

Research Grant Writing Workshop

Instructor: Daniel J. McCormack, PhD

Format: Face to face workshop

Duration: One full day

Target Audience: Anyone needing to secure funding for their research project

Prerequisite Knowledge: No prior grant writing experience is required. It is recommended that people might have a need to write a research grant in the near future. Some experience designing research projects would be helpful.

About the Instructor

Dr. McCormack has been successfully writing grants for over 30 years. He currently teaches graduate courses in grant writing at Binghamton University and presents grant writing seminars and workshops on and off campus. He has written grants for the New York State Education Department; for colleges, universities, school districts, local governments; and various human services agencies.

AGENDA

- Introduction
- What do we want to accomplish
- General thoughts about writing research grants
- Overview of the process/There is more to it than just writing the grant application
- Why will a funding source give us money
- What types of funding can you go after/What ideas/projects are you working on
- General questions you will have to think about/answer when developing a research grant proposal
- Funding sources: How/where can we locate funding sources for research grants
- Thoughts on what you should include when writing the major components of research grants
- Budgets/Matching Costs/Review/Submission/Notification
- Managing Your Research Project
- Common components in Research Design and Methods
- Review of what we have covered/How can we make the grant application more competitive
- Why should you be good at this

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