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COE Workshop Series
Register at: lib.fsu.edu/workshops/all-workshops

I Published, Great! Now What?
September 23, 2020 • 12 PM - 1 PM
Register at: bit.ly/2zcKmNk

Intro to ChemDraw
September 30, 2020 • 12 PM - 1 PM
Register at: bit.ly/2BMiWip

Intro to Mendeley
October 7, 2020 • 12 PM - 1 PM
Register at: bit.ly/3ha3jkQ

Advanced Patent Searching: Cooperative Patent Classification System
October 14, 2020 • 12 PM - 1 PM
Register at: bit.ly/2MLJ3YN

Creating Scientific Graphics with Adobe Illustrator
October 21, 2020 • 12 PM - 1 PM
Register at: bit.ly/3h9iavR
FAMU Career & Internship Virtual Expo (Day 1) - Wed., September 23 @10:00 AM
FAMU Career & Internship Virtual Expo (Day 2) - Thur., September 24 @4:00 PM

Jobs and Other Opportunities

Dow at FAMU Virtual Career Expo:
What: Dow is hard at work to become the most innovative, customer-centric, inclusive, and sustainable materials science company in the world. Their goal is to deliver value growth and best-in-class performance. Meet with DOW recruiters seeking students to fill both internship and full-time opportunities.
Before Expo: For onsite interview opportunity, please send resume to Brian Brooks and Genne McDowell by September 16, 2020. | Registration Link

2021 BEYA Leadership Award Student Nominations
What: Currently looking for students who have gone above and beyond their athletic achievements or educational commitments in science, technology, engineering, or math (STEM). Students who are selected as winners will be recognized on a national platform in front of their peers, STEM professionals, and mentors.
Awards: Student Leadership, Student Academics, Student Athlete, Student Community, Student Military Leadership, and Student Research. Please make sure to include all the awards you want to be considered for.
Apply: If you would like to be nominated, please send a resume, a headshot, a letter of recommendation stating why you should obtain the award to Delbert Sutton by September 25, 2020.

Lockheed Martin Rotary and Mission Systems Internship Opportunities
What: These engagements are for any students seeking 2021 full-time or internship opportunity with Lockheed Martin’s Rotary and Mission System Division.
When: Friday, October 8, 2020
Register by Friday, September 18, 2020 | Registration Link

STEM Career and Internship Fair - Tues., September 22, 2020 @ 9:00 AM
Seminole Futures All Majors Career & Internship Fair - Sept. 24, 2020, 9AM - 4PM

FSU research connecting rural libraries with emergency management for...
Counseling Services Workshops and Groups
The Office of Counseling Services is proud to announce the start of our weekly workshop and group counseling sessions for Fall 2020! These sessions will be conducted via Zoom. In order to receive the Zoom Link and Passcode, please register for each session you would like to attend.

Visit our website at www.famu.edu/counseling. If you have any questions please give us a call at 850-599-3145.

Open to All: What To Do and Say: Suicide Prevention and Awareness Month

Learn how to talk to someone who’s depressed or suicidal.
FAMU: Register Now! A View from the Top: A Conversation with John W. Thompson

Register now for the Virtual Symposium entitled A View from the Top: A Conversation with John W. Thompson, scheduled for September 23 at 4 p.m. This series is sponsored by President Larry Robinson, Ph.D., and the Industry Cluster Program.

The deadline to register is Sunday, September 20.

Click here to reserve your space.

FSU: Online Teaching Support: Virtual PIE Workshops

Upcoming Fall 2020 Virtual PIE Teaching Workshops

WORKSHOP 3: ENGAGING LEARNERS WITH ONLINE ACTIVITIES

Date & Time: Thursday 10/01, 3-4:30 pm (via Zoom)

Workshop Facilitator: Liying Miao, Instructional Development Faculty, Office of Distance Learning

Description: Learn ways to engage your students in the remote learning environment. We'll analyze remote course survey data and recommend strategies like content engagement, instructional videos, group work, and best practices for discussions. We'll also see how Canvas integrated engagement tools like Flipgrid are used in courses.

