
NIAID Postdoc Funding and Training Opportunities

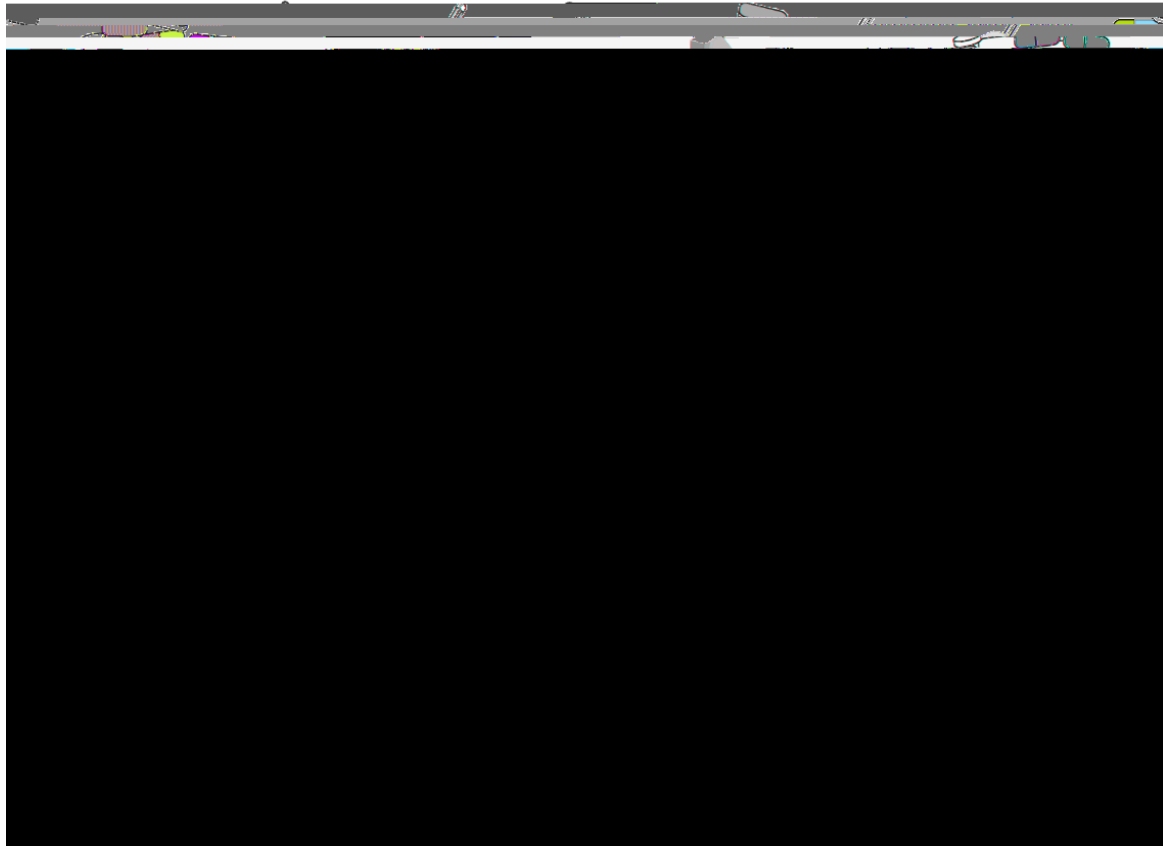
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My Role at NIAID

Program officer for
microbiology/ ID training
grants (T32/ T35)



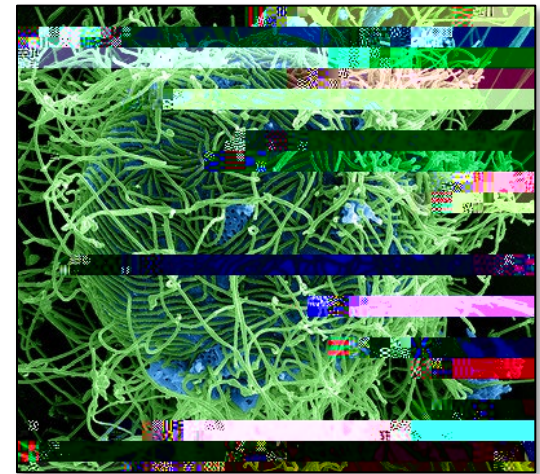


DMID's Scientific Priorities

Maintain a robust portfolio of basic, translational, and clinical research in microbiology and infectious diseases

