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DEPARTMENT OF MEDICINE

SPECIFIC AIMS PAGE WORKSHOP

This 2-session grant writing workshop focuses on developing outstanding specific aims pages for applying to external grant funding agencies such as the NIH.

SESSION 1: AUGUST 5, 10-11:30 AM - REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Didactic presentation, including best practices for writing a compelling specific aims page, followed by discussion time in breakout groups according to the grant mechanism you are applying for (K or R). Participants will learn:

- How to grab the reviewers' attention and stand out from the pack
- How to tell your story
- Advice on how to structure this critical 1 page overview of your proposal
- Critical elements to include on the aims page
- Common mistakes to avoid

SESSION 2: AUGUST 26, 9-11 AM - REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Interactive workshop format – we will critique your specific aims pages and work to improve them. Must attend Session 1, and must submit draft specific aims page one week before Session 2.

Registration is required and space is limited. Workshop led by Jennifer Kemp, PhD, Director of the DOM Research Office, Kristine Erlandson, MD, Division of Infectious Disease, and Paul MacLean, PhD, Division of Endocrinology.