Registration: https://fla.st/2QXRanb

PIE TA Community Online Teaching Support Canvas Site

The PIE Program has launched a new Canvas organizational site that serves to provide teaching assistants (TAs) and instructional staff from across campus the opportunity to find peer community and support while more courses are being offered in an online format due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Resources include virtual peer office hours where visitors can connect via Zoom to PIE Teaching Associate TAs from a variety of different disciplines to discuss challenges, brainstorm ideas, share tips, and receive referrals to additional resources to assist in the online teaching transition. Video tutorials, discipline specific online teaching tips, and links to a variety of resources available at FSU and beyond, are also located on this site.

Anyone can self-enroll in this Canvas site via this URL: https://canvas.fsu.edu/enroll/JB4D8K
*Attendance at all PIE workshops count towards the requirements for earning an Advanced PIE Teaching Recognition, and the nationally recognized PFF and PFP certificates - all a great addition to your professional experience & CV!*

To follow all of our teaching & learning activities & events, like us on [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com)!  

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**OPPORTUNITIES FOR GRADS AND POSTDOCS**

**Virtual Tour of Lockheed Martin - Emphasizing Hypersonics: 9/24**

Lockheed Martin and the University of Tennessee are pleased to invite you – undergraduate and graduate students interested in Aerospace & Defense - to participate in this Zoom-driven Virtual Tour of Lockheed Martin with an emphasis on Hypersonics.

To facilitate engagement with motivated future professionals, Lockheed Martin is requesting that attendees RSVP using this link [here](https://tennessee.zoom.us/j/96973181735).

Please feel free to contact the event host, Dr. John Schmisseur, of the University of Tennessee Space Institute, if you have any questions or would like to suggest a question for our panel of speakers.

We look forward to your participation in this event on September 24th.

Join from PC, Mac, Linux, iOS or Android: [https://tennessee.zoom.us/j/96973181735](https://tennessee.zoom.us/j/96973181735)

Or iPhone one-tap (US Toll): +13126266799,96973181735# or +16468769923,96973181735#

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- +1 346 248 7799 (US Toll)
- +1 669 900 6833 (US Toll)
- +1 253 215 8782 (US Toll)

Meeting ID: 969 7318 1735

International numbers available: [https://tennessee.zoom.us/u/aelrSaBPrb](https://tennessee.zoom.us/u/aelrSaBPrb)
Or an H.323/SIP room system:
H.323: 162.255.37.11 (US West) or 162.255.36.11 (US East)
Meeting ID: 969 7318 1735
SIP: 96973181735@zoomcrc.com

2021 Luis W. Alvarez Postdoc Fellowship and Admiral Grace Hopper Postdoc Fellowship at Berkeley Lab

Berkeley Lab is now accepting applications for the 2021 Luis W. Alvarez Postdoctoral Fellowship and Admiral Grace Hopper Postdoctoral Fellowship in the Computing Sciences Area.

Apply now for these two prestigious fellowships! Researchers in computer science, mathematics, or any computational science discipline who have received their Ph.D. within the last three years are encouraged to apply. The successful applicants will receive a competitive salary, professional travel allowance, relocation assistance, excellent benefits, and an opportunity to work in the San Francisco Bay Area. Since its founding in 2002, the Luis W. Alvarez Fellowship has cultivated exceptional young scientists who have gone on to make outstanding contributions to computational and computing sciences. The Admiral Grace Hopper Fellowship was established in 2015.

Additional information on the Luis W. Alvarez Postdoctoral Fellowship and the Admiral Grace Hopper Postdoctoral Fellowship can be found at here.

Berkeley Lab's Computing Sciences Area researches, develops, and deploys new tools and technologies to meet these needs and to advance research in our core capabilities of computer science, mathematics, and computational science. In addition to fundamental advances in our core capabilities, we impact such areas as materials science, chemistry, biology, astrophysics, climate change, combustion, and fusion energy. Research areas in Computing Sciences include:

- Developing scientific applications and software technologies for extreme-scale and energy-efficient computing
- Developing mathematical modeling for complex scientific problems
- Designing algorithms to improve the performance of scientific applications
- Researching digital and post-digital computer architectures for science
- Advancing extreme-scale scientific data management, analysis, and machine-learning
- Developing next-generation machine learning and AI approaches for science
- Advancing quantum computing technologies, software, algorithms and applications
- Evaluating or developing new and promising HPC systems and networking technologies
- Researching methods to control and manage dynamic circuit networks
- Developing large-scale visualization and analytics technologies
- Managing scientific data in distributed environments

Application Process: For consideration applications are due November 9, 2020. Letters of Reference are due November 16, 2020. Details of the application process can be found at here.

