UCLA CTSI K to R Workshop

Date: Thursday, November 13, 2014   **Time:** 8:30am-4:00pm

Location: UCLA Semel Institute, Louis Jolyon West Auditorium (C8-183 NPI), 720 Westwood Plaza Los Angeles, CA 90024

The UCLA Clinical and Translational Science Institute (CTSI) will be holding an all-day workshop for investigators at the CTSI partnered institutions (Cedars-Sinai, CDU, LA Biomed at Harbor-UCLA, and UCLA) to learn about how to prepare successful R grant applications.

During the morning session of this K to R Workshop, presentations will be made by UCLA CTSI faculty on different topics about submitting R grant applications. During the afternoon session, faculty will review and discuss draft R grant plans/proposals submitted by K/CDA awardees and provide feedback on preparing successful R grant applications on an individual basis.

TENTATIVE WORKSHOP SCHEDULE
8:30am-9:00am   Registration (breakfast will be served)
9:00am-12:00pm   Presentations
12:00pm-1:30pm   Q & A Lunch with CTSI Senior Leadership
1:30pm-4:00pm   Review & Discussion of Draft R Grant Plans/Proposals

SPEAKERS
David Elashoff, PhD
Scott Filler, MD
Carol Mangione, MD, MSPH
Keith Norris, MD, PhD
Vivek Shetty, DDS, DrMedDent

MORNING SESSION PRESENTATIONS
Open registration – there are no requirements to register for the K to R Workshop Presentations.

AFTERNOON REVIEW & DISCUSSION SESSIONS (limited registration on a first come first serve basis)
Who is eligible?
Participants must have a K award, or equivalent foundation or professional organization CDAs, and plan to submit an R type application or equivalent. Acceptable grant types include R01, R03, R21, VA Merit, subspecialty type research applications (e.g. ADA, AHA, JDF, ATA). Candidates must also have a faculty appointment at one of the UCLA CTSI partnered institutions.

Participant must provide the working title of the grant proposal and areas of research as instructed in the registration form so that the CTSI can try to identity faculty reviewers who can provide initial feedback and potentially long-term mentoring during the development of the proposal.

REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED. Please register as soon as possible by 5PM Thursday, October 2, 2014. CLICK HERE TO REGISTER!

What is the format for the <u>Review & Discussion Session</u>?
Selected junior investigators (K/CDA awardees) will be required to give a 15-minute PowerPoint presentation of their plans for submitting an R grant application. Reviewers will spend the next 30 minutes to provide guidance and feedback for each junior investigator.

What do I need to submit to be considered to participate in the <u>Review & Discussion Session</u>?
NOTE: If you are selected to participate in the review process, copies of your materials will be distributed to ALL attendees for that session in addition to your assigned reviewers. All copies will be collected at the end of the workshop and shredded.

Please submit the following items by <u>5PM October 9, 2014</u> to <u>uclactsied@gmail.com</u>:
- CV or NIH Biosketch
- PowerPoint presentation of plan for R grant proposals (10 slides max) to address the main Scored Review Criteria http://grants.nih.gov/grants/peer/critiques/rpg.htm
    - Key most important findings from the K award
    - Draft specific aims for the R grant application
    - Significance
    - Investigators
    - Innovation
    - Approach
    - Environment
- Draft R grant proposal at any stage of development (if available)
- CTSI K to R Workshop Review Session Agreement Form. Please CLICK HERE to download a blank copy of the form.

For questions, please contact the UCLA CTSI Education Program.
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