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Securing Corporate Funding for Your Research

Lairine Sun, Associate Director of Corporate and Foundation Relations, CHLA

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Using Python and Other Tools to Archive and Use Twitter Data

Stacy R. Williams, Head, Architecture and Fine Arts Library

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Designing Clinical Mixed Methods Research
Anita Schmidt, Research Manager, Division of Emergency and Transport Medicine, CHLA
Phung Pham, Data Analyst, Division of Emergency and Transport Medicine, CHLA

Mixed methods research offers investigators the opportunity to answer clinical questions with a broader perspective by using a quantitative and qualitative approach. However, because this discipline is evolving quickly, few tools exist for guiding and assessing this type of inquiry. This workshop will discuss mixed methods design, allow you to develop study plans to answer research questions, present data collection techniques and discuss strategies for reporting of data mixing.

Audience: Faculty & Postdocs
March 22, 2019 | 11:30 - 1:30 PM | CHLA John Stauffer A+B

Keeping Them Awake and Interested: Elements of Engaging Research
Mark & Fry, Associate Professor of Pediatrics, CHLA
Senta Georgia, Assistant Professor of Pediatrics, CHLA

When asked, many people say public speaking is one of their biggest fears. Yet standing in front of a group is only one obstacle; you need to know just what to say. Mark Frey and Senta Georgia will describe and demonstrate approaches used by effective speakers, followed by small group peer critiques so that you can get feedback on quick-shot talks. By the end, you’ll have learned new ways to engage an audience, how to define and communicate the central topic of a talk, and acquire new tools for editing a presentation for clarity and impact.

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March 29, 2019 | 12 - 1:30 PM | CHLA John Stauffer A+B

APRIL EVENTS

How to Obtain NIH Funding
Steven Moldin, Executive Director of Research Advancement, Office of Research

The NIH invests nearly $37.3 billion a year to medical research, and more than 80% of that is awarded through almost 50,000 competitive grants. This workshop will educate investigators in the complete process of conceptualizing an NIH grant proposal, structuring the application, submitting it for peer review, and working with Institute staff to get the application funded. This includes identifying which NIH Institute to target, the NIH’s funding priorities, how to prepare for the review process, and building relationships with funding agencies.

Target Audience: Faculty & Postdocs
April 3, 2019 | 12 - 2 PM | UPC CUB 329

Preparing and Submitting NSF CAREER Award Proposals
Randolph Hall, Vice President, Office of Research

The Faculty Early Career Development Program (otherwise known as the NSF CAREER Award) is one of NSF’s most prestigious awards. It supports junior faculty who exemplify the role of teacher-scholars through outstanding research, excellent education and the integration of education and research within the context of the mission of their organizations. This workshop will provide you insights into the requirements, as well as proposal preparation process for this award.

Target Audience: Junior Faculty
April 25, 2019 | 12 - 2 PM | UPC CUB 329