ONLINE VERSION GRANT TASK PREFERENCE INVENTORY

The following link and QR code takes to you an online version of the Grant Task Preference Inventory (GTPI):

http://bit.ly/GrantTaskPreferenceInventory



As part of the team building presentation today, you will complete the Grant Task Preference Inventory and learn how this instrument can help build a stronger grant-seeking team. You also will learn a little about its development and its relationship to the grant-seeking tasks presented in The "How To" Grant Manual by David Bauer. The Inventory is tied directly to the tasks presented in the Bauer book that enhance ones' chances of getting a proposal funded. The Inventory is intended to identify the domain or domains that the respondent prefers when preparing a grant. If you would like copies and to use them with colleagues when building grant-seeking teams copies of the administration and scoring guide and the inventory can be found in your materials.

I would like to add a caution and a request. The caution is that the inventory has not been subjected to a complete validity study since it is rather new and there is insufficient data to do so. It is built on face validity using time-tested psychometric techniques. However, we are happy to share with you both the instrument and instructions. At this time we would like to ask that you help us acquire the data for a more complete validation study. All of you received an email regarding a study we are completing related to this request.

At this time, informed consent documents will be passed out to understand the study and your voluntary and ANONYMOUS participation. If you wish to participate in the study we would like to invite you to turn in your completed GTPI and we will use the data for the GTPI validation. If you do not wish to participate you can keep your GTPI responses or discard them - do no submit your responses if you do not want to participate in the study.

This version of the Grant Task Preference Inventory provides 10 sets of four tasks associated with grant seeking. Considering the four tasks listed in each group - first, you select the ONE you would MOST prefer to do and second, the ONE you LEAST prefer to do. Thus, you will respond to 20 sets of four grant seeking tasks overall. If there is any question that make you uncomfortable or you do not wish to answer you can skip the question.

By turning in your submitted GTPI, you are consenting the completed responses to be used for research purposes. Again, there is not way to associate your responses with you.

If you do not wish for your responses to be included in the validation study please do not submit the GTPI. There is no penalty for choosing to not participate in the study - you will still complete the GTPI and participate normally in the Winning Grants and Sustaining Partnerships program.

Please feel free to ask Dr. Daniela Susnara or Dr. Jim McLean any questions you might have. We hope this tool is helpful to you.