

Taking place next week, on 26th and 27th March 2015:

Invitation to ALL RESEARCHERS across different fields (incl. humanities, commerce and health) to attend an interactive session to find out more about NIH funding opportunities

Next week, on Thursday, 26th and Friday, 27th March 2015, the UCT Research Office will be hosting **GEORGEANNE PATMIOS,** Program Director in the Division of Behavioural and Social Research (BSR), National Institute on Aging, National Institutes of Health (NIH) – see http://www.nia.nih.gov

The BSR supports social, behavioural, and economic research and research training on the processes of aging and both the individual and societal level. BSR fosters cross-disciplinary research, at multiple levels from genetics to cross-national comparative research, and at stages from basic through translational research. For more information, see http://www.nia.nih.gov/about/offices/division-behavioral-and-social-research-dbsr

Interested individuals could attend either one of the two days [repeat line-up]. Further details of the event are as follows:

UPPER CAMPUS:

Date: Thursday, 26 March 2015

Venue: HUMA Seminar Room, 4th Floor, Humanities Building

Time: 09.00 – 12.00

HEALTH SCIENCES CAMPUS:

Date: Friday, 27 March 2015

Venue: MAC club, Barnard Fuller Building

Time: 09.00 – 12.00

Below follows a *draft* programme:

09.00 - 09.45	An overview of the NIH, including application process
09.45 - 10.30	National Institute on Aging: priority areas and funding opportunities
10.30 - 12.00	Open discussion on relevant research interests and expertise at UCT