

## ADVANCED K-AWARD GRANT WRITING WORKSHOP

Wednesday, December 7<sup>th</sup> | 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

The Professional Development and Career Office, the Office of Postdoctoral Affairs, and the Physician-Scientist Training Program are excited to welcome back [Career Volt](#) to lead an Advanced K-Award Grant Writing Workshop.

### Who is Career Volt?

Career Volt specializes in providing grant writing and professional development support to early-stage faculty and scientists. Drs. Jessica Lerch and Sheila Cherry are PhD scientists with extensive expertise in NIH K award applications.

### What have past postdoctoral participants said?

- *The workshop was precise and clear. The most impactful part was critiquing different section examples*
- *I learned how to organize and properly structure my writing*
- *This workshop helped me expand my vision of what reviewers look for and to strengthen my application*
- *The activity sheets were tremendously helpful*

**Who is this workshop for?** This workshop is designed for **postdoctoral research and clinical fellows who are planning to submit or resubmit a K-award application in the upcoming February/March 2023 cycle**. To attend, you must be eligible for a K award. View a list of applicable K awards and eligibility requirements [here](#).

### What will be covered in the workshop?

1. Individualized review and feedback on your Specific Aims page and Career Development plan
2. Small group activities to discuss K award application sections, including the Candidate Statement and Development Plan
3. Didactic and interactive sessions covering the following topics:
  - a. Candidate Background
  - b. Workshopping the K Award Specific Aims
  - c. The Career Development Plan
  - d. Meeting reviewer needs and expectations
  - e. The importance of tying it all together

**Note: this workshop focusses on grant writing, not feedback on your science.**

### To register for the Advanced K workshop:

1. Email Dr. Pat Phelps ([pphelps4@jhu.edu](mailto:pphelps4@jhu.edu)) and state your interest in attending
2. Submit a Draft Specific Aims page by November 28th, 2022, to Dr. Pat Phelps ([pphelps4@jhu.edu](mailto:pphelps4@jhu.edu))
3. Copy your PI on your submitted aims to acknowledge their support of your submission.
4. Everyone participating in the Advanced K workshop must **view the K Award overview videos** available on demand to insure everyone is at the same level. You can take the short quizzes to demonstrate knowledge instead of watching the videos. **Please register for the course with your JHU email using this [LINK](#)** and create a username and password. Your registration will be approved within one business day and you will receive an email on how to access the course. For additional questions, please email [info@career-volt.com](mailto:info@career-volt.com).