Greetings Postdocs!

Summer is over. Fall is approaching along with great courses for you to grab hold of to further your professional development. Last but not least, Postdoc Appreciation Week is here; so don’t miss out on all these events.

**Fall Semester Courses**

*Courses require registration. Please inquire for available spots.*

- **Fundamentals of Technology Commercialization**
  Wednesdays: September 7 through November 16, 5-7pm
  Learn how to transform scientific and technical knowledge into commercial products and services. Click here to register.

- **Scientists Training as Academic Researchers (STAR)**
  Wednesday, September 28 till November 9, 1-2:30pm
  Learn the process of obtaining a principle investigator position at academic institutions and the skills required to be an effective, independent investigator. Click here to register.

- **Scientific Integrity and Responsible Conduct in Research**
  Mondays; September 19 through November 7, 5-6:30pm
  Familiarize with basic ethical issues scientists face in biomedical research. Click here to register.

- **Writing for Publication (Fully Booked)**
  Thursdays; September 8 through December 22, 11am-12:30pm
  Intensive training course on how to prepare a variety of scientific texts. Click here to register.

- **Drug Development in The New Era**
  Wednesday; September 7 through December 14, 10am-12pm
  By the end of this course, students will be capable of launching their own drug development project from target selection through experimental testing. Click here to register.

- **Communication and Conflict Resolution for Career Success**
  Saturday/Sunday; October 8-9, 9am-6pm. $40
  Learn critical skills and tools to cultivate fulfilling and productive working relationships, both one-on-one and in teams. Click here to register.

**MORE COURSES TO COME NEXT MONTH**

- **Introduction to Science Advocacy and Policy**
- **Individual Development Plan**
- **Grant Writing for Scientists**
- **Presenting Science Efficiently: The Three Minute Talk**

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**Postdoc Appreciation Week**

**September 20-23**

This special week is dedicated to our postdocs. Hurry up and register!

- **Workshop: How to Give a Good Presentation**
  Tuesday, September 20, 5:30-8:30. Click here to register.

- **Research Day**
  September 21, 1-5pm, Alumni Hall Breezeway
  Volunteer to present your work. Whether you are presenting or not, come meet your fellow postdocs and hear about their science work over snacks and drinks. Best presentations will be given travel awards. Click here to register.

- **Workshop: Successful Interview Prep Strategies**
  Thursday, September 22, 5-6:30pm. Click here to register.

- **One-on-One Resume review**
  Friday, September 23, 10am-12pm. Click here to register.

- **Postdoc Dinner Cruise & Dancing**
  Friday, September 23, 7pm-9:30pm. Click here to register.

**Social**

This summer’s social events were amazing! We had a postdoc picnic, volunteering at Community Gardens, trip to Moses Park and Fire Island, kayaking trips, surfing lesson, hiking trips, and standup paddleboarding. This month we are bringing back Game Night!

- **New Postdoc Orientation**
  September 16, 4:30-5:30pm
  Location: Skirball 3rd Floor
  New Postdocs or Postdocs who want to know more about the perks and benefits for being Postdoc. Click to register.

- **Game Night**
  September 29, 7:30pm
  Location: Skirball 3rd Floor Conference Room
  Join your fellow colleagues for some fun games with beers and pizza. Click here to register.

**Other Events**

**CODING CLUB**

- **September 7, 6-7:30pm**
  Coles 109
  We will focus on data science in Python, including handling and visualizing large datasets, as well as some machine learning. No experience is necessary, just bring a laptop with Anaconda for Python installed. For more information, visit: sacklerdatawranglers.wordpress.com