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2019 UF/IFAS Grantsmanship Workshop

Monday and Tuesday, June 17 and 18, 2019
G001 McCarty Hall D
UF Main Campus

IFAS is hosting a two-day grantsmanship workshop.

Click here for more information: IFAS Grantsmanship workshop

If you are a postdoc new to grant writing, register as a student. If you have experience grantwriting, register as faculty.

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Using Social Media for Career Advancement

Wednesday, May 15, 2019
2 p.m. – 3 p.m.
Communicore C1-7
UF Health Main Campus

Women in Medicine and Science (WIMS) livestreaming and recording: Streaming link

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Meet with Industry!

Wednesday, May 15, 2019

2 p.m. – 3 p.m.: Presentations

3 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.: Discussion

1031 Steinmetz Hall
UF Main Campus

A professional development opportunity for graduate students and postdocs in the life sciences.

Interact with industry scientists

Learn about cutting edge technologies in agriculture

Gain insights into careers within the industrial sector

Click here for more information: Meet with Industry!

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3rd Annual Leadership in Action Workshop Series

Every Friday in June, 2019
2 p.m. – 5 p.m.
HPNP Auditorium
UF Health Main Campus

Regardless of your intended career pathway, today's health research predoctoral and postdoctoral trainees must be well rounded in a variety of leadership skills and abilities while defining career goals and action steps.

Through this four-week practical and interactive series, you will enhance your skills as a leader in the context of

your career and professional development. Based on the social change model and design thinking, you will work with a network of faculty members and peers to develop into a well-rounded professional prepared for the health sciences research workforce, while learning how to translate your research training to be a positive force for change.

Click here for more information and to register: Leadership in Action

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Meet @ the Cade Inventor Series: Applied Genetic Technologies Corporation

Saturday, May 11, 2019
10 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Cade Museum for Creativity and Invention
Gainesville, FL.

AGTC's research is targeted to cure orphan (or rare) genetic diseases- specifically those affecting visual function. These are small populations of people that typically don't have many treatment options due to the rare nature of their disease. Meet AGTC this Saturday and learn more about their important gene therapy research!

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Emotional Intelligence & Common Sense

Wednesday, May 15, 2019
11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.
UF Innovate | The Hub 747
Just east of UF Main Campus

Did you know that common sense has a new name? It's called "Emotional Intelligence," often abbreviated EQ. EQ is important to your marketing efforts, your company's culture, your connections with customers and coworkers.

It's important to your paycheck, too. On average, those high in EQ earn $29,000 more per year than those who lack it. EQ is good for your wallet in so many ways!

Wendy Sellers, The HR Lady®, will discuss EQ and what it can do for your profit margins and company culture at this month's lunch and learn.

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Startup Weekend 2019

Friday – Sunday, May 17 – 19, 2019
UF Innovate | The Hub
Just east of UF Main Campus

Have a business idea you've been chewing on?

Ready to meet your next cofounder, friend, mentor, or investor?

Curious to work with a team to build a company in just 54 hours?

At Startup Weekend Gainesville, you'll be immersed in the ideal environment packed with mentors, peers, founders, and creatives eager to make something out of nothing with prizes valued at $7,500+!

About Startup Weekend:

Techstars Startup Weekends are 54-hour events designed to provide superior experiential education for technical and non-technical entrepreneurs.

Beginning with Friday night pitches and continuing through brainstorming, business plan development, and basic prototype creation, Techstars Startup Weekends culminate in Sunday night demos and presentations. Participants create working startups during the event and are able to collaborate with like-minded individuals outside of their daily networks. All teams hear talks by industry leaders and receive valuable feedback from local entrepreneurs.

The weekend is centered around action, innovation, and education. Whether you are looking for feedback on an idea, a co-founder, specific skill sets, or a team to help you execute, Techstars Startup Weekends are the perfect environment in which to test your idea and take the first steps towards launching your own startup.

Early Bird BOGO: Buy two tickets at the price of one!

Click here to register: Startup Weekend 2019

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UF Techie Toastmasters

Tuesday, May 21, 2019
4 p.m. – 5 p.m.
UF Innovate | The Hub 747
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Join the UF Techie Toastmasters Club, a club hosted by UF Innovate and backed by Toastmasters International to help develop and improve upon public speaking and leadership skills. Our club was founded with a primary focus on helping assist startup founders and staff with networking amongst entrepreneurs, while also helping them develop better ways to help deliver their "pitch" and any other presented materials. We've had many of members graduate from UF Innovate, and we look forward to helping many more companies and their staff!

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Designing an Inclusive Course

May 13 – 31, 2019

This training provides opportunities to learn and apply methods for designing a course that recognizes the diversity of UF students and empowers all students equally. Participants will leave the course with a revision to one aspect of their course and direction on next steps they can take to make their course materials, organization, or assessments more inclusive.

Click here for more information: Designing an Inclusive Course

Click here to register for the next offering of Designing an Inclusive Course: Inclusive Course Registration

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Technology to Improve Instructor Presence

May 20 – June 2, 2019

In this instructional development opportunity, participants will explore strategies and tools to create an effective online instructor presence and incorporate technology into teaching. Participants will practice creating engaging and interactive instructional videos.

Click here for more information: Technology to Improve Instructor Presence

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Reminders

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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FREE NCFDD Membership

The National Center for Faculty Development & Diversity (NCFDD) provide a variety of virtual programs and resources including:

- Weekly **Monday Motivator**
- Monthly **Core Curriculum Webinars**
- Monthly **Guest Expert Webinars**
- Access to **Multi-Week Courses**
- Access to **Dissertation Success Curriculum** for graduate students
- Private **Discussion Forum** for peer-mentoring, problem-solving, & moderated writing challenges
- Monthly accountability buddy matches
- Access to **14-Day Writing Challenges**
- Access to the **Member Library** that includes past webinar materials, referrals, and readings

To claim your **free** access to our Institutional Membership, complete the following steps:

1) Go to http://www.facultydiversity.org/join

2) Choose your institution from the drop-down menu.

3) Select "Activate my Membership"

4) Complete the registration form using your institutional email address (i.e. @ufl.edu)

5) Go to your institution email to find a confirmation/welcome email. Click "Activate Account" in the email.

If you have any questions about the membership, please contact: Antonio Farias via email at antoniofarias@ufl.edu or by phone at (352) 392-6917. If you have any technical questions, please email NCFDD at Membership@FacultyDiversity.org.

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