ORDE Faculty Seminars Spring 2019

February
AMC: NIH K Award Grant Planning Seminar
February 14, 2019
12:00 – 3:00 pm (lunch served)
Location: Strauss Health Sciences Library, Reading Room
Registration link: [https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/NIHKAward](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/NIHKAward)
Faculty Experts: William W. Hay, Jr., Professor, School of Medicine; Kristen Demoruelle, Assistant Professor, School of Medicine; Karen Hampanda, Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Community and Behavioral Health; Jean Mulcahy Levy, Assistant Professor, School of Medicine; Minghua Tang, Assistant Professor, School of Medicine

Description: During this working seminar, you will learn about the NIH’s K award grant programs, as well as strategies for approaching these unique grants. You will learn tactics and experiences from past K awardees and have an opportunity to get feedback on your K plan from your peers and awardees.

Denver: Career Programs
February 18, 2019
12:00 – 2:00 pm (lunch served)
Location: CU Building, Room 490
Registration Link: [https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CareerProg](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CareerProg)
Faculty Experts: Amy Wachholtz, Assistant Professor of Psychology and Arunprakash Karunanithi, Associate Professor of Civil Engineering

Description: During this seminar, you will learn about the NSF CAREER program and the NIH mentored-K programs, as well as strategies for approaching these unique grants. You will learn tactics and experiences from a past K and CAREER awardee.

March
Denver: Writing a Project Overview
March 6, 2019
12:00 – 2:00 pm (lunch served)
Location: Lawrence Street Center, Room 600
Registration Link: [https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/WritingProjectOverview](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/WritingProjectOverview)
Faculty Expert: Chris Phiel, Associate Professor, Integrative Biology

Reviewers tend to make up their minds as to whether they like or don’t like a grant proposal upon reading the first page. This makes your project overview, whether it be Specific Aims or a Project Summary, essential in terms of hooking your reviewer and getting them excited about your work. Join us for this seminar where you will learn how to craft your project overview to be clear and compelling.
AMC: Writing Your Specific Aims
March 19, 2019
12:00 – 2:00 (lunch served)
Location: Education 2 North, Room P28-1107
Registration Link: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/WritingSpecificAims
Faculty Expert: Sonia Flores, Professor, School of Medicine

The Specific Aims page is the most crucial component of your NIH grant proposal. It is the first thing the reviewers assigned to your proposal look at, and for those reviewers not assigned to your proposal, it is often the only thing they see of your proposal before scoring it. In this seminar, you will learn how to craft your Specific Aims and you will hear from a seasoned PI on their experience with Specific Aims from a PI and Reviewer perspective.

April
Denver: National Science Foundation
April 18, 2019
12:00 – 2:00 pm (lunch served)
Location: Student Commons, Rm. 2000
Registration Link: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/NSFDenver
Faculty Experts: Martin Dunn, Dean, College of Engineering and Applied Science; Doris Kimbrough, Professor, Chemistry

The National Science Foundation (NSF) is the premiere federal funding agency for the Sciences. Join us for this seminar to learn about the NSF and their grant programs. Seasoned experts will discuss the mission and organization of the NSF, their overarching grants criteria, their proposal structure, and tips for applying to the NSF.

AMC: How to Plan for a P01 or Center Grant
April 30, 2019
12:00 – 2:00 pm (lunch served)
Location: Education 2 North, Room P28-2302
Registration Link: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/P01orCenterGrant
Faculty Experts: Cathy Bradley, Professor and Associate Dean of Research, Colorado School of Public Health; John Hokanson, Professor, Colorado School of Public Health; Jennifer Kemp, Director, Department of Medicine Research Office; Jon Samet, Dean, Colorado School of Public Health

P01 and Center grants are highly competitive and unique. It takes seasoned PIs, multiple great projects, integration, collaboration, and sustainability. This seminar is targeted for seasoned PIs who want to learn what it takes to submit a competitive P01 or center grant. You will hear from faculty experts on the demands of the P01/center grant proposal as well as from those who have successfully competed for such a grant.