivery. Participants will learn how to build a streamlined, organized outline for the presentation and receive tips to ensure slides are not overcrowded, tips to improve graphic appeal, and more. Participants will be able to identify components of compelling and impactful presentations that will help them communicate their research effectively.
  - Speaker: Tracy Costello, Ph.D., University of South Florida
  - Mizzou is an institutional member of the National Postdoctoral Association (NPA) and Mizzou's postdocs are entitled to free affiliate (individual-level) membership to NPA. Click [here](#) to obtain your free membership.
  - 3 pm; Tue, August 27, 2024

### Training/Certificate Programs

- [Navigating Science Policy Careers: Strategies and Insights](#)
  - Event by Genetics Society of America
  - July 24, 12 – 1 pm; [Registration](#)
- [SACNAS Postdoc Leadership Institute \(PLI\)](#)
  - PLI is a pre-conference event held during the #2024NDiSTEM Conference in Phoenix, AZ, October 31st - November 2nd, 2024. PLI workshops are specifically held on October 29th, 30th and November 2nd, with a provided roadmap of required activities during the conference.
  - Apply [here!](#)

### MU Postdoctoral Association – MUPA

- Leadership Skills for Research Investigators
  - 9 am – 3 pm August 7, 2024
  - Space is limited. Register [here](#).

### Featured Articles

- [Dos and Don'ts of Creating Your CV](#) – The Chronicle of Higher Education
- [Tips for New Job Seekers in Higher Education](#) – HigherEdJobs.com

## Resources

- [Beyond the Professoriate](#)
  - Beyond the Professoriate is an online professional development training platform for graduate students, postdocs, faculty, and PhDs that helps them successfully transition into academic or nonacademic careers. Mizzou is an institutional member.
  - login instructions:
    - Select "Login to the Platform" in the top right-hand corner
    - Select "University of Missouri" from drop-down
    - Use SSO login and password to sign in

## Non-Profit/Government/Industry Postdoctoral Opportunities

- [Hydrology modeler](#) – Savannah River National Laboratory, Aiken, SC
- [Intersection of machine learning, deep learning, statistics, and text mining/analytics](#) – Savannah River National Laboratory, Aiken, SC
- [Advanced Materials for Lithium-Ion Batteries](#) – FZU, Institute of Physics of the Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic
- [Metabolism Screening](#) – BASF, Limburgerhof, Germany
- [Inflammation and Fibrosis](#) – Pfizer, Cambridge, MA

## Diverse Career Opportunities

- [Career Coach for Graduate Students](#) – University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
- [Science Writer and Communications Specialist \(hybrid\)](#) – Physical Sciences and Engineering, Argonne National Laboratory
- Program Coordinator, PhD Plus team – University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA
  - This might be a great entry-level position for a postdoc considering moving into our field. The position is hybrid. The Program Coordinator will largely run the PhD Plus Internship Program but will also assist with data collection and interpretation regarding our workshops and services, and for managing communications to our stakeholders regarding the PhD Plus program. Candidates with questions or consider applying contact Melanie Sinche at [msinche@virginia.edu](mailto:msinche@virginia.edu).
- [Manager, MSL and Scientific Communications](#) – Johnson & Johnson, Titusville, NJ
- [Associate Director, Russian, East European, and Eurasian Center](#) – University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, IL

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

- Join the [MU postdoc LinkedIn group](#) to view and share professional and career development opportunities. Many postdoc, industry, academic, and non-profit jobs and funding 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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