

Tentative Agenda:

Faculty Grant Writing Institute 2016

Research Development Services

Office of Research & Economic Development | University of California Merced

April 19, 2015 – April 21, 2016

Kolligian Library Room 232

Participants are welcome to attend all sessions or portions of the Institute as scheduling allows; However note that most of the sessions on Tuesday and Wednesday are participatory. Please RSVP the sessions you plan on attending.

Day 1: Tuesday, April 19, 2016 • 12 noon – 4:45 pm • Kolligian Library Room 232

- 12:00 – 12:30 p.m. **Registration and working lunch (Provided)**
- 12:00 – 12:15 p.m. **Welcome and Introductions**
Dr. Samuel Traina, Vice Chancellor for Research and Economic Development, UC Merced
- 12:15 – 12:30 p.m. **Overview: Grant Writing Institute**
Susan Carter, J.D., Director, Research Development Services
- 12:30 – 2:30 p.m. **Introduction to Grant Getting**
Legislative Conditions and Science Policy
Why Write Proposals
Knowing your Research
Presenter: John Crockett, Ph.D.; Senior Director, Research Advancement San Diego State University
- 2:30 – 2:45 p.m. **Break**
- 2:45 – 4:30 p.m. **Designing your Research Brand**
Strategic Approaches to Finding Programs
John Crockett, Ph.D.

Day 2: Wednesday, April 20, 2016 • 8:30 am – 4:30 pm • Kolligian Library Room 232

- 8:30 – 9:00 a.m. **Continental breakfast (Provided)**
- 9:00 – 10:30 a.m. **Reading an RFP**
Introduction to talking to Programs
Non-Proposal Communications
The One-Pager
John Crockett, Ph.D.
- 10:30 – 10:45 a.m. **Break**
- 10:45 - 12 noon **Making a Match**

Understanding Federal Agencies: Basic Research vs. Mission Oriented Writing the Proposal Sections

Noon – 12:30 p.m.

Lunch (Provided)

12:30 – 2:30 p.m.

**Writing the Proposal Sections, contd.
Budgets and Budget Justification**

Presenter: John Crockett, Ph.D.

2:30 – 2:45 p.m.

Break

2:45 – 4:30 p.m.

**Steps to the win
Forming and managing a competitive team**

Presenter: John Crockett, Ph.D.

Day 3: Thursday, April 21, 2016 • 8:30 am – 5:00 pm • Kolligian Library Room 232

8:15 – 8:30 a.m.

Continental breakfast (Provided)

8:30 – 9:15 a.m.

Overview of Extramural Funding and Research Development Services at UC Merced

Presenter: Susan Carter, J.D., Director, Research Development Services (RDS)

The Proposal Submission Process at UC Merced

Electronic Systems; Limited Submission Proposals; SP/Cayuse

Presenter: Vanity Campbell, MPH, Senior Research Development Officer, RDS

9:15 – 10:00 a.m.

Critical steps for successful grants with non-academic community partners

Presenter: Stergios Roussos, Ph.D., MPH

10:00 – 10:15 a.m.

Break

10:15 – 11:30 a.m.

Serving on Funding Review Panels

Moderator: Susan Carter

Presenters: Noemi Petra, Ph.D.; Heather Bortfeld, Ph.D.; Ramesh Balasubramaniam, Ph.D.; Rudy Ortiz, Ph.D.

11:30 – 12:15 p.m.

UC Merced goes to DC: Meeting with Federal Agencies

Presenters: VCRED Sam Traina, Ph.D.; Jennifer Manilay, Ph.D.; Ashlie Martini, PhD; Jitske Tiemensma, Ph.D.

12:15 – 1:00 p.m.

Lunch (Provided)

1:00 – 1:30 p.m.

Overview of the Peer Review Process

Presenter: Susan Carter

1:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Mock Peer Review Process (*Space limited, by advance RSVP only*).

4:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Wrap Up, Closing Remarks, and Adjourn