

## Introduction



## Virtual 2021 FRLC Future Research Leaders' Feedback Survey

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NIH's Chief Officer for Scientific Workforce Diversity (COSWD) Office and the Intramural Research Program (IRP) are pleased that you participated in the Virtual 2021 Future Research Leaders Conference (FRLC). We are committed to continually improving the program for our Future Research Leaders (FRLs).

We have therefore created a short feedback survey with the purposes of understanding your FRLC experience, how we can further support you, and how we can enhance the program in the future.

We would greatly value your taking this opportunity to provide your views on the FRLC. Your perspective is critical for us to best support your needs in pursuing NIH opportunities, as well as those of future FRLs.

The survey will take only about 10 minutes, depending on how many comments you wish to make. Your responses will not be associated with your name and no other identifying information is requested.

If you have any questions about the survey, please contact Christy Ley, at [christy.ley@nih.gov](mailto:christy.ley@nih.gov).

On behalf of the COSWD and IRP, we thank you for taking the time to share your views and experience.

Sincerely yours,  
2021 FRLC Planning Team

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## **FRLC Objectives**

**First, we would like to understand why you chose to participate in the Virtual 2021 Future Research Leaders Conference (FRLC).**

**What were your objectives in participating in the Virtual 2021 FRLC as a Future Research Leader?**

**Please rank your objectives in order of priority, where 1=highest priority and 10=lowest priority, by dragging and dropping the response options.**

Learn information about NIH career pathways

Learn strategies for applying to NIH career opportunities

Develop an understanding of NIH researchers' career experiences

Decide whether you are interested in pursuing a career at NIH

Establish FRL selection as a professional credential

Network with NIH senior leadership or tenure-track researchers

Network with other Future Research Leaders

Receive feedback on your research

Learn about diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) in science

Other, please specify (or indicate "N/A"):

## Expert Panels

**Next, we would like for you to reflect on each of the three NIH Expert Panels.**

**How effective was the "Applying to the NIH Intramural Research Program" panel (Day 1) at providing you an understanding of the following NIH IRP career pathways?**

	Extremely effective	Very effective	Moderately effective	Somewhat effective	Minimally or not at all effective	Do not recall/did not attend/not applicable
Stadtman Tenure-Track Investigators Program	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Lasker Clinical Research Scholars Program	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Distinguished Scholars Program (DSP)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Independent Research Scholars Program (IRS)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Other NIH program or position, please specify: <input type="text"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

**How effective was the "Voices from Current IRP Tenure-Track Investigators" panel (Day 2) at providing you an understanding of NIH IRP career experiences?**

- Extremely effective
- Very effective

- Moderately effective
- Somewhat effective
- Minimally or not at all effective
- Do not recall/did not attend

**How effective was the "Voices from Experienced IRP Hiring Committee Members" panel (Day 2) at providing you guidance for applying to IRP career opportunities?**

- Extremely effective
- Very effective
- Moderately effective
- Somewhat effective
- Minimally or not at all effective
- Do not recall/did not attend

**Speaking Sessions**

**Now please focus on the individual speaking sessions (i.e., NIH/IRP/COSWD leaders' presentations or remarks outside of the expert panels).**

**How useful did you find the individual speaking sessions by each of the following NIH leaders?**

	Extremely useful	Very useful	Moderately useful	Somewhat useful	Minimally or not at all useful	Do not recall/did not attend
Dr. Francis S. Collins - A Message from the NIH Director (Day 1)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Dr. Marie A. Bernard - The Importance of Scientific Workforce Diversity (Day 1)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Dr. Michael Gottesman - Welcoming Remarks on IRP (Day 2)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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Dr. Charlene E. Le Fauve - Closing Remarks (Days 1 and 2)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

## Research Presentations

**In addition to learning from NIH staff, you had an opportunity to present your research, view other FRLs' presentations, and participate in corresponding Q&A and networking sessions.**

**How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the following aspects of the FRL Presentation, Q&A, and Networking Breakout Sessions?**

	Very satisfied	Moderately satisfied	Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	Moderately dissatisfied	Very dissatisfied
Opportunity to practice presenting your research	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Feedback received on your research	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Opportunity to learn about other FRLs' research	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Opportunity to network or interact with NIH researchers or leaders	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Opportunity to network or interact with other FRLs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

## Preparation and Plans for Applying to IRP

**Below we would like to understand your perspective on and plans for pursuing NIH IRP career opportunities.**

## How well prepared do you feel to apply to an NIH Intramural Research Program (IRP) position?

- Extremely well prepared  
 Very well prepared  
 Moderately well prepared  
 Somewhat well prepared  
 Minimally or not at all well prepared

## What, if anything, would help you further prepare to apply to an NIH IRP position?

## How likely are you to apply to each of the following NIH Intramural Research Program (IRP) career opportunities *within the next year*?

	Very likely	Moderately likely	Roughly even chance	Moderately unlikely	Very unlikely	Not Applicable
Stadtman Tenure-Track Investigators Program	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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## Strengths and Areas for Improvement

**Your feedback on the questions below will help us improve future program efforts. We appreciate your taking the time to share your views and**

**suggestions.**

**What did you find most useful about the 2021 FRLC?**

**What would help improve the FRLC program?**

**Do you have any additional feedback for the FRLC Planning Team, Speakers, Moderators, or Panelists?**

**Overall Satisfaction with FRLC**

**Finally, we are interested in your perspective, thinking about the 2021 FRLC overall.**

**Overall, how satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the 2021 FRLC?**

- Very satisfied
- Moderately satisfied

- Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
- Moderately dissatisfied
- Very dissatisfied

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