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UF and UF Health "Windows to Wellness" Event this Friday, Jan. 22

Start 2016 off on the right foot! Attend [Windows to Wellness 2016](#), a one-day event filled with activities, information and resources designed to support you in your wellness journey. Benefits-eligible UF and UF Health employees are invited to Emerson Alumni Hall between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 22, to learn more about the many resources and programs available to them.

The day's activities will include demonstrations and participatory activities,

body composition screenings and stroke risk assessments, flu shots, healthy refreshments provided by Healthy Gators, retirement and financial planning workshops, chair massages, and information and resources representing our many "windows" to wellness.

To learn more about the event, please visit the [Windows to Wellness event website](#). Questions? Please email hws-wellness@ufl.edu or contact Kim Holton or Angie Brown, HRS Communications and Wellness, at (352) 392-4626.

Submitted by Angie Brown, Human Resource Services

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Request for Pilot and Exploratory Study Proposals

Release Date: December 21, 2015

Deadline extended

*****Full Application due March 7, 2016*****

[SEE RFA FOR DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS](#)

The University of Florida Claude D. Pepper Older American's Independence Center (OAIC), director Marco Pahor, MD, is seeking innovative, interdisciplinary Pilot and Exploratory Study (PES) applications which address the focus of "Mobility and Prevention of Disability". Successful applications should collect pilot data that will lead to extramural research grants and/or career development awards.

Basic science and clinical research studies are encouraged, may originate from investigators at any College within the University of Florida or the VA Medical Center, and can include collaborations with other institutions, particularly those with OAIC's. Basic science projects are allowed up to \$25,000 per year and clinical research projects which involve enrollment of human subjects are allowed up to \$50,000 per year in direct costs for two years. Smaller PESs are allowed < \$10,000 per year for one year.

For additional information or clarification please contact Dr. Christy Carter for guidance in developing relevant project proposals.

Christy Carter, Department of Aging and Geriatric Research and Pilot and Exploratory Studies Core, UF Pepper OAIC. Phone: 352-273-5727 e-mail: cartercs@ufl.edu.

Submitted by Christy Carter, UF Claude D. Pepper Older Americans Independence Center

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Two New Online Databases for the UF Community

Watch thousands of award-winning documentaries, training films and theatrical releases from Kanopy streaming video at <http://ufl.kanopystreaming.com>

Vault Career Intelligence is "The best place on the Web to prepare for a job search." <http://businesslibrary.uflib.ufl.edu/vault>

Submitted by Barbara Hood, George A. Smathers Libraries

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Emerging Pathogens Institute Research Day - February 18th

The Emerging Pathogens Institute will host its [Research Day](#) on Thursday, February 18 in the CGRC (Cancer Genetics Research Complex).

Research Day Schedule:

9 a.m. - 10 a.m. - Registration, Breakfast and Poster Setup: *CGRC 1st, 3rd, and 4th floors*

10 a.m. - 1 p.m. - Poster Sessions

12 p.m. - 12:45 p.m. - Lunch

1 p.m. - 3:15 p.m. - Keynote Speeches - *CGRC Auditorium 101*
Submitted by Evan Barton, Emerging Pathogens Institute

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Scholarly Communications Workshops - Spring 2016

The following scholarly communications workshops will be offered in Marston Science Library 136.

Registration is requested. Register at http://bit.ly/UF_ScholComm.

For more information, contact Christine Fruin at christine.ross@ufl.edu or (352) 273-2710.

Sharing Scholarship and Reaching Research through Open and Public Access Friday, February 5, 2:00-3:00 p.m.

In this workshop, participants will learn more about open access principles and methods and about federal and private funder mandates requiring public access to scholarly research. Persons who currently receive or are considering applying for government or private grants to fund their research are strongly encouraged to attend this workshop to learn about the forthcoming requirements of public access.

Can I Use That? Fair Use for Teaching Wednesday, February 24, 12:30-1:30 p.m.

Can you show a movie in class? Can you distribute copies of an article? What are you allowed to post on your Canvas site? This workshop focuses on the application of the copyright exception of fair use to teaching activities. Participants will learn about the four factors of fair use, application of fair use to various types and uses of materials, and how the library can help with electronic

reserves and links to subscription materials. This workshop is intended for teaching faculty, instructors and graduate assistants.

Authors' Rights and Responsibilities: Understanding Copyright & Open Access in Modern Scholarly Publishing

Friday, March 18, 2:00-3:00 p.m.

In this workshop, attendees will learn about the legal relationships between author, publisher and reader in order to understand how to protect one's own intellectual property rights as authors, to respect others' rights, and to interpret common provisions in publisher agreements. Additionally, we will review the strengths and weaknesses of various publishing models including open access and best practices for locating and evaluating open access publication venues.

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Postdoc Funding Opportunities

On the [Resources](#) page of the Office of Postdoctoral Affairs website, we have created a Funding Opportunities page which lists all the different types of funding available to postdocs.

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Postdoc HR Issues:

Insurance and Benefits: If you have questions about benefits enrollment or eligibility, please contact UF's [Human Resource Services'](#) Benefits Office at benefits@ufl.edu or (352) 392-2477.

Employee Issues: If you are experiencing an issue with your supervisor that is not resolved in your department and need assistance or guidance, please contact Ms. Kim Baxley, Director of Employee Relations, in UF's [Human Resource Services](#). Ms. Baxley can be reached at 392-1072 or kczap@ufl.edu.

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Reminder: University of Florida Postdocs on Facebook and LinkedIn

Join this [Facebook group](#) for University of Florida postdocs as well as the LinkedIn group: http://www.linkedin.com/groups/Gainesville-Postdocs-4479251?trk=myg_ugrp_ovr%20

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Reminder: FREE Affiliate NPA Membership

If you would like to receive an invitation to join the National Postdoctoral Association or if your invitation has expired and you need to be sent a refreshed invitation, please [contact Cheryl Gater](#) to receive an invitation.

[More information.](#)

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Reminder: Postdoc Info Listserv

Want to receive e-mail prompts prior to postdoc events like the [Postdoc Development Workshops](#) and other postdoc events?

A listserv has been created for postdocs to receive reminders for upcoming postdoc events. Please e-mail Cheryl Gater (cgater@aa.ufl.edu) and tell me you wish to subscribe to the "postdoc info listserv."

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