STAND IN YOUR LIGHT
NCURA REGION V
CORPUS CHRISTI, TX | NOV. 3-6, 2024

WORKSHOPS - Fall 2024 Meeting

Sunday, November 3, 2024

Time	Workshop Title	Cost
8:30am - 12:00pm	1. From Darkness to Light: Your Path through Pre-Award	$75
8:30am - 12:00pm	2. The Grant Cycle from a Department's Perspective	$75
8:30am - 12:00pm	3. Overview of Clinical Trials and Crash Course on Budgets	$75
1:00 - 4:30pm	4. Research Administration – Putting all the pieces TOGETHER!	$75
1:00 - 4:30pm	5. Budgeting Basics: Dual Perspectives in Budget Creation to aid in Central and Departmental Office Collaborations	$75
1:00 - 4:30pm	6. Interviewing in a Virtual World	Free
8:30am - 4:30pm	*RACC Body of Knowledge CRA	*Register www.cra-cert.org (see link below)

Wednesday, November 6, 2024

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8:30 - 10:45am	8. Building a robust research security program to foster sponsor confidence	$50
8:30 - 10:45am	9. Crafting Effective Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs)	$50
8:30 - 10:45am	10. Uniform Guidance Update discussion- Hot Topic on Indirect Costs	Free

Note: *RACC Body of Knowledge CRA is a separate registration. To register, visit here: https://www.cra-cert.org/index.php?option=com_jevents&task=icalrepeat.detail&evid=65&Itemid=115&year=2024&month=11&day=03&title=&uid=1cab2f29806141c5e4643f5f37e23324

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1:30pm - 5:30pm	**Tranquility Room Open** (Omni Hotel Matagorda)**;** and, **Co-Working Space Open** (Omni Hotel Capano)			
Omni Hotel Rooms:	**Laguna Madre**	**Aransas**	**Nueces A**	**Nueces B**
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12:00 - 1:00pm	Break			
1:00 - 4:30pm - WORKSHOPS	**4. Research Administration – Putting all the pieces TOGETHER!**	**5. Budgeting Basics: Dual Perspectives in Budget Creation to aid in Central and Departmental Office Collaborations**	**6. Interviewing in a Virtual World**	RACC Body of Knowledge CRA
4:30 - 5:30pm	Break			
5:30 - 7:00pm	**Welcome Reception (Location: Pool Deck)**	*Hors d'oeuvres served (included in registration for all attendees)*		
7:00 - 9:00pm	**Dinner/Group/Solo Outings**	*(No dinner group sign-up provided)*		
8:00 - 9:00pm	**Nighttime Bay Cruise**	*Cruise not included in registration ($18/person)* *To Sign-Up please contact: kimberly.hawkenson@tamucc.edu*		

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Monday, November 4, 2024

Time						
7:30am - 3:00pm	**Registration open** (closed from 11:30-1:30 for lunch) (Omni Hotel Registration Desk)					
7:30am - 6:00pm	**Tranquility Room Open** (Omni Hotel Matagorda)**;** and, **Co-Working Space Open** (Omni Hotel Capano)					
7:30am - 8:30am	**Continental Breakfast - Meeting Foyer** (Included in Registration) (Omni Hotel Corpus Foyer C)					
8:00-9:00am	**Welcome and** **Keynote Speaker: Dr. Stacy Pritt, Associate Vice Chancellor, Research, Chief Research Compliance Officer, Texas A&M University System** (Omni Hotel Corpus C)					
9:00-9:15am	**Break** (Omni Hotel Corpus Foyer A)					

