

# PAC meeting

February 16, 2016

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- Aiming for launch on February 22, 2016

# Funding opportunities for postdocs

- Similar lists of postdoc grants should be possible in ~6 months

## **CFR CONNECT E-BLAST**

### **CFR Grant Opportunities for Faculty and Staff NEW INVESTIGATORS**

As part of the Office of Development and Alumni Affairs, Corporate and Foundation Relations (CFR), researches private grantmaker funding opportunities for faculty and staff. This service is one of many provided to faculty and staff seeking private grantmaker support.

CFR grantmaker support focuses on funding opportunities from all private and corporate/corporate-sponsored foundations, funds, charitable trusts, alliances, corporate giving programs, and other private grantmaking organizations. Below is a list of our latest grant opportunities.

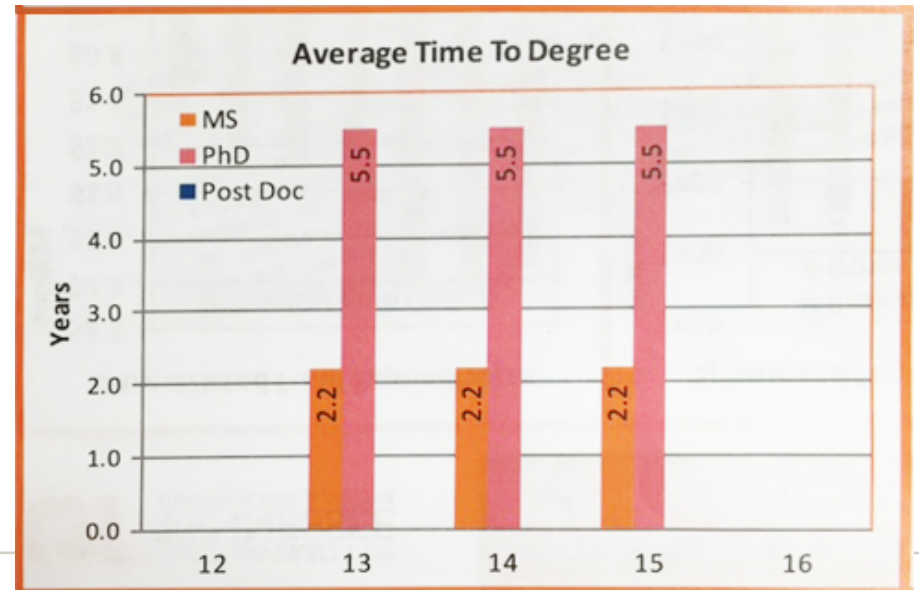
If you are interested in any of these opportunities, please e-mail Denise Rivers, Corporate and Foundation Relations Director, at [cfr165@uthsc.edu](mailto:cfr165@uthsc.edu) of your intent to apply for any of these grants. Ms. Rivers will then contact you to discuss and/or set up a meeting regarding that opportunity. Please respond by close of business **Thursday, February 18, 2016**.

Thoroughly read all instructions, including any FAQs, to determine your eligibility to apply. If you are unable to determine your eligibility, please contact Denise Rivers, Corporate and Foundation Relations Director, at [cfr165@uthsc.edu](mailto:cfr165@uthsc.edu).

<b>GRANTMAKER NAME/WEBSITE</b>	<b>PROGRAM</b>	<b>MAXIMUM AWARD</b>	<b>DEADLINES</b>	<b>LINKS TO INSTRUCTIONS</b>
<b>New Investigator</b>				
<a href="#">Vascular Cures and SVS Foundation</a>	Wylie Scholar Program	\$150,000 /3yrs.	3/31/2016	<a href="#">Click here</a> for information
<a href="#">Whitehall Foundation, Inc.</a>	Grants-in-Aid	\$30,000	LOI: 4/15/2016 FP: 9/1/2016	<a href="#">Click here</a> for information
<a href="#">When Everyone Survives Foundation</a>	RFP in Leukemia Research	\$50,000 /1yr.	4/1/2016	<a href="#">Click here</a> for information
<a href="#">American Foundation for Surgery of the Hand</a>	Clinical Grants	\$40,000 /2yrs.	4/4/2016	<a href="#">Click here</a> for information
	Basic Science Grants	\$20,000 /2yrs.	4/4/2016	<a href="#">Click here</a> for information
<a href="#">Crohn's &amp; Colitis Foundation of America</a>	Research Fellowship Awards	\$174,750 /1-3yrs.	LOI: 5/1/2016 FP: 7/1/2016	<a href="#">Click here</a> for information
	Lloyd Mayer, M.D. Career Development Award	\$270,000 /1-3yrs.	LOI: 5/1/2016 FP: 7/1/2016	<a href="#">Click here</a> for information

