



MEZCOPH Research Communications Newsletter

August 23, 2024

Welcome back MEZCOPH! As we gear up to start the new semester, we are excited to share that our Research Talent Pool is live. Find a link to it and more information about it in the Talent Pool section below.

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Training Grant Opportunities

- A comprehensive list of training grant opportunities from NIH can be found here: <https://researchtraining.nih.gov/programs/training-grants>
- Some highlights:
 - [T32 Training Program for Institutions That Promote Diversity \(Clinical Trial Not Allowed\)](#): multiple due dates
 - [Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award \(NRSA\) Institutional Research Training Grant](#): multiple due dates

Paid Internship and Fellowship Opportunities

- [Jefferson Science Fellowships](#)- Application Due: October 15, 2024 5 pm ET
 - Fellowships awarded February 2025
 - Eligibility: U.S. Citizen, Scientist, Tenured or similarly ranked faculty at a U.S. academic institution
- [NIH Fogarty Global Health Equity Scholars \(GHES\) Fellowship Program](#): Applications due October 1, 2024
 - Applications open for 2025-2026 Fellowship program
 - Eligible applicants are U.S. postdoctoral trainees, U.S. students enrolled in a doctorate program or professional degree program, and LMIC postdoctoral trainees who are residents of the 17 collaborating LMICs.
- [Sloan Research Fellowships](#): Nominations Open Now, due September 15, 2024

- Candidates must be nominated by a department head or other senior researcher.
- Candidates must be tenure-track faculty whose position carries a regular teaching obligation at a college, university, or other degree-granting institution in the U.S. or Canada
- *No more than three candidates may be nominated from any one department.*
- \$75,000 paid fellowships

Webinars

- From Arizona Center for Rural Health: Register for upcoming Webinars related to Substance Use Disorders
 - August 15, 2024 from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. (Tucson AZ Time) - Screening, brief intervention, referral to treatment, and substance use disorders.
 - Register here: <https://arizona.zoom.us/join/9tZUyuc-ygrTMuEtccCMXhyvAVqrNOKef33XXu#/registration>
 - **Recently added!** October 17, 2024 from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. (Tucson AZ Time) - Far Out: Cannabis in Rural Healthcare
 - Register here: <https://arizona.zoom.us/join/9tZUyuc-ygrTMuEtccCMXhyvAVqrNOKef33XXu#/registration>
 - Recorded Archived Event: Integrating the 2022 Clinical Practice Guidelines for Prescribing Opioids in Rural Healthcare Settings.
 - Access here: <https://crh.arizona.edu/events/center-rural-health-webinar-series>
 - Recorded Archived Event: Personalized recovery: Individualized approaches in treating substance/opioid use disorder.
 - Access here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6AqJA2IX9VQ>

External Funding Opportunities

NEW:

- [NIA: Alzheimer's Clinical Trials Consortium \(ACTC\) \(R01 Clinical Trial Required\)](#)- Due October 17, 2024
 - Hispanic-serving Institutions encouraged to apply
- [NIA: Deciphering the Impact of RNA Modifications on Brain Aging and AD/ADRD \(R01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed\)](#)- Due November 1, 2024

PREVIOUS:

- [NIA: Research Collaboration Network in Structural Racism Measurement and Modeling \(U24 Clinical Trial Optional\)](#) - Letter of Intent Due September 17, 2024
 - Application due October 17, 2024
 - \$1,600,000 over 5 years
- [Burroughs Wellcome Fund: Climate and Health Interdisciplinary Awards \(CHI\)](#) - Application Due October 31, 2024
 - Timeline:

- ASAP - provide an active RFA to UAHS Preaward (UAHS preaward will have additional internal deadlines prior to SPS/ BWF)
- Monday, August 26 - Due to SPS by 8 a.m. (I recommend submitting Friday, August 23)
- August 29, 2024: LOI due @ 3PM ET
- **Amount:** \$375K/3 years
- Contact Amy Davieau: Amy.Davieau@uafoundation.org

Research Talent Pool

Use this spreadsheet to find MEZCOPH faculty and staff who may be available for research positions and support, such as grant writing or data visualization. The Talent Pool is linked here as well as in the Hub under **Staff**, then **Research Resources**.

- If you haven't filled out the survey to be included in the Talent Pool, you can do so here: https://uarizona.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_2470v7LaHSIH5oq
- View the Talent Pool here: https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1_TOfqgodHH6pC4d83GUe8kxQhWeY9fo_dY4YQk9FHAc/edit?usp=sharing
- One-minute video to introduce the Talent Pool: <https://www.loom.com/share/c096126609a14ebc8adaa9d4e2408026?sid=70acaf32-29c9-44ad-9217-414106833315>

Grant Application

- Remember to contact UAHS Pre-Award as soon as possible when you are interested in submitting a proposal. They will support you throughout the application process, including provide you with a thorough checklist (you must request this now, but they are more than happy to do it!). Email them at preaward@arizona.edu

News Releases

From Southwest Environmental Health Sciences Center:

- [Pesticide exposure linked to stillbirth risk in new study](#)

From UAHS:

- [\\$1.5M grant will build global network to prevent exploitation of Indigenous data](#)

Contact Us

- **Send us photos from your research! Yes, I'm talking to YOU!** We want photos of your work in the community and in the field for our research website. [Click this link](#) to submit a story and photos!
- For IRB-related questions and general research inquiries, email Suzanna at COPH-Research@arizona.edu

- If you find any research training opportunities or funding opportunities that may be helpful to share in a future newsletter, or for more information about something in this edition, email Bethany at bshaheen@arizona.edu

Links to More Information

- [Fogarty International Center](#) - NIH Global Health Funding opportunities
- [RII Research Development Grants](#) - Including faculty seed grants and much more!
- [NIA Funding Opportunities](#) - National Institute on Aging's issue of funding opportunities and other related notices
- [Pivot](#) is a searchable database of available external funding opportunities from federal, non-federal and international sponsors in all disciplines accessible for free using your NetID. Researchers are encouraged to visit the sponsor's webpage for full information regarding opportunities of interest. All active RDS-created advanced funding searches are available by logging into Pivot.
- Follow these links for RDS newsletters: [The Current](#), [Limited Submissions Newsletter](#)

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