PROFESSIONAL SKILLS WORKSHOP
Saturday, November 4, 2000
Morial Convention Center
New Orleans, Louisiana
8:30 am – 4:30 pm
REGISTRATION FORM

Please print legibly or type

First name: ___________________________
Last name: ___________________________
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Your position: __________________________
_____ undergraduate  _____ faculty, please state position:__________
_____ graduate student  _____ researcher in industry, please state position:__________
_____ postdoc  _____ other, please describe:__________________

Mark (X) the sessions you plan to attend:

_____ 9:00 – 10:30 am   Session 1: Career planning, including job opportunities
10:45 – 11:45 am  Session 2: Breakout groups on careers (indicate breakout)
   A) Preparing your “employment package”
   B) Advancing toward tenure
   C) Applying to graduate school
   D) Advancing in industry

11:45 – 1:15 pm  Session 3: Ethics discussions over lunch

1:15 – 2:15 pm  Session 4: Plenary lecture on grantwriting

2:30 – 3:15 pm  Session 5: Breakout groups on grantwriting (indicate breakout)
   A) Fellowships
   B) Career and research awards
   C) Funding for international collaborations

3:30 – 4:30 pm  Session 6: Breakout groups (indicate breakout)
   A) Interview skills
   B) Getting the most out of the Society for Neuroscience Meeting
   C) Mock review – grant application (Some advance preparation required)
   D) Mock review – tenure package (Some advance preparation required)

Please let us know if you have any special needs that will require assistance:

Mail your completed registration form, along with a check for the registration fee (payable to “University of Pittsburgh.”) to

   The Survival Skills Program
   University of Pittsburgh
   4K26 Posvar Hall
   Pittsburgh, PA 15260

Advance registrations must be received by October 20, 2000.