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Fresno State – Cal State Advancing Faculty Diversity Proposal (July 15th to 20th - Apply Immediately)

Fresno State University in California is hosting a week long workshop designed to provide practical training and sharpen skills for advanced graduate students and postdocs who are interested in a faculty position at comprehensive universities where there’s a mix of research and teaching. Additional information available here.

Submitted by Cedric Uyttingco, College of Medicine

The Future Faculty Career Exploration Program at Rochester Institute of Technology (Deadline - May 7th)

The Future Faculty Career Exploration Program (FFCEP) is the cornerstone of our recruitment strategy and critical to the success of RIT’s diversity goals. This program increases the diversity among faculty at the Rochester Institute of Technology. We bring brilliant scholars who are nearing the end of their doctoral or MFA studies, as well as post-docs and junior faculty, to experience RIT as a prospective faculty member.

When you participate in this program, you’ll have the chance to discover RIT’s unique teaching and research philosophy from our world-renowned faculty. The FFCEP program allows you to engage RIT Deans and Department Chairs in your academic work and career interests. You’ll also learn about current and upcoming position openings. If you are selected to participate in this program you’ll be eligible for an all-expenses-paid trip to visit the RIT campus in Rochester, New York.
For more information and to apply go to http://www.rit.edu/academicaffairs/facultyrecruitment/future-faculty-programs/future-faculty-career-exploration-program

Submitted by Cedric Uytingco, College of Medicine

Seeking Investigator at the Intersection of Immunology and Neuroscience

The National Eye Institute (NEI) invites applications for a tenure-track investigator position in the Intramural Research Program at the National Institutes of Health (NIH), Bethesda, Maryland [https://irp.nih.gov/our-research/principal-investigators]. The NIH IRP is home to a large, strong and highly collaborative group of immunology and neuroscience investigators [https://irp.nih.gov/our-research/scientific-focus-areas/immunology]. Applications will be considered from outstanding individuals working in all areas of immunology and inflammation that complement current programs and that are pertinent to eye and nervous system function and disease pathobiology.

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Postdoc Editors Association

The Office of Postdoctoral Affairs is pleased to announce the creation of the University of Florida’s Postdoctoral Editors Association (UF-PEA), a service to help postdocs who seek to improve English grammar and writing style. The UF-PEA is comprised of postdoc volunteers from multiple colleges across the University who will offer preliminary review of manuscripts, grant applications, posters, slides and other scholarly presentations. While this service will be most useful to postdocs who speak English as a second language, the service is free and open to all postdocs at UF. Our editors will provide feedback on structure and style of writing, but refrain from commenting on scholarship which is best honed by interactions between the postdoc and their mentor. UF-PEA will facilitate higher level postdoc-mentor interactions by reducing time spent on basic writing needs.

Find out more or submit a document for review at our website!

Submitted by Joseph McQuail, Postdoc Editors Association Editor-in-Chief

Postdoc HR Issues:

Insurance and Benefits: If you have questions about benefits enrollment or eligibility, please contact UF’s Human Resource Services’ GA and Post Doc Associate 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 Mr. Brook Mercier in Employee Relations in UF’s Human Resource Services. Mr. Mercier can be reached at 392-1072 or bmercier@ufl.edu.

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Join this Facebook group for University of Florida postdocs as well as the LinkedIn group:
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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 contact Cheryl Gater to receive an invitation.

More information.

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