# 2021 NIH Virtual Seminar on Program Funding and Grants Administration Tell Us What You Think! Overall Feedback Form

## Tell us about yourself

- What best describes your professional role?
  - ☐ Investigator
  - ☐ Research Trainee or Postdoc
  - ☐ Grant Writer
  - ☐ Department Administrator
  - ☐ Office of Sponsored Programs
  - ☐ Finance Officer
  - Other _____

- List your total years of experience working with NIH grants:
  - ☐ Less than 1 year
  - ☐ 2-4 years
  - ☐ 5-10 years
  - ☐ 10+ years

- What best describes your primary institutional affiliation?
  - ☐ University - Large NIH Portfolio
  - ☐ University - Small NIH Portfolio
  - ☐ University – No NIH grants
  - ☐ Small Business
  - ☐ Non-profit
  - ☐ Hospital
  - ☐ Not from a research institution

## How was your overall virtual experience?

- Were your expectations met with this online seminar? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- Was this online seminar valuable and worth your time? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- Would you recommend the seminar to others? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- Did the communications effective prepare you for the seminar? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- In the future, would you prefer the virtual experience for a seminar like this one over an in-person event?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If you answered "No" to any of the questions above, please specify why:

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**This is the first virtual seminar of its kind for the NIH Office of Extramural Research. To improve future events, please rate your experience with the following seminar components:**

| MAIN PROGRAM AGENDA | Topnotch | Good | Ok | Meh | Needs Improvement |
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| **Overall Experience with the NIH Program Agenda** | | | | | |
| Session Options | | | | | |
| Online delivery: Balance of content and engagement. | | | | | |
| Overall usefulness of information in sessions | | | | | |

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| Agenda schedule format | | | | | |

| MEET THE EXPERTS EXHIBIT HALL | Topnotch | Good | Ok | Meh | Needs Improvement |
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| **Overall Experience with the Exhibit Hall & Booths** | | | | | |
| Ease of identifying booths of interest | | | | | |
| Accessibility of NIH experts | | | | | |
| Utility of Resources | | | | | |
| Swag Bag & Video Vault Options | | | | | |
| Helpfulness of booth events | | | | | |
| Usefulness of Slack for topic-based chats | | | | | |

| NETWORKING LOUNGES | Topnotch | Good | Ok | Meh | Needs Improvement |
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| **Overall Experience with Networking Lounges** | | | | | |
| Value of topics | | | | | |
| Value of conversations | | | | | |

| vFAIRS ONLINE PLATFORM | Topnotch | Good | Ok | Meh | Needs Improvement |
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| **Overall Experience with the vFAIRS Platform** | | | | | |
| Registration process | | | | | |
| Website navigation | | | | | |
| Visual Experience | | | | | |
| Technology effectiveness (Zoom, vFairs chat, etc.) | | | | | |
| Technical Assistance (if applicable) | | | | | |

- If you were the coordinator for next seminar, what would you change to improve the attendee experience?

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- Do you prefer in-person or virtual format for seminars such as these?

☐ Virtual      ☐ In-person

- Let us know the **3 most useful sessions** you attended:

| TITLE | MOST USEFUL |
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| Advanced Administrative Topics: Post-Award Issues | |
| Advanced Administrative Topics: Pre-Award | |
| After-Hours Conversation – Developing and Optimizing Your Mentor Relationships | |
| After-Hours Conversation – NIH Trivia Challenge: Know-It-All of Know-None-At-All | |
| After Your First Award: Next Steps in Your Journey with NIH | |
| All About Costs: A Post-Award Primer | |
| An Overview of NIH Policies on Human Subjects Research | |
| Animals in Research: Tips to Keep Out of the Doghouse | |
| Beyond Grants and Contracts: Other Transactions | |
| Budget Building for Administrators Investigators | |
| Building Partnerships to Support Innovations | |
| Commitment Transparency | |
| Compliance Pitfalls & Strategies for Success | |
| Current Issues at NIH: Grants Policy Updates | |
| Data & Resource Sharing: Firming Foundations for Future Frontiers | |
| Deep Dive into 2021 Application Forms and Related Policy Changes | |
| Developing a Culture of Safety in Biomedical Research | |
| Diversity in the Biomedical Workforce | |
| eRA Commons: Interacting with NIH Electronically Post-Submission | |
| Financial Conflict of Interest: Staying Out of Trouble | |
| Fundamentals of the NIH Grants Process and Need-to-Know Resources | |
| Grant Writing for Success | |
| How NIH Processes And Assigns Your Application | |
| Including Diverse Populations in NIH-funded Clinical Research | |
| Invention Reporting Under Bayh-Dole | |
| Keynote with Dr. Michael Lauer | |
| Let's Look at Peer Review | |
| Navigating NIH Programs: An Overview | |
| NIH and You: Working to UNITE the Extramural Research Community | |
| NIH Loan Repayment Programs (LRP) | |
| NIH Next Generation Research Initiative: Training Future Biomedical Researchers | |
| NIH Peer Review: "Live" Mock Study Section with Q&A | |
| Not Funded….Now What? Guidance from the Experts | |
| Notice of Award Arrives….Now What? | |
| OHRP Presents: What is Human Subjects Research? Defining Research Involving Human Participants and Getting It Through Reviews | |
| Open Mike with Dr. Michael Lauer | |
| Partnering with International Research Organizations &the Grants Process | |
| Planning Your Career Path: NIH Experts Share Their Perspectives | |

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| Planning Your First Application: Top 5  Tips | |
| Ready! Set! Submit! Application Preparation & Submission | |
| Research Enhancement Award (R15) Program | |
| Research Involving Animals: OLAW | |
| Research Misconduct & Integrity | |
| Review Integrity: Mistakes You Don't Want to Make | |
| Rigor & Reproducibility: Back to Basics | |
| Roles, Responsibilities and Partnerships Throughout the Grant Life Cycle | |
| Supporting Transitions from Academia to Product Development | |
| Understanding and Writing an Effective "K" Application | |
| Understanding NRSA Fellowships "F" and Training "T" Grants | |
| Using RePORT to Understand Who & What NIH Funds | |

If you utilized the **On-Demand Library,** which of the following did you find most useful:

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| eRA Overview | |
| eRA: Streamlining Administrative Supplements | |
| Financial Conflict of Interest (FCOI): What You Need to Know | |
| Finding & Understanding Funding Opportunity Announcements (FOAs) | |
| How NIH Processes and Assigns Your Application | |
| Master Class on Review Integrity | |
| R&D Contracts (Part 1 of 2): Contract Administration and Getting Paid for Your Work | |
| R&D Contracts (Part 2 of 2): Finding Opportunities and Writing Proposals – | |
| Registering & Reporting Results to ClinicalTrials.Gov | |
| NIH Grants Administration Take 5: NOSIs | |
| xTRACT & xTrain: Your Tickets to Managing NIH Training and Career Award Documents | |

**Thank you for your time to help us evaluate this seminar and the effectiveness of the program and platform.**

**If you have any questions or suggestions following the conclusion of this seminar, please contact us at NIHRegionalSeminars@nih.gov.**