Develop countermeasures to mitigate emerging infectious disease outbreaks and biodefense threats

Support the development of vaccines, therapeutics, and diagnostics for tuberculosis



DMID's Scientific Priorities

Combat the health impact of
antibacterial resistance

Advance the development of novel vaccines

Overview of NIAID Funding Opportunities for Postdocs

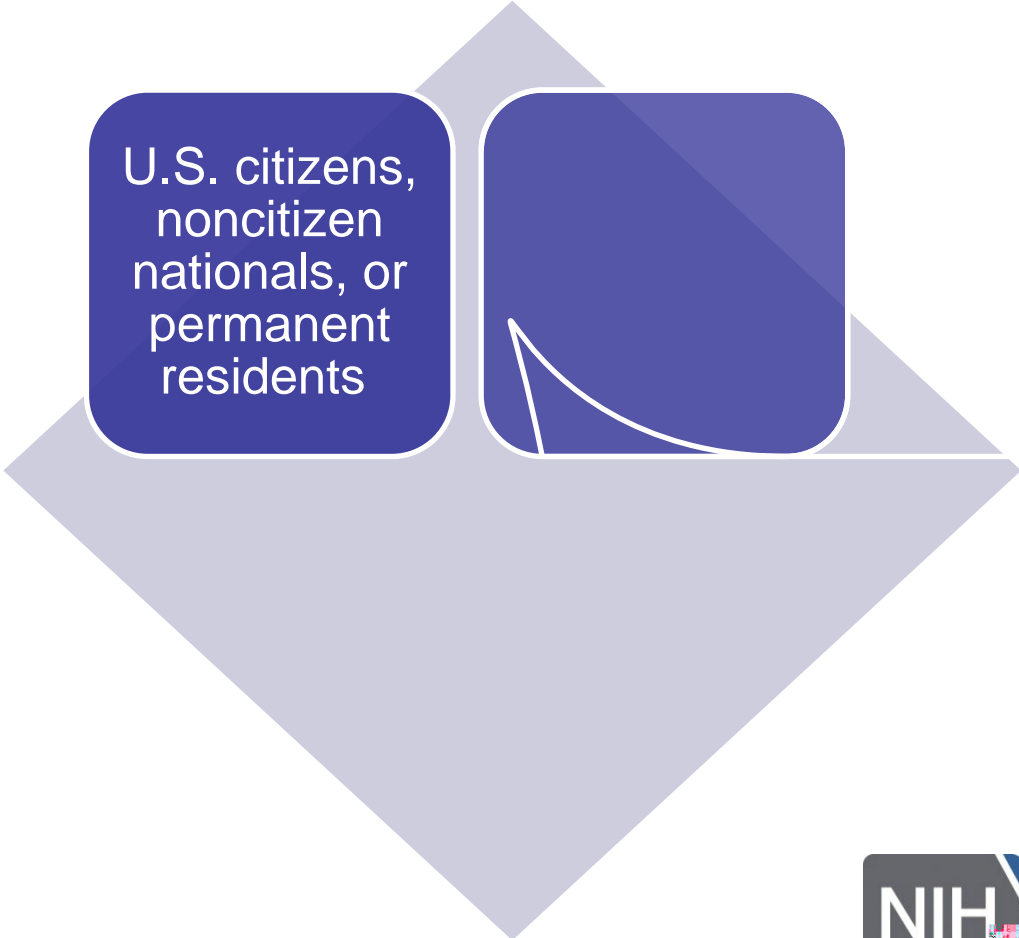


Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Awards (NRSA)

Support the training of biomedical, behavioral, and clinical researchers through individual pre- and postdoctoral fellowships (Fs) and institutional research training (Ts) grants