Five Weeks Left to Apply to the 2020 Rangel Fellowship

Please consider applying for the 2021 Charles B. Rangel International Affairs Graduate Fellowship Program, which supports individuals interested in careers in the Foreign Service of the U.S. Department of State. The fellowship provides funding for graduate
school, internships, mentorship, and professional development, leading to a uniquely rewarding career of international service. Learn more at www.rangelprogram.org.

2021 Application Deadline: October 14, 2020 at 11:59 PM EST

Apply today.

Enforcement of NSF-approved Biographical Sketch and Current and Pending Support Formats Begins on 10/5/20

Effective October 5, 2020, the National Science Foundation (NSF) will begin enforcing the Proposal & Award Policies & Procedures Guide (PAPPG) (NSF 20-1) requirement to use NSF-approved formats for the preparation of the Biographical Sketch and Current and Pending Support proposal documents. The NSF-approved formats are SciENcv: Science Experts Network Curriculum Vitae and an NSF fillable PDF.

All other PAPPG (NSF 20-1) changes were effective on June 1, 2020. Please refer to the complete list of PAPPG (NSF 20-1) significant changes and clarifications which include the IT system changes and other policy-related changes. A set of Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) on proposal preparation and award administration related to NSF PAPPG (NSF 20-1) is also available and includes Biographical Sketch and Current and Pending Support information.

Biographical Sketch and Current and Pending Support Websites

- The NSF Biographical Sketch and Current and Pending Support websites include links to the NSF-fillable PDF formats, updated FAQs, and instructions.
- For the fillable PDF formats, NSF recommends users download and save the blank PDF document prior to adding content. Populating content directly into a web browser (e.g., Chrome or Safari) may result in formatting inconsistencies. The completed and saved PDF can then be uploaded via FastLane, Research.gov, or Grants.gov.
- Beginning on October 5, 2020, links to the Biographical Sketch and Current and Pending Support websites will also be located in FastLane (on the Biographical Sketch and Current and Pending Support Personnel pages), in Research.gov (on the Biographical Sketch and Current and Pending Support Upload pages), and in Grants.gov (on the NSF Senior Key Person Profile form version 2.0).

Change of Principal Investigator (PI) and Add/Change Co-PI Requests

- Effective October 5, 2020, Biographical Sketch and Current and Pending Support documentation must also be in an NSF-approved format when uploaded with a Change of PI and an Add/Change co-PI request in FastLane.

Research Performance Progress Report (RPPR) Submissions with Active Other Support Changes

- Effective October 5, 2020, PIs and co-PIs must include an NSF-approved format for Current and Pending Support when notifying NSF that active other support has changed since the award was made, or since the most recent annual report.
- This new requirement serves as NSF’s implementation of the revised RPPR, a uniform format for reporting performance progress on Federally-funded research projects and research-related activities.
- Further details about the RPPR can be found on the Research.gov About Project Reports website.

Automated Compliance Checks for NSF-approved Formats

- Biographical Sketch and Current and Pending Support documents not in an NSF-approved format will trigger a compliance error and ultimately will prevent proposal submission or completion of the post-award action. This compliance check applies to proposals, Change of PI requests, Add/Change co-PI requests, and relevant RPPR submissions.
- The complete lists of FastLane and Research.gov automated proposal compliance checks effective October 5, 2020, are available on the Automated Compliance Checking of NSF Proposals website.
- Note that automated compliance checks also apply when a proposal file update (PFU) is performed on a proposal. Proposers should be aware that if a proposal was previously submitted successfully, a PFU performed on the proposal will be prevented from submission if the proposal does not comply with the compliance
checks in effect at the time.

