

Summer Training

Summer program instruction is provided by a core faculty of leading NIDA researchers in Hispanic drug abuse. It features a series of interdisciplinary research sessions on topics specific to the socio-behavioral and bio-medical areas of Hispanic drug abuse.

The summer program is held in Los Angeles, California as a 5-day training institute. All expenses associated with travel and lodging are covered by the IRTI. Additionally, each fellow receives a stipend of \$500.

Save the Date:
June 5, 2019 - June 9, 2019



Mentoring

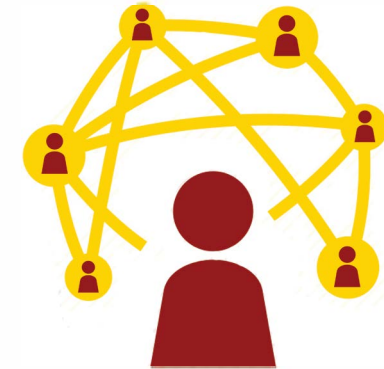
During the fellowship, IRTI fellows establish a mentorship with a faculty mentor.

Mentoring activities focus on guiding and assisting fellows in achieving benchmarks of progress including:

- Academic career progress
- Scientific publications
- Scientific presentations
- Research funding

Mentorship support provided by IRTI:

- Mentor commitment
- Travel to mentor institution
- E-mentoring technology
- IRTI annual mentoring meeting



Networking

IRTI provides \$2,000 in travel awards for:

- Attendance to scientific conferences
- Attendance to workshops

The IRTI also provides special networking activities for fellows and alumni at conferences with a large contingency of fellows attending.

With IRTI program oversight, fellows are given the opportunity to organize and submit IRTI focused panels, symposiums, and workshop abstracts to established national meetings such as:

- College on Problems of Drug Dependence
- American Public Health Association
- Society for Prevention Research
- Society for Neuroscience

Financial support is provided for fellows whose abstracts are accepted for oral presentations.

Interdisciplinary Research Training Institute (IRT I)

The IRTI promotes the career development of pre-doctoral, post-doctoral, and early career scientists interested in conducting research on drug abuse among Hispanics. We aim to ensure a formal support infrastructure for fellows to conduct, present, publish, and acquire funding for National Institutes of Health (NIH) research. The institute provides three core activities to research fellows: training, mentoring and networking.

Now Accepting Applications

CANDIDATES MUST:

Have completed at least two years of their doctoral program by the start of the summer institute, be a current post doc, or be early career faculty

Have a strong professional interest in drug abuse within the Hispanic community (preference will be given to applicants with previous experience and knowledge)

MATERIALS TO SUBMIT:

- Curriculum Vitae
- Statement of research interests and career objectives
- 2 letters of recommendation to the IRTI Selection Committee
- Completed application form, due by January 28th, 2019

SELECTION PROCESS

The IRTI Selection Committee will begin reviewing the applications starting February 2019. Final decisions and notifications will be made by the end of February 2019.

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