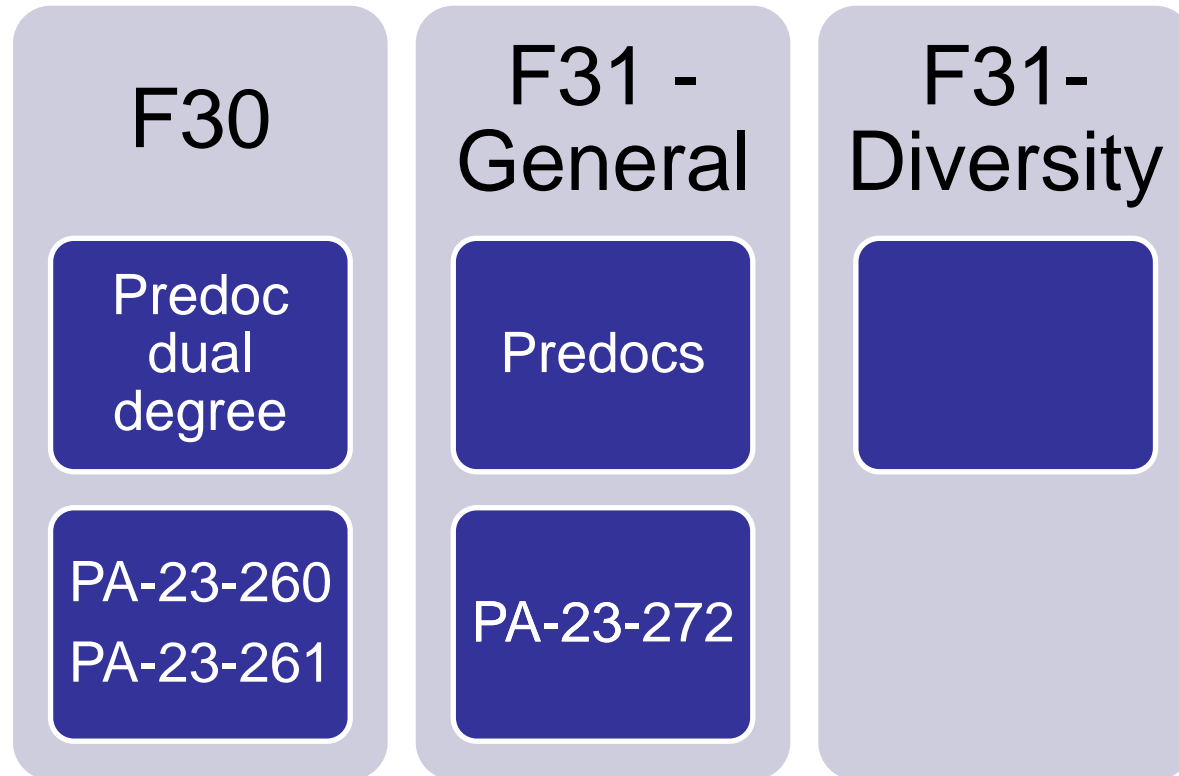


NRSA Fellowship Awards (F)



U.S. citizens,
noncitizen
nationals, or
permanent
residents

NRSA Individual Fellowships (F)



Two things to remember about NRSA awards (T and F)

There is a limit to
the period of total
NRSA support

- Predoc – 5 years
- Postdoc – 3 years

There is a
payback
requirement

- Postdocs only

https://grants.nih.gov/grants/policy/nihgps/HTML5/section_11/11.2.6_period_of_support.htm

https://grants.nih.gov/grants/policy/nihgps/HTML5/section_11/11.4_payback_requirements.htm

NRSA Awards (T and F) Now Support Some Childcare Costs

Each NRSA fellow may request
\$3,000 budget period to defray
childcare costs

See link for FAQs and details:

https://grants.nih.gov/faqs#/funding_programs_childcare_costs.htm?anchor=alphaHeader4225

NIAID Career Awards (K)

Provide individual and institutional career development opportunities to supported candidates at the postdoctoral, early career, and mid-career levels



NIAID K applications are reviewed in NIAID charter committees

Microbiology and Infectious Diseases Research Committee (MID)

Microbiology and Infectious Diseases Research Committee B (MID-B)

Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome Research Review Committee (AIDS)

Allergy, Immunology, and Transplantation Research Committee (AITC)



Recent Policy Changes to NIAID K Awards

NIAID K99, K25, and K01 award levels:

- Salary Support

Up to \$100,000 plus fringe benefits per year (increased from \$75,000). As always, salary must be consistent with effort committed to the award and institutional compensation policies.

