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Postdoc Mentoring Awards 2016

This is the last week to submit an application for the Postdoc Mentoring Awards! The mentoring awards were established to encourage and reward excellence, innovation, and effectiveness in mentoring UF postdocs.

Information about past award recipients and the application for the 2016 award are available on the <u>Postdoc Mentoring Awards Website</u>.

If you wish to nominate an outstanding faculty member for the award, please contact <u>Cheryl Gater</u>, Office of Postdoctoral Affairs Director, with the nominee's contact information.

The deadline for application is December 15, 2016.

Submitted by the Office of Postdoctoral Affairs

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Save the Date - Biology and Therapy of the Ciliated Senses Symposium, January 23, 2017

Save the date January 23, 2017 for the "Biology and Therapy of the Ciliated Senses" symposium presented by the Center for Vision Research and the Center for Smell and Taste. All faculty, staff, and students are invited to attend this all-day symposium. The symposium will be held in the McKnight Brain Institute Auditorium (LG-101A), with talks beginning at 8:00 am (breakfast will be available before the meeting at 7:30 am). The cost of the meeting is underwritten by the Centers for Vision Research and Smell and Taste, and is free to all UF personnel. (See attached flyer for more details)

Submitted by Cedric Uytingco, UF Center for Smell and Taste

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Friday, January 6, 2017 - Laboratory Leadership in Science

Register to attend Making the Right Moves Research Management Seminar Series on Friday, January 6, 2017 from 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. in C1-11. Dr. Wayne McCormack presents "Laboratory Leadership in Science".

Register here

Submitted by Susan Gardner, CTSI

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Postdoc Funding Opportunities

On the <u>Resources</u> 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 <u>Human Resource Services</u>' GA and Post Doc Associate Benefits Office at <u>benefits@ufl.edu</u> 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 <u>Human Resource Services</u>. Ms. Baxley can be reached at 392-1072 or <u>kczap@ufl.edu</u>.

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Reminder: University of Florida Postdocs on Facebook and LinkedIn

Join this <u>Facebook group</u> for University of Florida postdocs as well as the LinkedIn group: <u>http://www.linkedin.com/groups/Gainesville-Postdocs-4479251?trk=myg_ugrp_ovr%20</u>

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Reminder: FREE Affiliate NPA Membership

If you would like to receive an invitation join the National Postdoctoral Association or if your invitation has expired and you need to be sent a refreshed invitation, please <u>contact Cheryl Gater</u> to receive an invitation.

More information.

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