Postdoc Travel Award

Don’t miss our upcoming deadline of July 1, 2015

As part of FSU’s ongoing efforts to improve the career development of our Postdoctoral Scholars, the Office of Postdoctoral Affairs is pleased to administer a minimum of 10 Career Development Travel Awards.

These awards are intended to assist postdoctoral Scholars with travel to conferences, meetings, or courses to facilitate their career development, learn new techniques, and network as they prepare to transition to careers in any field of their choosing.

Applications are accepted twice yearly on July 1st and January 1st and awardees have 6 months to use the funds. To learn more, please visit http://opda.fsu.edu/Resources/Postdoc-Travel-Awards

Upcoming Events

Get Started in Technology Commercialization (Brown Bag Lunch Seminars)
Wednesday’s, June 10th – July 29th from 12:00 pm – 1:30 pm
Presenters: Mike Devine (FSU College of Engineering’s Entrepreneur in Residence (EIR)), Lawrence Tinker (Eir with the Florida Institute for the Commercialization of Public Research), and Ron Fraizer (EIR in the FSU College of Business)
Materials Research Building, Room 114 – 2005 Levy Rd (Innovation Park)
Description: This brown bag lunch series is for anyone with a technology-based business idea. Would you like to explore the commercial potential of a product/invention that has resulted from University research? Do you have ideas for new technologies with commercial potential? Faculty/students/staff from all disciplines at FSU, FAMU, and TCC – or others from the community are encouraged to participate, learn, share experiences, and network.

Growing the Life Science Industry in Northeast Florida
June 30, 2015 from 4:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Perry Center for Emerging Technologies, 14180 NW 119th Terrace, Alachua, Florida 32615
Description: This event is a great networking opportunity for postdocs in the life sciences. You will have the opportunity to meet other professionals, and hear incubators and executives at local life science companies discuss the industry. Learn more about your career options outside of academia. Discover more at http://www.bioflorida.com/events/event_details.asp?id=643243

Tools of the Trade Series
Every Friday from June 5th through August 7th at 1:00 pm
College of Medicine: Room 1301
This summer the Department of Biomedical Sciences will host a professional development series for graduate students, postdocs and anyone else who is interested.
This exciting series of presentations and workshops will run every Friday until August 7th. It is free. Contact Christina Goswick-Childers (cgoswick-childers@med.fsu.edu) if you are interested in participating.
July 2 (Thursday) - Presenting your Research and Moving up the Ladder (full list available at http://opda.fsu.edu/Events-Workshops/Upcoming-Events)

Are You Prepared for Your Social or Behavioral Sciences Conference Presentation?
July 10, 2015 from 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm
Honors, Scholars & Fellows House (HSF), Room 3009
Presenter: Dr. Jennifer Proffitt, Associate Professor, School of Communication
How do you convert a paper into a conference presentation? Will you talk with notes, read your paper, and/or use visuals? How will you ensure that your audience will “get” your message? Are you prepared for the audience’s questions? Dr. Proffitt will answer these questions and more when she leads you through the process of conference presentation preparation and delivery. To register, visit https://fsu.qualtrics.com/SE/?SID=SV_e3WqDd3uTaUj73n

Fellowships

Helen Hays Whitney Foundation – Postdoctoral Fellowship in Biomedical Sciences
http://www.hhwf.org/HTMLSrc/ResearchFellowships.html
Deadline: July 1, 2015

Ovshinsky Sustainable Energy Fellowship
http://www.aps.org/units/gera/awards/ovshinsky.cfm
Deadline: July 1, 2015

The Helen Hay Whitney Foundation Research Fellowship
http://www.hhwf.org/HTMLSrc/ResearchFellowships.html
Deadline: July 1, 2015

Division of Earth Sciences EAR Postdoctoral Fellowships
http://nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=503144&org=OMA
Deadline: July 20, 2015

Human Frontier Science Program – Postdoctoral Fellowships
http://www.hfsp.org/funding/postdoctoral-fellowships
Deadlines: August 13 (Initiation) and August 27, 2015 (Submission)

NAF Research Post-Doc Fellowship Award
http://www.ataxia.org/research/ataxia-research-grants.aspx
Deadlines: August 17, 2015 (Letter of Intent) and September 15, 2015 (Application)

Keystone Symposia Fellows Program
http://www.keystonesymposia.org/fellows#utm_source=2015FellowsEmail&utm_medium=banner&utm_campaign=2015FellowsEmail
Deadline: September 1, 2015

The American Society for Cell Biology – Local Meeting Funds
http://ascb.org/local-meetings/
Deadlines: September 30, 2015

Use the following databases to identify additional opportunities (click on the links) – Pivot, Foundation Center

Career Development Webinars and Blogs

Academia, Industry, or Government?
http://biocareers.com/bio-careers-blog/academia-industry-or-government
Learn more about the risks, rewards, and levels of competition for jobs in academia, industry, and government.

Sabotaging your Career with Self-Doubt
Don’t let a history of low-paying, temporary positions in academia impact your self-esteem in a future job.

Explaining Your Transition
http://biocareers.com/bio-careers-blog/explaining-your-transition
Learn how to explain your decision to change careers in a positive and professional way.

Leadership Opportunities

Board of Directors: National Postdoctoral Association
Deadline: July 13, 2015
Jobs
Below is a sampling of open positions around the world.

Tenure-track Assistant Professor of Materials Science and Engineering
https://jobs.ncsu.edu/postings/54574
North Carolina State University, North Carolina

Scientist/Scientist II - Photosynthesis
Synthetic Genomics, Inc., California

Tenure-track Assistant Professor of Biological Sciences
https://jobs.mtholyoke.edu/index.cgi?JA_m=JASDET&JA_s=236
Mount Holyoke College, Massachusetts

Senior Electrical Engineer
General Electric Healthcare, Washington

Multiple Tenure-track Positions in Anatomy & Cell Biology, Biomedical Sciences, and Physiology
http://bcomnm.org/about-bcom/the-team/career-opportunities/
New Mexico State University, New Mexico

Biostatistician 3
https://providence.taleo.net/careersection/external/jobdetail.ftl?job=76535&src=OTH-14138
Providence Health and Services, Oregon

Tenure-track Assistant Professor in Water Quality Engineering
https://employment.unl.edu/postings/45343
University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Nebraska

Project Scientist 1: Physics for Global NWP
https://ucar.silkroad.com/epostings/index.cfm?fuseaction=app.dspjob&jobid=217746&company_id=15947
University Corporation for Atmospheric Research (UCAR), Colorado

Tenure-track Assistant Professor of Statistics
https://jobs.carleton.edu/postings/2366
Carleton College, Minnesota

Research Scientist
ABB, Connecticut

Two Tenure-track Positions: Assistant Professor of Mechanical Engineering
https://maritime.interviewexchange.com/jobofferdetails.jsp?JOBID=56966
SUNY Maritime College, New York

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http://florida state.biocareers.com/
http://www.academickey.com/all/subscribe.php
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http://www.fiercebiotech.com/jobs/

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Free NPA Membership

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✓ A subscription to the NPA’s official quarterly newsletter
✓ Reduced registration fees to the NPA Annual Meeting
✓ Eligibility for the NPA Travel Award Program
✓ Professional & Leadership Development
✓ Networking opportunities with colleagues nationwide

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