- Research Support

Up to \$50,000 per year (increased from \$25,000 for K99 and K01, increased from \$20,000 for K25)

R00 Years for Support:

- K99 phase will provide support for up to 2 years of mentored postdoctoral career development. The R00 phase will provide up to 3 years (increased from 2 years) of independent research support.

<https://www.niaid.nih.gov/grants-contracts/career-development-training-awards-policy-changes>



Grant Supplement Programs

Funds added to an existing grant to:

- Increase the participation of scientists from underrepresented groups in biomedical research
- Help promising researchers return to a scientific career

Diversity

Re-entry

Technical Assistance

Grant Supplement Programs

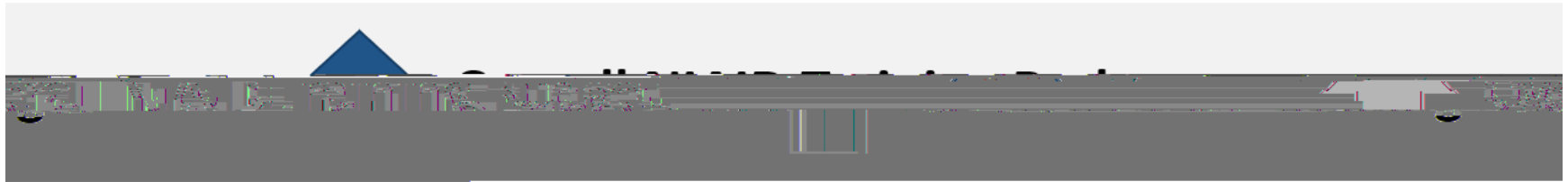
Diversity:
PA-23-189

Re-entry:
NOT-OD-23-170

Tech
Assistance:
NOT-AI-21-074

Support individuals with high potential to re-enter a research career after an interruption for family responsibilities or other qualifying circumstanceqc ()-10 (f)(her)or J -0.009e (er)0

Current Efforts to Balance NIAID Training Portfolio



Identifying Funding Opportunities

Search NIH and IC webpages

Contact a program officer to ask about opportunities/ verify that your idea fits within that IC's mission

Contact the program contacts for each opportunity to confirm your eligibility

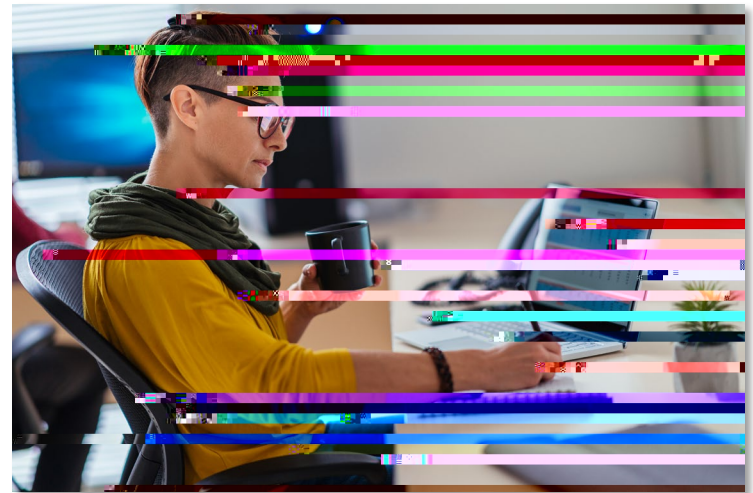
Be sure to check out opportunities at other relevant NIH ICs



What is the role of an NIH program officer?

To help identify an appropriate type of grant program and/or funding opportunity for you and your research

To obtain input on whether your specific aims fit within the mission and priorities of an NIH institute or center



NIAID provides sample applications and summary statements



<https://www.niaid.nih.gov/grants-contracts/sample-applications>

Thank you!

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