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East Carolina University Faculty Internship & Recruitment – Interest Survey

The University of Florida is developing a partnership with East Carolina University (ECU) to recruit UF Postdocs from underrepresented minority groups for faculty internships and tenure-track positions at

ECU. Deans and other ECU administrators will be visiting UF January 23-24, 2019 and are interested in postdocs associated with the following UF colleges:

- College of Liberal Arts and Sciences
- College of the Arts
- College of Education
- College of Journalism and Communications
- Herbert Wertheim College of Engineering
- College of Health and Human Performance
- Warrington College of Business Administration

If you think you might be interested participating in this program, and are a postdoc from an underrepresented minority group in one of the listed UF colleges, please indicate you interest by taking this short survey.

This opportunity, originally scheduled for Fall 2018 had to be postponed. If you previously filled out the interest survey, please fill it out again as new questions have been added to facilitate ECU recruitment efforts. If you have any questions, please contact LilyRLewis@ufl.edu.

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UF Postdoc Lunch-time Seminar Series - Sign-up to Present for 2019

Do you have an important presentation coming up in 2019? This seminar series provides a casual environment for you to practice your presentation and receive constructive feedback from your peers. Once you have signed up, you will be contacted by the Lily Lewis, Office of Postdoctoral Affairs to complete the scheduling. There is one opportunity to present per month, so make sure to claim your spot!

When: 2nd Wednesday of each month, Noon – 1:15pm

Where: Location TBD on a monthly basis

If you are interested in attending the seminars, but do not wish to present, stay tuned for upcoming announcements. Each seminar meeting will include time to network with peers.

Sign up to present. **Be sure to enter your UF Email Address!**

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Applications for the 2019 L'Oréal USA For Women in Science fellowship program are now open and will close on Friday, February 1, 2019

The L'Oréal USA For Women in Science fellowship program honors female scientists at a critical stage in their careers with grants of $60,000 each. Since 2003, we've awarded 75 postdoctoral women scientists nearly $4 million in grants. **We're seeking five exceptional female scientists looking to advance their research and serve as role models for the next generation of girls in STEM.**

Candidates are selected from a variety of fields including the life and physical/material sciences, technology (including computer science), engineering, and mathematics. Candidates must have completed their PhD and have started in their postdoctoral position by the application deadline.

The application and more information about the L'Oréal USA For Women in Science program can be found at www.lorealusa.com/forwomeninscience.

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please contact me at rachel.pacifico@loreal.com.

Submitted by Rachel Pacifico, L'Oréal

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5th Annual Women and Heart Disease Conference

The 5th Annual Women and Heart Disease Conference, hosted by UF Jax Department of Cardiology and directed by Dr. Gladys Velarde, MD, FACC, is a half day continuing education program designed to address awareness, treatment and the importance of risk factor modification to clinicians in interpreting women's cardiovascular symptoms, allowing for earlier recognition and better outcomes. The conference will be held at the River Club in Downtown Jacksonville, FL. This program is intended for Cardiologists, Family

Medicine, Internal Medicine physicians, Nurses, Pharmacists, and Allied Health Professionals.

To view the agenda and to register, visit http://womensheart.cme.ufl.edu/.

For more information, please contact University of Florida Continuing Medical Education at cme-mail@ufl.edu

Submitted by Gianna Gamache, UF Continuing Medical Education

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Call for Entries: Robert Levitt Awards for Student Research on Aging - 2019

Sponsored by the *Institute for Learning in Retirement (ILR) at Oak Hammock and the University of Florida*

The Institute for Learning in Retirement (ILR) at Oak Hammock invites undergraduate students, graduate students, and post-doctoral fellows to present their research related to adult development and aging at the 2019 Robert Levitt Awards for Student Research on Aging. The awards program includes a poster competition and oral presentations. The five finalists of the poster competition will be selected by a panel of judges to give oral (PowerPoint) presentations at a later date. Prizes will be awarded to the 5 finalists after judging of the oral presentations:

1st place $1000 / 2nd place $800 / 3rd place $600 / two honorable mentions = $300 each

Abstract Submission Deadline: February 1, 2019, by 5:00 PM

Poster Competition: February 27, 2019, 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM

Oral Presentations for Finalists: March 15, 2019, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Location: Oak Hammock, Gainesville, Florida

More details and abstract submission forms can be found at:

https://qtrial2014az1.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_0NVYi3BspxZjxAx

Please direct questions to ILRAgingResearch@gmail.com

Submitted by Sobha Jaishankar, Office of Research

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Winter Break Research Computing Operations

While all compute, storage, and network systems will be fully operational, UFIT's Research Computing staff will have slightly reduced support levels from Dec. 15 through Jan. 1. Issues arising during this timeframe will be addressed as soon as possible. The reduction in service levels only applies to:

1. No new investments for cores or storage will be processed.

2. No new software will be installed.

3. No requests for advanced user support will be processed.

Regular operations resume on Wednesday, Jan. 2, 2019. Anyone with questions about Research Computing services or who has a suggestion for a new service, may contact Director Erik Deumens.

