The ABC’s of Grantscrafting; Aug. 30; noon – 1 pm (MBW 220)
This session aims to help you improve the crafting of your research proposal. Learn critical elements for a successful application from your ORS Pre-Award Grants team. Examples will be drawn from Tri-Agency programs.

Canadian Common CV (CCV) Drop-in Session; Sep. 13 and Sep. 21; 11:30 – 1 pm (Mearns Centre for Learning/McPherson Library, Room 130)
Bring your CV (or send a delegate) to learn about the Canadian Common CV and how to enter information into the system. A CCV is required for, among others, NSERC Discovery and RTI grants, SSHRC Insight Development grants, and CIHR Foundation and Project grants. For those applying to the NSERC Discovery Grants program, updates to your CCV can be made between your NOI and the full application. This session is facilitated by Heather Chestnutt, Faculty Grant Officer and Christine Walde, Grants and Awards Librarian.

CFI Institutional Programs; Sep. 13; noon – 1 pm (MBW 120)
The CFI Innovation Fund supports large (multi-million) transformative research infrastructure for regional, national or international facilities in areas of global leadership. A new competition is expected to be launched by the federal government in early 2019. Open to all faculties, this session will provide information and an opportunity for discussion to all UVic groups considering the submission of an internal Notice of Intent by the November 16 deadline. Contact Joaquin Trapero at cfi@uvic.ca for details.

Research Budgets 101; Sep. 19; noon – 1:30 pm (MBW 220)
This interactive session aims to help you improve your research application budgets and budget justifications. Learn about common types of expenses and how to cost or calculate them, cash and in-kind contributions, overhead rates as well as other tips and tricks. This session will be led by your ORS Pre-Award Grants team.

Choose France as your destination to study or work abroad; Oct. 24; 12:30 – 2 pm (MBW 220)
Join us for a presentation by Fabien Agenès, Science & Higher Education Attaché with the Consulate General of France in Vancouver and Solène Rabiers du Villars from Campus France to learn about funding opportunities for study and research in France.

Mitacs Research & Training Programs; Nov. 7; noon – 1 pm (MBW 220)
Mitacs is a not-for-profit organization that designs and delivers research training programs in Canada. Join us for a lunchtime Q&A facilitated by the Nolan Beise, Mitacs Business Development Director to learn about their suite of programs. Faculty members, students, and research facilitators from all Faculties are encouraged to attend.

Health & Medical Sciences Research

CIHR Project and Foundation Grants; Aug. 16; noon – 1 pm (MBW 220)
This lunchtime Q&A session will focus on the Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) Project and Foundation Grants. The deadline for mandatory registration for both these programs is August 15. External deadlines are Sep. 15 (Project) and Sep. 19 (Foundation).
This session is led by Nicole Kitson, ORS Senior Grants Officer.

Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) Webinars
CIHR offers a number of English and French language webinars for the Project and Foundation grant competitions, along with special calls. A summary can be found here: [http://www.cihr-irsc.gc.ca/e/45096.html](http://www.cihr-irsc.gc.ca/e/45096.html). Register early to secure your place!
- Project Grants: English sessions Aug. 9, Aug. 22, Aug. 30 & Sep. 6 (10-11am PST); French sessions Aug. 21 (10-11am PST) & Sep. 5 (8-9am PST).
- Foundation Grants Stage 1: English sessions Aug. 8 & Sep. 5 (10:30-11:30am PST); French session Aug. 23 (8-9am PST)

Navigating National Institutes of Health (NIH) Grants; Nov. 20, noon – 1 pm (MBW 220)
Join us to learn about navigating NIH grant submissions. Information on the application process and the NIH submission portal will be provided. The session is led by Jessica Worsley, ORS International Grants Facilitator, with previous applicants available to share their experience.

Please RSVP to resporg3@uvic.ca.

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