Grants and Mentorship: A Mutually Beneficial Partnership

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UTILIZING MENTORSHIP TO BUILD YOUR GRANT WRITING ABILITIES/FUNDING HISTORY

▶ Goals
  ▶ What do you want to accomplish?
  ▶ What are your short term and more long term goals?

▶ Questions to Pose
  ▶ Do you currently have a mentor?
  ▶ Are there experts in grant writing/funding opportunities in your professional work environment?
  ▶ Have you thought about finding a mentor via Sigma mentorship program?

▶ Expected Outcomes
  ▶ Write a small grant...a great first step
    ▶ Sigma Grants
    ▶ Other
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- Goals
  - What do you want to accomplish?
  - Is interest in mentorship for specific population of individuals (i.e. clinical faculty) or for program as whole (i.e. students, faculty, alumni, etc)

- Questions to Pose
  - Do you currently have any mentorship activities/program?
  - Do you have experts that are able/desire to be mentors?
  - Do you have individuals/groups in your professional work environment that would benefit from a mentorship program?
  - Do you have financial resources to support mentorship activities/program?
  - Have you thought about writing a grant for funding to support mentorship activities/program?

- Expected Outcomes
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- **Expected Outcomes**
  - Develop a mentorship program for your specific needs
    - Contact Sigma to be a collaborator/partner in this effort
  - Write a small grant to augment financial support for program
    - Sigma Grants
    - Other
  - Evaluate mentorship activities/program
    - Research
    - Disseminate
Contact Information and Resources

- Utilize The Circle to access Career Center
- Access Small Grants Opportunities via Sigma website
- Other resources
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