

**Grant Proposal Workshop – December 2022 (Virtual)**  
**Network on Education, Biosocial Pathways, and Dementia in Diverse Populations**

The Network on Education, Biosocial Pathways, and Dementia in Diverse Populations, funded by the National Institute on Aging (R24AG077433), announces their upcoming Grant Proposal Workshop for Network members. The goal of the workshop is to provide feedback and mentoring to Network members on their planned NIA Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias (ADRD) grant submissions to increase their funding success and encourage sustained commitment to unpacking the education—ADRD relationship. For any investigator, and especially for new investigators, proposal workshops are critical for successful grant proposals. Thus, investigators at any career stage are encouraged to participate in the workshop.

To be eligible to participate, you must:

- Be a Network Member (you can join by emailing Jennifer Doiron at ebddp\_network@umd.edu).
- Submit the project title, target submission date, and NIA grant mechanism (e.g., R01, K99, K01, R21) to ebddp\_network@umd.edu by September 30, 2022.
- Submit a fully drafted Specific Aims page, plus 2-4 sentences describing the significance of the project and its innovation by November 15, 2022 (more proposal sections welcomed if available).
- For K mechanisms, submit a draft of your candidate background and training plan (in addition to Specific Aims).
- For revised applications, please consider submitting your summary statement with your materials.

We will identify 2 ADRD researchers with experience serving on NIA study sections to review each proposal. For example, Network PIs, co-investigators, and external advisory board members (see table below) are among the pool of potential reviewers.

In the December workshop, PIs will present one slide on their proposal (3 minutes; broad overview). Then, you will receive feedback and take questions from the assigned reviewers and Network PIs, Co-Is, and Advisory Board members – who will have access to your submitted materials.

The workshop will be held virtually via Zoom.

Network on Education, Biosocial Pathways, and Dementia in Diverse Populations Leadership Team			
PIs	Institution	Co-Investigators	Institution
Sanjay Asthana	Wisconsin	Jessica Faul	Michigan
Pam Herd	Georgetown	Wassim Tarraf	Wayne State
Katrina Walsemann	Maryland	Linda Waite	Chicago
Advisory Board	Institution		
Lisa Barnes	Rush		
Eileen Crimmins	USC		
Vicki Freedman	Michigan		
Hector Gonzalez	UCSD		
Mark Hayward	Texas		
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