Utah Advanced Course on Mentorship and Leadership on Cancer-Related Health Disparities

NCI Awardee Skills Development Consortium (NASDC)

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Target Audience

• Junior faculty NCI grantees with various K, R00, R21, and first R01-equivalent awards
• If open positions remain in the course, any current NCI- or NIH-funded extramural independent PD/PI may also participate

Course Content

• Mentoring
  o Mentoring models, mentor roles and responsibilities, structure and dynamics of the mentoring relationship, and strategies for addressing challenges to the mentoring process
  o Develop skills for engaging in productive and culturally responsive research mentoring relationships

• Leadership
  o Increase your leadership capacity and professional clarity through training and coaching in the technical and adaptive aspects of leadership

• Cancer-related Health Disparities: Big Data & Interventions in Research
  o Train on culturally tailoring behavioral interventions
  o Train on big data to get a competitive edge in the development of research projects and grant proposals (previous data experience not required)
    ▪ SEER (cancer registries), SEER-Medicare, BRFSS, HINTs, All-Payer Claims Database, the Utah Population Database, and Cancer Epidemiology Consortia

• Grant Development
  o Mock study section: receive comprehensive feedback on grant applications
  o Develop strategies to develop first R01 grants based on K awards
  o Develop skills in responding to reviewer comments for grant resubmissions

Course format will be online 9:00am – 12:00pm. Mountain time on the following dates (February 22, 23; March 1, 2, 8, 9). There are no fees for the course.

Applications due December 14, 2020

Apply online: https://redcap.osumc.edu/redcap/surveys/?s=83N8FNLP7