

**Taking place next week,** on 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> March 2015:

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

**Next week,** on Thursday, 26<sup>th</sup> and Friday, 27<sup>th</sup> 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 <u>http://www.nia.nih.gov</u>

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 <a href="http://www.nia.nih.gov/about/offices/division-behavioral-and-social-research-dbsr">http://www.nia.nih.gov/about/offices/division-behavioral-and-social-research-dbsr</a>

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, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Humanities Building **Time:** 09.00 – 12.00

## **HEALTH SCIENCES CAMPUS:**

**Date:** Friday, 27 March 2015 **Venue:** (exact venue TBC) **Time:** 09.00 – 12.00

## Below follows a *draft* programme:

| 09.00 - 09.45 | An overview of the NIH, including application process                 |
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| 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   |

## **SEATING IS LIMITED!**

Please RSVP to Jess Oosthuizen by Tues, 24 March 2015: jess.oosthuizen@uct.ac.za