



RESEARCH NEWS

Washington University in St. Louis

The [Research Development Office](#) (RDO) announces two programs to help assistant professors submit competitive proposals for the [NSF CAREER program](#).

NSF CAREER Writing Groups will support small groups to develop research and educational visions and goals; specify work plans; develop a budget and budget justification; write a project summary; and complete a coherent and well-reasoned draft proposal. The Research Development Office will provide resources and input on each step, and a timeline for the process, spanning mid-April to late May.

NSF CAREER Mini-Panels will review draft proposals submitted in early June. Panels will review and discuss each proposal, providing feedback on strengths, weaknesses, and suggestions for improvement, leading up to the July 26th due date.

We encourage assistant professors planning to submit NSF CAREER proposals to participate, to help you generate plans, integrate elements, fine-tune your presentation, and submit a more competitive proposal. Please use this [link](#) to sign up. **Please register by Monday, April 12th.**

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