Stimulus Related Grant Workshops

With the signing of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (aka, the "Stimulus Bill"), available funding to universities for research will increase by approximately 37%.

Some of the time frames for funding opportunities from the federal agencies are very short. Therefore, beginning on March 26, ORSP will be holding campus-wide informational and training sessions.

Please find the upcoming workshops below. For information please contact ORSP at 415-338-7091.

On **Tuesday June 2** please join us for the **Data Analysis and Statistics Workshop**. Jim Wiley and others will present information and sources for quantitative statistical analysis of data for publications and grant proposals. The workshop will cover power analysis, design, and other topics. The morning session will be followed by lunch, then a "clinic" where analysis issues can be shared and discussed as a group. **The Collaboratory, Burk Hall Room 229 from 10:00 to 3:00 PM.**

On Thursday June 4th please join us for the "AREA R Us" Workshop for NIH AREA awards. Leti Marquez-Magana and Laura Burrus from COSE will talk about their AREA awards. CHANGE IN VENUE: Burk Hall Room 1 from 3:30 to 5:00 PM.

Past workshops:

What Every Department Chair Needs to Know (Part 2 in an occasional series) March 13, 2009

On **Thursday March 26**th we will give: a) an overview of the Stimulus Bill, agency by agency, with a focus on SF State-relevant areas that seem ripe for funding; b) an overview of the new NIH Challenge grant program (proposals due 4/27); and, c) "NIH 101" – an introduction to the NIH especially in the post-Stimulus world. **Humanities Building Rm 587 from 3:30 to 5:00 PM A video of this workshop is available on DVD upon request to tlsantos@sfsu.edu**.

On **Thursday April 2**nd will be a more intensive NIH grant writing workshop. Dr. James Wiley will discuss how to develop the critical Specific Aims page of the NIH application. Example pages will be shown from funded proposals. **Humanities Building Rm 587 from 3:30 to 5:00 PM. A video of this workshop is available on DVD upon request to tlsantos@sfsu.edu**.

On Thursday April 9th will be an NSF-focused session, with a panel of CAREER awardees speaking about how they got their CAREER award, and deconstructing their proposals. Center for Computing for Life Sciences (CCLS) Hensill Hall Rm 301 from 3:30 to 5:00 PM. Watch a video of this session: https://sas.elluminate.com/p.jnlp?psid=2009-04-09.1620.D.E5DF81C84A891F1B0421D4FB0C01E0.vcr

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