NSF-approved Format Updates
Based on feedback from the research community, NSF has enhanced both approved formats, and users are encouraged to use the latest versions. Please see the system-related FAQs on using SciENcv and the system-related FAQs on using the NSF fillable PDF for a list of the improvements to each format. In particular, note the permitted use of “et al.” for publication citations in the Biographical Sketch when listing multiple authors. Senior personnel who wish to include publications in the products section of the Biographical Sketch that include multiple authors may, at their discretion, choose to list one or more of the authors and then "et al." in lieu of including the complete listing of authors' names.

SciENcv Enhancements
The SciENcv module for creating NSF Biographical Sketch and Current and Pending Support documents will be updated prior to October 5, 2020; however, all SciENcv-generated Biographical Sketch and Current and Pending Support PDF documents created on or after April 1, 2020 remain compliant in NSF systems. Prior to the October 5th requirement to use the NSF-approved format, SciENcv will make a number of enhancements that include:

- ability for users to reorder products and appointments in the Biographical Sketch
- ability for users to edit long author citations imported from ORCID on the Biographical Sketch and add "et al."
- addition of a Current and Pending Support tool tip to provide clarification and guidance on how users should document support under a fiscal year calendar

Please see the system-related FAQs on using SciENcv for details.

As a reminder, the SciENcv tool integrates with ORCID, enabling users to populate the Biographical Sketch by importing data directly from ORCID records rather than having to manually enter all the required information. This helps reduce administrative burden associated with the Biographical Sketch preparation process. Additionally, SciENcv allows users to grant access to delegates to assist with maintaining and updating data. SciENcv also offers users a dynamic and more customized PDF. For example, users with fewer Current and Pending Support entries may elect to use SciENcv to generate their Current and Pending Support PDF document since SciENcv will produce a PDF without any blank pages. Conversely, the Current and Pending Support fillable PDF will always be 15 pages regardless of how much data is included.

Latest NSF Fillable PDF Version
- Revised NSF fillable PDF formats were released on May 1, 2020; however, the previous versions remain compliant in NSF systems.
- The May 1, 2020 version is indicated by "Revised 05/01/2020" printed on the first page of each form.

Additional Training Resources
To learn more about the NSF-approved formats for Biographical Sketch and Current and Pending Support, please view the NSF PAPPG (NSF 20-1) webinar and NSF-Approved Formats for the Biographical Sketch & Current and Pending Support Sections of NSF Proposals webinar.

SciENcv has created the following materials to guide NSF users through the preparation of the NSF documents available in SciENcv:

- NSF Biographical Sketch Video Tutorial
- NSF Current and Pending Support Video Tutorial
- NSF-specific Bookshelf Resource (includes screenshots and step-by-step instructions)

Other Updates for Proposers
A revised NSF Grants.gov Application Guide will be published on September 16th and effective October 5, 2020. The Guide will be updated to remove references and instructions for the Research & Related Personal Data Form. NSF will no longer require this form, and this form will no longer be included in NSF’s packages effective October 5, 2020.

Questions? Policy-related questions should be directed to policy@nsf.gov. If you have IT system-related or technical questions regarding the SciENcv or NSF fillable PDF formats, please contact the NSF Help Desk at 1-800-673-6188 (7:00 AM - 9:00 PM ET; Monday - Friday except federal holidays) or via fastlane@nsf.gov.
MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Events are indicated as either V = Virtual or F2F = In-person

SEPTEMBER

STEM Career & Internship Fair - Tuesday, September 22, 9am - 4pm, V

FAMU Career & Internship Virtual Expo (Day1/Day 2) - Wednesday, September 23 @ 10:00 AM, V and Thursday, September 24, 2020 @ 4:00 PM, V

OCTOBER

Center for Academic Innovation and Technology Workshop - Interpreting/Responding to Student Evaluations - Friday, October 16, 1:00 PM, V

NOVEMBER

Thanksgiving Holiday - Wednesday, November 25 thru Friday, November 27, 2020

DECEMBER

2020-2021 Winter Break - Monday, December 21 thru Friday, January 1, 2021

JANUARY

College Reopens - Spring 2021 Semester, Monday, January 4, 2021

COVID-19 INFORMATION

Florida’s COVID-19 Data and Surveillance Dashboard
Florida Department of Health, Division of Disease Control and Health Protection

Want to add something to the next issue? Email us! Deadline is Friday noon for Monday publication.

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