

**HIV and Aging: From Mitochondria to the Metropolis**  
**Mentoring Workshop Application Instructions**  
**November 16, 2017: 8:00 am-12:30 pm**  
**November 17, 2017, 7:00 am-8:00am breakfast**

Workshop target group: Junior faculty qualifying as early stage and new investigators and post-doctoral fellows who have already identified a research topic at the intersection of HIV and Aging. Pilot data for a planned application for research support would be a plus, but is not a requirement for participation.

**Workshop Objectives:**

- To provide mentoring and support to early career investigators intending to pursue research projects at the intersection of HIV and Aging
- To offer constructive feedback on research ideas
- To facilitate linkages between new and senior investigators in the fields of HIV and Aging
- To provide early career investigators with information about NIH support for research on HIV and Aging
- To provide information about the NIH grant application review process and to offer suggestions for successful grant applications
- To provide opportunities for feedback from and networking with NIH program officers
- To exit the workshop with a revised Aims page (and, possibly, a clarified sense of the project's design and methods)

**Application Requirements:**

Please submit the following items via email with pdf or Word document attachments:

- ✓ **Applications due September 15, 2017**
- ✓ A draft one-page Specific Aims "proposal" linked to the work expected to be pursued (at a minimum this should identify: topic, specific aim(s), and rationale; it might also include an indication of the project's general design and the team capacity needed) (limit 1 pg)
- ✓ Your current CV or NIH-style Biosketch (limit 4 pgs)
- ✓ Send all application materials via email to: [hivaging@emory.edu](mailto:hivaging@emory.edu)

**Scholarship Information:**

- A limited number of scholarships of \$750 each are available to support conference registration and/or travel to the event
- Scholarships will be awarded to participants who demonstrate both financial need and commitment to the study of HIV and Aging
- Scholarship applicants must include a statement of **no more than 250 words** that summarizes financial need and career goals in the field of HIV and Aging research or clinical care; financial need/career goals statement should be included in mentor workshop application email as separate attachment labeled "Scholarship Request (last name)"

**Questions** may be directed to conference email: [hivaging@emory.edu](mailto:hivaging@emory.edu) or Phone: 404-299-7700