

| AGENDA – NIH National Graduate Student Research Conference |

Monday, October 8, 2012: *Hyatt Regency Bethesda*

- 3:00 – 7:00 PM **Check In and Registration**
Cabinet/Judiciary Foyer
- 5:15 – 5:30 PM **Welcome and Opening Remarks**
Jackie A. Lavigne, PhD, MPH, Co-Chair, NGSRC Organizing Committee
Cabinet/Judiciary Rooms
- 5:30 – 6:45 PM **NIH 101**
What is the NIH, how is it organized, and how does it work?
Sharon L. Milgram, PhD, Director, NIH Office of Intramural Training & Education
Cabinet/Judiciary Rooms
- 7:00 – 9:00 PM **DineArounds***

Tuesday, October 9, 2012: *Hyatt Regency Bethesda*

- 8:00 – 9:00 AM **Information Session with the NIH Institute/Center Training Directors**
Cabinet/Judiciary Rooms
- 9:15 – 10:00 AM **Travel to NIH Campus; Poster Setup for Poster Session I**
Natcher Conference Center (Bldg. 45), Upper Level Atrium

Tuesday, October 9, 2012: *NIH Campus*

- 10:00 AM – 12:15 PM **NIH Research Festival Plenary Session**
Masur Auditorium (Bldg. 10)
- 1:00 – 2:00 PM **Poster Session I – NGSRC Participants Poster Session**
Natcher Conference Center (Bldg. 45), Upper Level Atrium
- 2:00 – 3:00 PM **Poster Session II – NGSRC Participants Poster Session**
Natcher Conference Center (Bldg. 45), Upper Level Atrium
- 3:00 – 5:00 PM **NIH Research Festival Concurrent Scientific Sessions**
Natcher Conference Center (Bldg. 45)
- 4:15 – 5:45 PM **Resources for Trainees and Former Trainee Panel**
Lister Hill Auditorium, (Bldg. 38)
- Michael M. Gottesman, MD (Opening Remarks)
Deputy Director for Intramural Research, NIH
- Lori M. Conlan, PhD, Director, Office of Postdoctoral Services & Career Services,

Office of Intramural Training & Education (Presenter and Panel Moderator)

Panel Members:

Zain Bengali, PhD
Research Scientist, Intrexon Corporation

Nihal Altan-Bonnet, PhD
Assistant Professor, Rutgers University

Michael B. Cook, PhD
Investigator, Division of Cancer Epidemiology and Genetics, National Cancer
Institute, NIH

Chu-Ling Yu, ScD, MPH
Research Scientist, Oncology/Epidemiology, Mid-Atlantic Permanente Research
Institute, Kaiser Permanente Mid-Atlantic States

6:00 PM **FelCom Networking Event**, Dinner on Your Own**

Wednesday, October 10, 2012: Hyatt Regency Bethesda

8:00 – 9:30 AM **Career Workshop I: Planning for Career Satisfaction and Success**
Sharon L. Milgram, PhD, Director, NIH Office of Intramural Training & Education
Cabinet/Judiciary Rooms

9:30 – 10:30 AM Travel to NIH Campus

Wednesday, October 10, 2012: NIH Campus

10:30 – 11:30 AM **Career Workshop II: Networking**
Sharon L. Milgram, PhD, Director, NIH Office of Intramural Training & Education
Lister Hill Auditorium (Bldg. 38)

Lunch on Your Own

1:00 – 2:00 PM **Career Workshop III: What Next? Succeeding in Your Postdoc Job Hunt**
Jackie A. Lavigne, PhD, MPH, Co-Chair, NGSRC Organizing Committee
Lister Hill Auditorium (Bldg. 38)

Attend NIH Research Festival; Meetings with NIH Scientists

*Reservations will be made for groups of 10 at a selection of Bethesda restaurants. Conference participants can sign up at registration to “dine” at the restaurant that interests them most. Each group will be “hosted” by a current NIH postdoc. Participants will cover the cost of their own dinners.

**NIH Fellows Committee (Felcom) Networking Event organized by FelCom Social Committee