Submitted by Erik Deumens, UF Information Technology

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Spring 2019 Research Computing Training Schedule

UFIT will offer weekly research-centric training in New Physics Building Room 2205, from 10:40 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. More information and registration links are available by visiting https://training.it.ufl.edu/training/ and checking the 'RESEARCH COMPUTING' box under "AREA."

Jan. 17: Introduction to Research Computing and HiPerGator

Jan. 24: An Introduction to the Linux Command Line

Jan. 31: HiPerGator: SLURM Submission Scripts

Feb. 7: HiPerGator: SLURM Scripts for MPI Jobs

Feb. 14: Running Graphical Applications on HiPerGator with Xpra

Feb. 21: Running MATLAB on HiPerGator

Feb. 28: Galaxy and NGS Sequence Analysis

Mar. 7: Git and github.com

Mar. 14: Jupyter Lab & Jupyter Notebooks for R, Python and More

Mar. 21: Rmpi and parallel R analyses

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Job Opportunities with Bayer

- Job Number: **01V3A** - We are seeking a dedicated and highly talented **Genomics (ELS) Emerging Leaders in Science Program** to support our R&D organization located in St. Louis, MO.

- Job Number: **01V39 -** We are seeking a dedicated and highly talented **Discovery Scientist (ELS) Emerging Leaders in Science Program** to support our R&D organization located in St. Louis, MO.

- Job Number: **01V38 -** We are seeking a dedicated and highly talented **Data Scientist (ELS) Emerging Leaders in Science Program** to support our R&D organization located in St. Louis, MO.

If you or someone you know is interested, please visit the website below (Enter the job number, and search) to review the job description and submit an application. All candidates external, must apply online. Resumes will not be accepted directly to a manager or recruiter.

We provide employees with competitive wages and a complete package of benefits, which includes: a savings and investment plan, medical and life insurance, dental and vision insurance, health care and dependent care flexible spending accounts, and other work/life resources.

Bayer successfully completed the acquisition of Monsanto in June 2018, bringing together Monsanto's leadership in seeds and plant traits with Bayer's leadership in chemical and biological crop protection. By joining forces, we will create even more extensive career opportunities for talent around the world. We're a global team working to shape agriculture through breakthrough innovation that will benefit farmers, consumers, and our planet.

While we are now Bayer, we will continue to hire using separate career sites until we can integrate our career platforms. We invite you to explore the career opportunities available at the combined company by visiting advancingtogether.com/careers

Submitted by Elian Kampf, Plant Molecular & Cell. Biology (PMCB) Program & IFAS Plant Breeding

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Accelerate to Industry Program - Now Accepting Applications

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Reminders

Postdoc Editors Association - Accepting New Volunteer Editors

Now accepting new volunteer editors for the 2018-2019 Academic Year!

The University of Florida's Postdoctoral Editors Association (UF-PEA) is an editing service that helps 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 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 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 facilitates higher level postdoc-mentor interactions by reducing time spent on basic writing needs.

Find out more, volunteer to edit, or submit a document for review at our website!

Submitted by Harneet Arora, Postdoc Editors Association Editor-in-Chief

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Submit Postdoc Awards & Honors Announcements

The Office of Postdoctoral Affairs wants to promote your achievements. Please send notification of postdoc awards and achievements to Lily Lewis or submit a Postdoctoral Achievements Submission Form. Postdoc Award announcements will be included in the weekly UF Postdoctoral Update Newsletter and Awards and other Achievements (such as publications) will be featured on the Office of Postdoctoral Affairs website.

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Submit your UF Postdoc Profile

The Office of Postdoctoral Affairs is in the process of updating our website and we want to highlight our current postdocs. We invite you to submit content for your profile and let us help you enhance your online professional presence. The online submission form can be found here and current profiles can be viewed here. Note that a professional style profile picture is required. If you do not have a photo, contact Lily Lewis to schedule your photo shoot prior to submitting your profile. Please feel free to contact Lily Lewis if you have any comments or questions about the submission form or would like assistance crafting your content.

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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' 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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University of Florida Postdocs on Facebook and LinkedIn

Join this Facebook group for University of Florida postdocs as well as the LinkedIn group.

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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 contact Lily Lewis to receive an invitation.

More information.

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