Sponsor: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services - Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)
Bureau of Health Workforce - Division of Medicine and Dentistry
Program: Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award Institutional Research Training Grant (HRSA-16-045)
Estimated Award Amount: Up to $400,000 per year
JHU Nomination Limit: 1
For more detailed information: HRSA Kirschstein; Full FOA

The Health Resources and Services Administration, Bureau of Health Workforce is accepting applications for fiscal year (FY) 2016 for the Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award Institutional Training Grants. The purpose of this grant program is to train postdoctoral health care professionals who may have extensive clinical training but limited research experience. As the nation’s population grows and ages, the need for well-trained primary medical care researchers to study the complex array of issues facing the primary health care workforce gains greater importance. The Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award (NRSA) Institutional Training Grants administered by the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), are awarded to eligible institutions to develop or enhance postdoctoral research training opportunities for individuals who are planning to pursue careers in primary care research.

Eligibility & Requirements:

- Eligible applicants are those entities that have received a grant under sections 736,739 or 747 of the Public Health Service (PHS) Act programs. Section 736 includes the HRSA Centers of Excellence program; section 739 includes the Health Careers Opportunity Program; and section 747 includes the Primary Care Training and Enhancement programs. Applicants must provide documentation of prior grants.

Internal Nomination Process:

Interested applicants should send the following documents in sequence in one PDF to resapp@jhu.edu no later than 4 p.m. on November 2, 2015:

1. JHU Limited Submission Cover Sheet
2. Project Abstract (one page, double-spaced)
3. Project Narrative (maximum of four pages of text only, single spaced: 12-pt font and one-inch margins)
   (Note: figures, tables, and other reference material should not be included as text)
4. Curriculum Vitae of investigator, including current external research support and publications
5. Budget (two pages maximum)

Each applicant should expect to receive a confirmation of receipt of their materials. If an applicant does not receive an acknowledgement, or has any questions, please contact Charles Bartunek via resapp@jhu.edu.