

2024 ASBMB MENTORING AND GRANT-WRITING WORKSHOP

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7707 Woodmont Ave, Bethesda, MD 20814

Agenda

Thursday, June 13, 2024			
Time	Activity	Presenter	Location
5:30 pm – 6:00 pm	Pick up name badges and workshop packets		Atlanta-Dallas
6:00 pm – 6:30 pm	Networking Reception		Atlanta-Dallas
6:30 pm – 7:00 pm	Opening remarks: Welcome reception and dinner	Vahe Bandarian	Atlanta-Dallas
7:00 pm – 7:30 pm	Overview of IMAGE and programmatic events	Squire J. Booker Anna Woodcock	Atlanta-Dallas
7:30 pm – 8:30 pm	Balancing Teaching, Research, and Service: Group Discussion	Kayunta Johnson-Winters	Atlanta-Dallas
Friday, June 14, 2024			
Time	Activity	Presenter	Location
8:15 am	Breakfast		Atlanta-Dallas
9:00 am – 10:00 am Q/A: 10:00 am – 10:15 am	Navigating the NSF Funding Process and Q/A Session	Wilson Francisco	Atlanta-Dallas
10:15 am – 10:30 am	Break and Networking		Saddlebrook
10:30 am – 11:30 am Q/A: 11:30 am – 11:45 am	Navigating the NIH Funding Process and Q/A Session	Dorothy Beckett Michelle Bond	Atlanta-Dallas
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch		Atlanta-Dallas
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Working Lunch - Mid-career grant opportunities (mid-career participants only)	Manju Hingorani Anna Allen	Philadelphia
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm Q/A: 2:00 – 2:15 pm	Submitting a Proposal to NIH and the Review Process The NIH Early Career Reviewer Program	Jessica Smith	Atlanta-Dallas
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm	Promotion Requirements (mid-career participants only)	Kayunta Johnson-Winters Donald Elmore	Philadelphia
2:15 pm – 3:30 pm	Mock Review Panels	Vahe Bandarian Wilson Francisco Jessica Smith <i>Others To Be Determined</i>	Atlanta-Dallas
3:30 pm – 4:00 pm	A Discussion of NSF Broader Impacts	David Rockcliffe	Atlanta-Dallas
4:00 pm – 4:15 pm	Break		Saddlebrook
4:15 pm – 6:15 pm	Elements of a Successful NIH Proposal	Sonia Flores Squire J. Booker	Atlanta-Dallas
6:15 pm	Dinner		Atlanta-Dallas

7:00 pm – 7:30 pm	Lessons learned – previous attendee	Gustavo Silva	Atlanta-Dallas
7:30 pm – 8:30 pm	Fruitful Collaborations and Conflict Resolution	Vahe Bandarian	Atlanta-Dallas
Saturday, June 15, 2024			
Time	Activity	Presenter	Location
8:15 am	Breakfast		Atlanta-Dallas
9:00 am – 11:30 am	Group 1: Research Presentations (2x5)	Jacqueline Smith Jean-Philippe Gourdine Kevin Chandler William Mills Philipp Schmidpeter	Atlanta-Dallas
	Group 2: Research Presentations (2x5)	Julie di Martino Anna Fracassi Whitney Henry Rahul Saxena Liza Roger	Philadelphia
11:30 am – 1:00 am	Lunch		Atlanta-Dallas
11:30 am – 1:00 pm	Working Lunch – Discussion: Strategically Using the Freedom of Tenure (mid-career participants only)	Kayunta Johnson-Winters Donald Elmore	Philadelphia
1:00 pm – 3:30 pm	Group 1: Research Presentations (2x5)	Christian Parry Zhipeng Li April Lukowski Michel Geovanni Santiago-Martínez	Atlanta-Dallas
	Group 2: Research Presentations (2x5)	Ankit Malik Deepika Sharma Katheryn Rothenberg Salahuddin Mohammed	Philadelphia
3:30 pm – 3:45 pm	Break		Saddlebrook
3:45 pm – 6:15 pm	Group 1: Research Presentations (2x5)	Divya Prakash Sarah Hansen Iredia Iyamu Velencia Witherspoon	Atlanta-Dallas
	Group 2: Research Presentations (2x5)	Michael Henderson Jian Ouyang Andrea Joseph Hunkar Gizem Yesilyurt	Philadelphia
6:15 pm – 6:30 pm	Summary and Final Remarks	Squire J. Booker Anna Woodcock	Atlanta-Dallas
7:00 pm	Dinner (offsite)		Barrel & Crow , 4867 Cordell Ave. Bethesda, MD 20814

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