

# 2021 Virtual HBCU-UP/CREST PI-PD Meeting

## FORGED THROUGH TIME, FOR THIS TIME



## Thursday, February 4, 2021

**11:00 AM - 12:00 PM**

### **INFORMAL MEETINGS WITH PROGRAM OFFICERS**

While opportunities to chat over coffee or tea is difficult this year, it is important for Program Directors and Principal Investigators to hear from one another. In separate meeting rooms, Program Directors throughout the Human Resource Development Division will be available to engage with meeting participants.

**1:00 - 2:30 PM**

### **OPENING PLENARY**

Our annual convening provides an opportunity for the HBCU-UP and CREST communities to promote best practices in STEM education and research, with intentionality in broadening participation among underrepresented populations. While there are clear challenges to ensuring equitable participation in scientific and technological advancements, we recognize the numerous accomplishments from underrepresented communities.

**2:30 - 4:45 PM**

### **BREAK**

**2:45- 4:45 PM**

## **CONCURRENT BUSINESS MEETINGS**

Join HBCU-UP and Crest Program Directors to discuss updates from each program. Discussion topics include introduction of new personnel, as well as changes to the solicitation and PAPPG. Participants are also encouraged to bring questions as well.

**4:45 - 5:45 PM**

## **PI VIDEO PRESENTATIONS, LIVE Q & A**

# **Friday, February 5, 2021**

**11:45 AM - 12:00 PM**

## **CHARGE FOR THE DAY**

**12:00 - 1:00 PM**

## **CONCURRENT BREAKOUT SESSIONS 1**

Division of Grants and Agreements with CREST PIs: Do you have budget related questions? This session is for you! Meet with representatives from our budget office to discuss all matters related to budgetary allocations, allowable costs, and more!

New HBCU-UP PI Session: All new HBCU-UP Principal Investigators will convene to discuss challenges and successes in implementation of awards. Program Directors will also discuss award management expectations to include, annual reports, evaluations, etc.

PI Video Presentations, Live Q & A

**1:00 - 2:00 PM**

## **CONCURRENT BREAKOUT SESSIONS 2**

Division of Grants and Agreements with HBCU-UP PIs: Do you have budget related questions? This session is for you! Meet with representatives from our budget office to discuss all matters related to budgetary allocations, allowable costs, and more!

CREST PIs at PI Video Presentations, Live Q&A

**2:00 - 2:15 PM**

## **BREAK**

**2:15 - 3:15 PM**

## **NETWORKING DISCUSSION SESSION**

This is an opportunity to collaborate, identify solutions and best practices regarding strategies to

- 1) increase dissemination of activity results,
- 2) the procuring of NSF funding, agency wide, and
- 3) continuity of research and/or program activities during the pandemic.

Meeting participants will be assigned to a break-out room facilitated by NSF program officers, and each group will be charged with sharing a summary of the discussion.

**3:15 - 3:30 PM**

**BREAK**

**3:30 - 3:40 PM**

**TOWNE HALL - FORGED  
THROUGH TIME, FOR THIS TIME**

Forged through time, for this time is an opportunity to reflect and declare our collective positioning. We will consider the impact of our contributions and identify intentional strategies by which we can continue to enhance our impact. All meeting participants are encouraged to engage in this culminating event.