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9:15-10:15am CST; SESSION 1	**O1 - MMP Leadership Projects**	**PO9 - Subawards and Subcontracts: Managing Risks and Compliance Throughout the Award Lifecycle**	**PR3 - Complex Grant Submissions Pre-Award (Part I)**	**O6 - The Research Liaison Officer Role: A Specialized Role That Can Help in Unexpected Ways**	**S1 - NSF Update (virtual)**	*P1 - Breaking through the Glass Ceiling: Women in Research Administration*
10:15-10:30am	**Break** (Omni Hotel Corpus Foyer A)					
10:30-11:30am CST; SESSION 2	**O2 - MMP Leadership Projects**	**PR4 - The Budget Justification is not just another Form**	**PO3 - Complex Grants Post-Award & Financial Management (Part II)**	**P7 - Let's go with Transformation Facilitation: Building the Ark in the Rain**	**S7 - Overview of Recent updates to NIFA Policy and Terms and Conditions (virtual)**	*P5 - Being BIPOC as a Research Administration Professional*
11:45am - 1:00pm	**LUNCH/ MMP Graduation (Included in Registration)** (Omni Hotel Corpus C)					
1:00-1:15pm	**Break** (Omni Hotel Corpus Foyer A)					
1:15-2:15pm CST; SESSION 3	**PO6 - Data Analytics Game Changers (Post- Award)**	**PR10 - Post-Award Budgeting Begins in Pre-Award**	**PO2 - Cost Transfer Template and Tips**	**S4 - American Heart Association Update**	**S8 - COGR Update (virtual)**	*P2 - Top 10 Lessons Learned – What Every Newcomer to Research Administration Should Know*
2:15-2:45pm	**Networking & Refreshment Break** (Omni Hotel Corpus Foyer A)					
2:45-3:45pm CST; SESSION 4	**P4 - What You Need to Know About Managing Up and Making It Work for You**	**C1 - Case Studies in Research Misconduct**	**P8 - So you want to leverage AI for Research Administration, Where to Start and What to Know Ahead of Time (Part I)**	**PR8 - The Wonderful World of Sponsor Guidelines**	**S2 - NIH Update (virtual)**	*P6 - Strategies to implement effective work-life balance practices*
3:45-4:00pm	**Break** (Omni Hotel Corpus Foyer A)					
4:00- 5:00pm CST; SESSION 5	**P11 - New NCURA member to CRA candidate to CRA in Six Months Using the AAA Standard: Accountability – Application – Assurance**	**C6 - Clinical Trials Illuminated: Embracing Your Inner Light**	**PO7 - Common challenges for post-award administration after a new financial system, and the possible solutions**	**C5 - Export Controls**	**S6 - Partnerships in Action: ORAU University Consortium (virtual)**	*P9 - Discussion - So you want to leverage AI for Research Administration, Where to Start and What to Know Ahead of Time (Part II)*
5:00-6:00pm	**Break**					
6:00 - 8:00 PM	**Corpus Christi Fiesta Celebration Dinner! (Included in Registration)** **Featuring performances by TAMUCC Mariachi and Corpus Christi Ballet Folklorico** **Including a special talk with Dr. Carey Rote** (Omni Hotel Corpus B & Corpus C)					

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7:30am - 8:30am	**Continental Breakfast - Meeting Foyer** (Included in Registration) (Omni Hotel Corpus Foyer C)					

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8:30-9:30am CST; SESSION 6	PO8 - Closeout 101	O3 - Gifts, Grants & Contracts: Know Your Award	PO5 - Common themes in financial compliance	PR1 - Easy as 123: A Pre-award Primer	S5 - Cancer Prevention Research Institute of Texas Update	P3 - Calming the Chaos
9:30-9:45am	**Break** (Omni Hotel Corpus Foyer A)					
9:45-10:45am CST; SESSION 7	O7 - Effort? Salary Cap? Voluntary Effort? Are we there yet?	PR6 - Administrator's Guide to Non-Stop Fun (NSF): Navigating Proposal Submission to the National Science Foundation	O8 - Emerging Issues in Research Administration	PR2 - Research Development: Role and Perspective of the Research Administrator	S3 - Federal Demonstration Partnership Update	PO1 - Post-Award Essentials
10:45-11:00am	**Break** (Omni Hotel Corpus Foyer A)					
11:00am-12:00pmCST; SESSION 8	PR7 - Subaward Monitoring and Management: Lessons Learned	O9 - NIH Expectations for Grant Congruency Reviews and Foreign Collaborations for Animal Research	PO10 - Here they come! ARPA-H and the brave new world.	PO11 - Managing Financial Conflicts of Interest in Research	PR9 - Illuminating Research Excellence: Balancing Pre-Award Workloads for Overall Research Administration Success	C2 - An Introduction to Effort Reporting
12:15-1:45pm	**LUNCH & BUSINESS MEETING** (Omni Hotel Corpus C)					
1:45-2:00pm	**Break** (Omni Hotel Corpus Foyer A)					
2:00-3:00pm CST; SESSION 9	O5 - Development of Grant Infrastructure for Efficient Navigation in the Grant Landscape	C4 - Navigating the Current Research Compliance Landscape	PR5 - Getting to Yes - Overcoming Objections in Contract and Subaward Negotiations	PO4 - From Kickoff to Closeout: Managing a Grant Portfolio	P10 - Leading through the storm: Building the next generation of research administrative professionals	O4 - Spotlight on the Award: Pre-award's Goal is Post-award's Starting Line
3:00-3:30pm	**Networking & Refreshment Break** (Omni Hotel Corpus Foyer A)					
3:30-4:45pm CST; SESSION 10	The Final Reveal - Extreme Makeover: Uniform Guidance 2 CFR Edition; Guest Speaker: Gilbert Tran, Senior Specialist Leader, Grants Management at Attain Partners (Omni Hotel Corpus C)					
4:45-5:30pm	**Break**					
5:30-7:30pm	**Region V Dinner Groups** *(Sign-up available)*					
7:30-10:00pm	**Bingo, Bunko, and Board Games** (Omni Hotel Nueces B, Nueces A, and Laguna Madre)					

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