2023-2024 GHUCCTS TBS Grant Writing Workshop
(for predoctoral students, postdoctoral fellows and early stage career investigators)

Objective: Each participant will develop, revise, and prepare to submit an F-, K-, or R-series NIH grant application, or equivalent over the course of this virtual workshop with constructive input from facilitators and participants. Participants will hone their grant writing skills through attending lectures on best practices for individual grant components and by giving and receiving constructive feedback from their peers.

Format:
- Facilitators discuss grant application components, illustrating best practices with good and bad examples
- Participants provide constructive feedback for assigned draft applications during discussion sessions
- Canvas will house recorded lectures and a private BOX folder space to upload drafts.

Requirements:
- Full participation in **a minimum** of five out of six **peer review** discussion sessions
- Attendance **at a minimum** of four out of five **talks**
- Submission of proposal drafts uploaded into **BOX the Sunday** before a peer review session

Sessions & Due Dates
- October 5, 2023: **Talk** – The Nuts and Bolts of Grant Writing; Developing a Problem Statement and Specific Aims
- October 19, 2023: Peer Review Mock Session
- October 29, 2023: Draft of Specific Aims **Due**
- November 2, 2023: **Peer Review Discussion** of Specific Aims Part I
- November 12, 2023: Updated Specific Aims **Due**
- November 16, 2023: **Peer Review Discussion** of Specific Aims Part II
- December 7, 2023: **Talk** – How to write an effective NIH Biosketch
- December 31, 2023: Draft of NIH Biosketches (yours and mentor's) **Due**
- January 4, 2024: **Peer Review Discussion** of Biosketches
- January 11, 2024: **Talk** - Research Strategies: Good and Bad Examples
- January 21, 2024: Draft of Research Strategies **Due**
- January 25, 2024: **Peer Review Discussion** of Research Strategies
- February 8, 2024: **Talk** – Linking Individualized Development Plans to Career Development Plans
- February 18, 2024: Draft of Career Development Plan & Mentorship Plan **Due**
- February 22, 2024: **Peer Review Discussion** of Career Development Plans & Mentorship Plans
- March 7, 2024: **Talk** - How to Write an Impactful Cover letters, & Letters of Support and Collaboration
- March 17, 2024: Draft of a Cover Letter and one Letter of Support/Collaboration **Due**
- March 21, 2024: **Peer Review Discussion** of Cover Letters & Letters of Support & Collaboration

Time:
5:30 pm -7:30 pm

Locations:
Via Zoom

*Dates may change