Trimble_DCCPS Fellows Survey

Background Information

The DCCPS Fellows' Survey is intended to collect information on the training and research needs of DCCPS Fellows. All responses are completely anonymous, so please answer the questions honestly. Much can be learned from your thoughtful and critical feedback. Thanks for your participation!

1. What year of the fellowship are you currently in?

○ First year

○ Second year

○ Third or more years

2. What is your highest level of education?

○ Still in high school

○ High school diploma/GED

○ College graduate (e.g., BA/BS)

○ Master's degree

○ PhD

○ MD

○ Other (please specify)

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3. What DCCPS program/office are you in?

○ BRP

○ SRP

○ EGRP

○ HDRP

○ OD

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4. I am:

○ Male

○ Female

○ Other (please specify)

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5. What employment sector(s) are you considering working in after completion of this fellowship? *(Rank ANY that apply in order of preference. If you aren't interested in a sector, leave it blank).*

1 = Highest Consideration, 5 = Lowest Consideration

Government	[▲▼]
Industry (e.g., Merck)	[▲▼]
Academia	[▲▼]
Private research institution (e.g., Westat)	[▲▼]
Non-profit organization (e.g., American Cancer Society)	[▲▼]
Other not listed here	[▲▼]

If you ranked "Other not listed here", please indicate your employment sector of interest

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6. <u>Research skills:</u> Please indicate whether, as part of your fellowship experience, you would like training in the following research areas.

	Would you like training in this area?
Literature review/search strategies	⬍
Identifying available datasets	⬍
Generation of scientifically testable hypotheses	⬍
Quantitative data analysis (biostats)	⬍
Qualitative data analysis	⬍
Interpretation of results	⬍
Laboratory techniques	⬍
Statistical software programming	⬍
Grant writing	⬍
Translation of research to practice and/or policy	⬍

If you would like more training, please provide details on the specific types of training desired (e.g., SAS programming, K-grant writing, etc.).

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7. Are you interested in learning more about grants management?

○ Yes
○ No

8. How would you like to use the time at the Focus on Fellows monthly brown-bag meetings?

	Yes/No
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Presentations by NCI staff on scientific topics	⬍
Presentations by outside speakers on scientific topics	⬍
Presentations by outside speakers on professional development topics	⬍
Presentations by fellows	⬍
Journal club	⬍

Other (please specify)

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9. Communication skills: Please indicate whether, as part of your fellowship experience, you would like training in the following areas.

	Would you like training in this area?
Scientific writing	⬍
Public speaking	⬍
Teaching	⬍
Interpersonal communication	⬍
Communication with the Media	⬍
Writing for a lay audience (general public)	⬍
Cultivating professional working relationships	⬍

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Time management	[▲▼]
Conflict resolution	[▲▼]
Budgeting for research projects	[▲▼]
Supervision of team members	[▲▼]
Developing a program of research	[▲▼]
Work-life balance	[▲▼]
How to engage in team science	[▲▼]
Becoming a good mentor	[▲▼]

If you would like more training, please provide details on the specific types of leadership or management training desired.

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11. Aside from those covered above, any there any other areas in which you would like DCCPS to provide training? Please provide specific details to help us better understand the training needs of DCCPS fellows.

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12. Overall, how do you rate your satisfaction with your supervision in DCCPS so far?

○ Very dissatisfied

○ Dissatisfied

○ Neutral

○ Satisfied

○ Very satisfied

Please add any comments or suggestions for improvement.

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13. Overall, how do you rate your satisfaction with your mentoring in DCCPS so far?

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Additional Comments

15. How do you think your training can be improved in DCCPS?

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