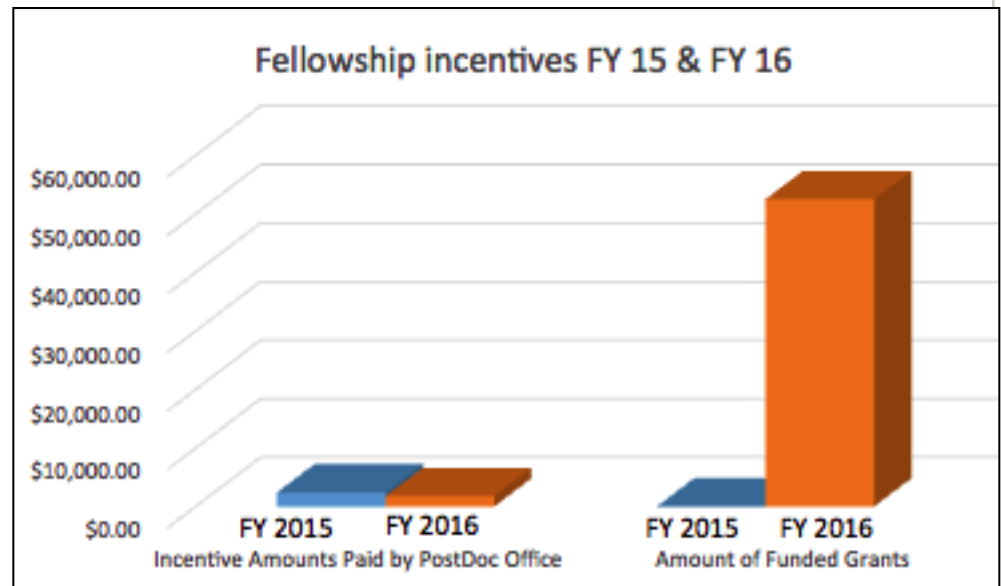
# Metric for Postdocs

- Appropriate metric for evaluating postdoc progress
- Needed for Chancellor's report to President, Board of Trustees and the legislators
  - comparable to the time-to-completion for students



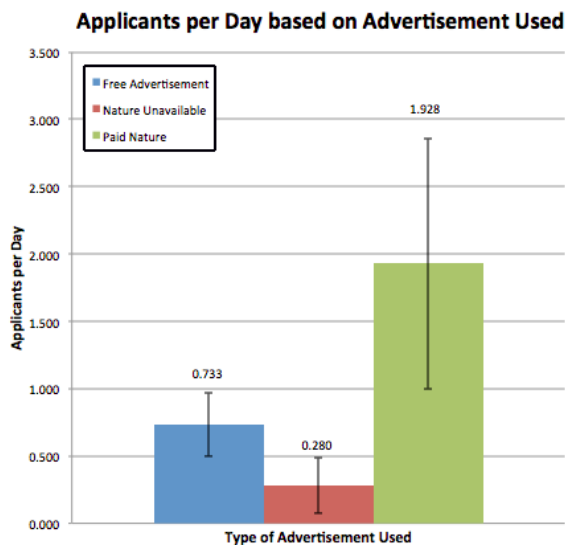
# Bonus for obtaining a grant

- \$2500 Bonus for obtaining a grant
  - PAC is in favor
  - Specifications?
  - Source of funds?



# Advertising in Naturejobs

UTHSC exposure has increased since posting our positions through an employer page on Naturejobs



- It costs \$350 to post each position on Naturejobs
  - Reduced introductory fee
- To date, the CGHS and PDO have covered all costs
- The cost to post a position is increasing to \$700/position
  - Proposed cost share model with mentors sharing the fee at 50%
  - Current contract expires at the end of March

# March PAC meeting

- PhDA come to present and dialogue with PAC
  - Ideas about mentoring
  - What they want from the Mentoring Academy

# PhDA Events

- Feb 11: Valentine's Day luncheon
  - Guest speaker – Dr. Catherine Kaczorowski
- March 4-6: NPA
  - PhDA has a poster presentation
- April 15: Career Day
  - Angela Copeland – Job and Career coach
  - Postdoc Achievement Awards
- May 26: End of Year Celebration
  - Mentor Academy Inductees
  - Travel Awards



# Next meeting

- Next PAC meeting
  - March 15, 2016