Our team is dedicated to helping you succeed.

From grant reviews and career awards, to our funded grants library and career development seminars, every program we offer focuses on developing and retaining talented scientists.
Access to 190+ funded applications including:

- Loan repayment
- Individual K and VA CDA
- R01, R61, R35
- R03, R21, foundation grants
- VA Merit
- F31
GRANT PACING WORKSHOPS

Project management skills for grant preparation:

- Two workshop sessions
- Sessions for each major NIH deadline
- F, K & R01 grant applications
- Mapping key components & tasks to timeline
Individualized enrichments in:

- Biostatistics & Epidemiology
- Clinical Context
- Community Engagement
- Data Science Methods
- Measurement Methods
- Technology Transfer
Groups to spur productivity:
- Manuscript sprints
- Shut Up and Write
- Dedicated time
- Peer accountability and critique
Edge Reviews

Internal Study Section:

- One month before each of three major NIH due dates
- 150 reviews in 2018
- Matched expertise
- All Ks and Rs + other
- Videotaped
- Summary statements
- 50.4% funding success rate since 2011
Vanderbilt Faculty Research Scholars:

- Requires faculty rank at VU, VUMC, or Meharry
- Plan to pursue CDA
- 75% protected time
- Up to $85K salary
- $15K research funds from program
- $10K from dept.
- Ranked in spring
- Appointments throughout year
THE ELLIOT NEWMAN SOCIETY

Hosts year-round activities for early career faculty:

- K or equivalent award
- Monthly career seminar
- Workshops
- Panel discussions
- Visiting Scholar’s Day
- Research Forum
TARGETED WORKSHOPS

How-to’s on priority topics:

- Biosketch and CV Clinics
- Professional Brand
- K24 Mentoring Awards
- Diversity Supplements
- Rigorous Research (incl. new Kaizen)
Support for research faculty:
- Facing care giving challenges
- Provides financial resources for help inside & outside of workplace
- Goal to maintain or restore career momentum
CANDID COMMENTARY
GRITTY TRUTHS
SHARPEN YOUR ACADEMIC EDGE

GRANT WRITING
PRODUCTIVITY
TIME MANAGEMENT
Pressure to Publish
MENTORING
NIH Biosketches
21ST CENTURY HEALTH NETWORKING
PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT
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EDGE FOR SCHOLARS  http://www.edgeforscholars.org

CTSD CALENDAR https://my.vanderbilt.edu/ctcareerdevelopment/calendar/

Vanderbilt Faculty Research Scholars (VFRS)  https://my.vanderbilt.edu/vfrs

StarBRITE  https://starbrite.vanderbilt.edu

EDGE REVIEWS https://my.vanderbilt.edu/ctcareerdevelopment/edge-reviews/

GRANT PACING WORKSHOPS  https://my.vanderbilt.edu/ctcareerdevelopment/grant-pacing-workshops/

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