NIH Funding Mechanisms to Increase Workforce Diversity

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Seminar Description
National Institute of General Medical Sciences (NIGMS) program officer Dr. Desirée Salazar will lead a regional seminar on National Institutes of Health (NIH) funding mechanisms to increase research workforce diversity, particularly training grants for undergraduate, graduate and postdoctoral research training. Dr. Salazar will also review the changing diversity policies in NRSA T32 training grants. This seminar will be followed by time for networking and additional questions and answers. It is intended for anyone interested in improving diversity in the research workforce, and for training grant leaders and administrators.

Speaker Biography
Desirée Salazar, Ph.D., is a program director in the Division of Training, Workforce Development, and Diversity at NIGMS. She administers Innovative Programs to Enhance Research Training (IPERT) and Building Infrastructure Leading to Diversity (BUILD) grants and Institutional Research and Academic Career Development Awards (IRACDA) awards. Salazar also manages Research Supplements to Promote Diversity in Health-Related Research and Research Supplements to Promote Re-entry into Biomedical and Behavioral Research Careers program and oversees predoctoral T32 cellular, biochemical and molecular sciences grants. She also manages research grants in the area of stem cell biology and regeneration in the Division of Genetics and Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology.

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