

School of Medicine  
Professional Development Seminar

*Getting Started in Research in the SOM:  
Processes and Resources*

(Required Workshop for New Faculty)

This workshop is designed to give faculty, and especially new faculty, the opportunity to learn about important areas of faculty life. All SOM faculty are invited and anyone interested in the topics presented. RSVP online by Monday, October 24, at <https://redcap.vcu.edu/rc/surveys/?s=fDhmgM>.

Wednesday, October 26, 2011  
9 a.m. - 12 Noon  
Molecular Medicine Research Bldg., Room 1011

9-9:50 a.m. *General Resources to Support Research in the School of Medicine*  
**Presenters:** Gordon Archer, M.D., Senior Associate Dean for Research and Research Training; Paul Fawcett, Ph.D., Director of Research Infrastructure

As a result of this presentation, participants will:

- become familiar with the process for research at VCU;
- review resources available to the researcher at VCU;
- discuss obstacles to research and strategies to overcome them.

10-10:50 a.m. *Clinical and Translational Research Resources and Opportunities*  
**Presenter:** Pamela Dillon, Pharm.D., Assistant Professor and Research Liaison, VCU Center for Clinical and Translational Research

As a result of this presentation, participants will:

- become familiar with the Center for Clinical and Translational Research (CCTR);
- review research resources available thru the CCTR.

11-11:50 a.m. *Working with the VCU Human Research Protection Program*  
**Presenter:** Monika Markowitz, Ph.D., M.A., M.S.N., R.N., Director, Office of Research Integrity and Ethics

After this presentation, participants will be able to:

- define "human subjects research" and how risk is determined;
- discuss protections for recruitment, privacy and confidentiality, and vulnerable populations;
- know where to go for information on IRB requirements, forms, and procedures.



Refreshments provided. For questions, contact Kathy Kreutzer, [kkreutze@vcu.edu](mailto:kkreutze@vcu.edu). This program is sponsored by Faculty Affairs, Dean's Office, School of Medicine.