

Postdoctoral Update

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All UF employees on a Postdoctoral Associate or Postdoctoral Fellow appointment may enroll in the PostDocCare health plan [online](#). [More info.](#)

Postdoc Development Workshops

The first workshop in the Postdoc Development Workshops series was held on June 6. Information and presentations from the workshop are available on the [Postdoc Development Workshops site](#).

We've received positive feedback from attendees and will continue to provide workshops on topics of interest to UF postdocs.

Please send suggestions for workshop topics to [Thierry Dubroca](#) (Chair, Postdoc Development Workshops) or [Kim Pace](#).

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Don't forget that you have access to over [1,300 training courses at Lynda.com](#), available 24/7, to anyone with an active GatorLink account. Of particular interest to those who attended the [Branding Workshop on June 6](#), there are training courses on Lynda.com to get you started in Web site creation using Wordpress, Dreamweaver, and other programs we discussed. Go to [UFIT's training page](#) to [access the Lynda.com site](#).

Submitted by the Office of Postdoctoral Affairs

Gainesville Postdocs Facebook Page

Join this [Facebook group](#) for Gainesville area postdocs to make connections and stay informed.

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Gainesville Postdocs LinkedIn Page

A [LinkedIn](#) group has been established to connect with postdocs and those in the Gainesville postdoc community. Join the group here:

http://www.linkedin.com/groups/Gainesville-Postdocs-4479251?trk=myg_ugrp_ovr%20

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FREE Affiliate NPA Membership for UF Postdoctoral Community

The UF Office of Postdoctoral Affairs has purchased a sustaining membership to the [National Postdoctoral Association](#) (NPA) which allows for free affiliate memberships for anyone at UF.

Everyone on the Postdoc Listserv should have received an invitation e-mail on June 6 from the [NPA](#) with instructions on how to activate your free affiliate membership to the NPA. If you did not receive your invitation or if your invitation has expired (they expire after 7 days) and you need to be sent a refreshed invitation, please [contact Kim Pace](#). I'm happy to send you another invitation to join.

This is available to anyone at UF who may be interested in a membership.

[More information.](#)

Submitted by Kim Pace, Office of Postdoctoral Affairs

NPA Member Benefits for Programs:

- The Mitchell Organization is offering their course [Social Savvy for Scientists: Presenting Yourself To Your Best Advantage](#) for \$29
- [SciPhD](#) is offering their [Online Self Assessment Training](#) at a 25% discount for \$14.95 to NPA members (SciPhD requires affiliate or full membership to the NPA for their programs)

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