1. **THE FRI INVITES PROPOSALS FOR THE FEMINIST FUTURES RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM**

The Feminist Research Institute (FRI) invites presentation proposals from UCD graduate students, junior faculty, adjuncts, and independent and visiting scholars for the Feminist Futures Research Symposium to be held on January 23, 2020 from 1-6pm. Organized around FRI's 2019-2020 theme "Feminist Futures," the symposium invites research from across the social sciences, humanities, law, and STEM fields. Keynote speakers will be Alisa Bierria (Philosophy, Stanford University) and Kara Keeling (Cinema and Media Studies, University of Chicago).

Proposals are due Friday, November 8th. Please visit our [website for more details](#).

2. **NURSE PRACTITIONER RESIDENCY PROGRAM LAUNCHED BY UC HEALTH**

The new residency program for nurse practitioners at the Betty Irene Moore School of Nursing has opened its applications. While nurse practitioner residency programs exist at other institutions, this is the first one to be funded by the Health Resources and Services Administration. The $3.5 million grant is monumental for the nursing community since it depicts federal recognition of the importance of nurse practitioners in primary care.

Applications are open until **Jan. 6, 2020** for nurse practitioners who graduated within the past 18 months. The program is looking for family or adult gerontological nurse practitioners, specifically those interested in providing care to underserved populations.

For more information [Click Here](#).

3. **2019-2020 SOM ACADEMIC PERSONNEL DEADLINES**

The following deadlines have been established for submission of review dossiers to the School of Medicine Dean's Office, Academic Personnel.
FACULTY: Please inform your Department or Academic Personnel if you need an extension!

December 16, 2019    Merits/Appraisals

January 20, 2020    First normal merit(s) after Appointment or Promotion

4. NEW DATES! SUPPORTING EDUCATIONAL EXCELLENCE IN DIVERSITY (SEED) TRAINING

- Friday, January 17, 2020 | 12:30 – 4:30pm
  To automatically register yourself CLICK HERE
- Tuesday, February 18, 2020 | 1:00 – 5:00pm (DAVIS campus)
  To automatically register yourself CLICK HERE
- Friday, March 13, 2020 | 12:30 – 4:30pm
  To automatically register yourself CLICK HERE

5. ACADEMIC FEDERATION AWARDS CALLS FOR NOMINATIONS

The Academic Federation announces the 2019-20 calls for nominations for five Academic Federation awards. Each award’s call for nomination, as well as its respective nomination form, is available to you via the following link: https://academicfederation.ucdavis.edu/grants-awards. All nomination materials must be received by Wednesday, December 18, 2019.

- James H. Meyer Distinguished Achievement Award
- Excellence in Research
- Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching
- Excellence in Graduate and Professional Teaching or Mentoring
- Distinguished Service Award

Should you have any questions regarding these awards, please email AFawards@ucdavis.edu.

Nominations must be submitted as one all-inclusive electronic file toAFawards@ucdavis.edu by Wednesday, December 18, 2019

6. DEANS’ AWARDS FOR EXCELLENCE CALL FOR NOMINATIONS – DEADLINE IS DECEMBER 5, 2019

Nominations are now being sought for the 2019 Deans’ Awards for Excellence. The purpose of these awards is to reward the outstanding achievements of our School of Medicine and Betty Irene Moore School of Nursing faculty and teams, and to acknowledge their contributions in our community.

Visit the award pages listed below for full details and nomination instructions.

- Deans’ Award for Excellence
- Deans’ Award for Excellence in Equity, Diversity and Inclusion–Faculty Member
• Deans' Award for Excellence in Mentoring
• Deans’ Team Award for Excellence
• Deans’ Team Award for Inclusion Excellence