

OPPORTUNITIES FOR POSTDOCS - August 6, 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

- [Maximizing Opportunities for Scientific and Academic Independent Careers \(MOSAIC\) Funding Opportunities and Upcoming Webinar](#)
 - MOSAIC, an NIH-wide initiative that NIGMS oversees, has two components: a postdoctoral career transition award (K99/R00) and a cohort-based mentoring and career development program that supports the scholars (UE5 research education cooperative agreement).
 - Deadline: October 12, 2024

Training/Certificate Programs

- Academic Job Market Boot Camp by Beyond the Professoriate
 - This boot camp is designed for doctoral students, PhDs, and postdocs from all disciplines who want to learn more about what makes up an application package, and how they can strengthen their materials before going on the academic job market.
 - 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:
 - Click [here](#) to access Beyond the Professoriate
 - 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
- 11 - 11:45 pm, August 19 - 23rd

Featured Articles

- [What a new generation of international students means for American colleges](#) – The Chronicle of Higher Education
- [Why a Mentor Matters](#) – Higheredjobs.com

Resources

- [Career Cognitive City](#)
 - Career Cognitive City (aka Career CogCity) is an interface designed to support current, prospective and past graduate bioscience trainees. It was designed with graduate students in mind, but equally beneficial to postdoctoral fellows and those thinking about or recently admitted to bioscience graduate programs. Career CogCity is an integrated hub collating various types of resources - not only peer-reviewed literature, but also books, podcasts, games, simulations, internships, fellowships, networking communities, and online platforms. Career CogCity is part of the Career Navigator Network built and maintained by Harvard Medical School.
 - Click [here](#) to find out how to use Career CogCity.

Diverse Career Opportunities

- [Executive Director of the Biomedical Research and Training Center \(BRTC\)](#) – Hood College, Frederick, MA
- [Graduate Student Professional Development Program Director](#) – UC Santa Barbara, CA

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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