Fellows Research Academy
2023-2024
Curriculum

Sessions are at 7:00 AM – 8:00 AM on the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month
in room HSN - G119 A.
*Networking/Social Event Dates, Times, and Locations are listed on the curriculum

Session	Date	Topic
Summer/Fall Term		
1	July 20, 2023	**Welcome and Overview** Program goals, requirements, Fellow's perspective etc. Meet the team – meet your colleagues etc. SOLE and assignments
2	August 3, 2023	**Being an Effective Mentee** Identifying your research mentoring needs, how to maximize your research mentorship relationships
*Networking/Social Event #1	Wednesday, August 9, 2023 5:00 PM – 6:30 PM in Room HSN – G119A	**Networking/Social Event #1 Team Science**
3	August 17, 2023	**Planning Your Project – 1** Identifying your research question, topic, gap in knowledge and framing a testable hypothesis
4	September 7, 2023	**Planning Your Project -- 2 Study Goals and Team** Setting the study goals and objectives; Identify who is needed on your study team
5	September 21, 2023	**Study Design – 1 Overview of Study Designs**; retrospective, prospective, mix methods; selecting the study design for your project
6	October 5, 2023	**Individual Opportunity Plan**
*Networking/Social Event #2	Wednesday, October 11, 2023 5:00 PM – 6:30 PM @ The Holiday Inn	**Networking/Social Event #2 BYOM**
7	October 19, 2023	**Study Design – 2**

		Understanding Survey based research methods
8	November 2, 2023	**Project Updates – 1** **Small Group Work** Project planning, including research goals, aims, hypothesis and must have an IRB submission
9	November 16, 2023	**Research Regulatory Requirements IRB** Understand the purpose, ethical responsibilities of clinical research (Belmont Report), exempt and non-exempt, how to write an IRB submission
10	December 7, 2023	**Study Design – 3** **Data Management** **Learning to use REDCap**

Spring Term

11	January 4, 2024	**Time and Project Management Skills**
12	January 18, 2024	**Writing for Publication – 1** Overview
13	February 1, 2024	**Writing for Publication – 2** Crafting each section Introduction, Methods, Results, Discussion and Abstract; Working with a biostatistician
14	February 15, 2024	**Project Updates -2** **Small Group Work** Discussions, updates and Fellows Grant RFA release – Meg Haller
*Networking/Social Event #3	**TBD**	**Networking/Social Event #3**
15	March 7, 2024	**Grant Writing - 1** **Writing Effective Specific Aims**
16	March 21, 2024	**Grant Writing – 2** **Writing for the Reviewer:** Understanding the review process and writing a Pilot Grant
17	April 4, 2024	**Skills for Presenting your Research Findings** Posters, Oral Presentation, Talking to the Press (do's and don'ts)
18	April 18, 2024	**How can I get Involved in Clinical Research?**
19	May 2, 2024	**Team Science** **Managing Collaborations**

*Networking/Social Event #4	Thursday, May 16, 2024 Time and Location TBD	**FRA Graduation**