

UMSL Early Career Research Network

2020 Application

Expectations

- Participants are asked to make a year-long commitment to the network
- Participants will be encouraged to submit one proposal during the course of the year
- Participants are encouraged to prepare five-year research plans

Benefits

- Jump start your research career
- Develop strong proposal writing skills
- Get access to funded investigators and potential mentors
- Meet colleagues from across campus and connect with potential collaborators
- Learn about research and grant getting best practices

Eligibility

- Early-career, full-time, tenure track faculty in years 1-4 of the tenure clock (preference will be given to first and second year applicants)

Questions?

Reach out to Dr. Chris Spilling, Vice Chancellor for Research and Economic & Community Development at spillingc@umsl.edu or Cynthia Jobe, Director of Research Development at jobec@umsl.edu

Name	
Department	
College	
Phone	
Email	
Date of Hire	

Briefly describe your area of research and the research program you aim to build at UMSL.

Briefly describe what you hope to gain from participating.

List any questions you have about developing a research program at UMSL, funding, or related areas below.

I am able to meet 2nd Fridays from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. during the Fall 2020 and Spring 2021 semesters.

Yes / No

Note: *Not all sessions will go until 11:30. No morning meeting on Oct 9th; participants are expected to attend the Early Career Research Symposium. Absences for conferences and research travel are understood but should be coordinated in advance.*

If selected, I agree to participate through attendance and discussions. I understand that this community involves a full-year commitment and that any absences must be excused in advance.

Signature	
Date	

Department Chair's Signature

I endorse the above applicant's participation in the Early Career Research Network at UMSL and will support the research-related assignments.

Signature	
Date	

Send completed application to: Dr. Chris Spilling at spillingc@umsl.edu
Submission Deadline: 5:00 p.m. Monday, August 3, 2020.

Your application indicates you agree to meet the expectations described above.