

A National Science Foundation Science and Technology Center

NSF GRFP and Postdoctoral Proposal Writing Workshop

May 25th, 2017 9AM – 3:30PM

Thursday, May 25, 2017	
9:00 – 9:15 AM	Welcome & Overview of the Workshop
(15 min)	Bill Bauer, Associate Ed. and Div. Director
	Light Breakfast and coffee
9:15–9:55 AM	NSF Review Process and Criteria – Wyn Jennings, NSF Program Officer
(30 min, 10 min	General overview of NSF review process and procedure and tips on
Q&A)	reviewing proposals
10:00-10:40 AM	GRFP Proposal Review Process - John McGuire (?), former GRFP Panelist
(30 min <i>,</i> 10 min	for NSF (Thomas Szyperski as backup)
Q&A)	Overview of the review process, specific guidelines for reviewing GRFP
	proposals. Special considerations and
10:45 – 12:30 PM	Review Session 1
	Split up into pre-assigned review panels. Each panelist presents his or her
	specific proposals to the group. Discuss initial reactions to each proposal
	and discuss strengths and weaknesses
12:30 -1:45 PM	Lunch
1:45 – 2:45 PM	Review Session 2
	Compile review notes for each applicant. Summarize the overall
	advantages and disadvantages for the group of applicants
2:45 – 3:30 PM	Group Presentations
	Each group presents general themes in the strengths and weaknesses of
	the proposals. Presents conclusions to the entire group
3:30 PM	Workshop Ends
	Education and Diversity members collect all results, compile and
	distribute to the applicants to help with their future proposals