

School of Medicine 2007-08 Faculty Development Series on Educational Scholarship



**Wednesday, November 14, 2007
Sanger Hall, Room 1-050**

(Continental breakfast and lite lunch included,
rsvp to dstewart@vcu.edu or 8-6591)

9 – 11:30 am: *Keys to Getting Your Journal Articles Published*

This workshop will include presentation, handouts, hands-on exercises, discussion, and Q&A.

Objectives:

By the end of the workshop, the participants will better understand:

- how readers read journal articles
- how to think strategically about writing and publishing articles
- how to work with the editorial office

Through presentation and exercises, participants will gain skills in:

- how to prepare better papers: clear writing, appropriate structure, good tables and graphs
- the importance of abstracts and how to write better ones
- tools and resources for authors

12 - 1:30 pm: *How Journals Work—and Making Them Work for You*

Objectives:

By the end of the session, participants will better understand:

- how peer review works in science journals
- the mutual, reciprocal and conflicting responsibilities of authors, editors and reviewers
- the standards and ethical behavior in peer-reviewed publication

****You may register for one or both sessions free of charge by emailing Debbie Stewart,
dstewart@vcu.edu (indicate which session: am, pm, or both)**

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