



## POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP

### DEEP SOUTH KUH PREMIER RESEARCH – INTERDISCIPLINARY MENTORED EDUCATION (PRIME) TRAINING

NIH - NRSA TRAINING GRANT - TL1 DK139566

Earliest available start date – January 1, 2024

(3 post-doctoral positions available)

NIH-funded training grant post-doctoral fellowships are available for research training in the areas broadly related to **Kidney, Urology, and non-malignant Hematology diseases**. Trainees will pursue a one to two-year research program in the laboratory of an established basic or clinical research mentor, supplemented with training in advanced biostatistics and bioethics courses.

Trainees will be required to carry out an independent research project in the laboratory of a faculty mentor - a basic scientist or clinician investigator experienced in kidney, urology and non-malignant hematology disease-related research at **Augusta University (AU), Tulane University (TU) or The University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB)**. Current areas of research interest include renal transport physiology, acute and chronic kidney disease, diabetic kidney disease, cell and developmental biology pertaining to the kidney, polycystic kidney disease, hypertension, glomerular diseases, dialysis-related vascular access, lower urinary tract disease, inflammation and immunology, red cell pathology, nephrolithiasis, genetic diseases, sickle-cell disease, basic and clinical research in transplantation and outcomes/epidemiology research.

Selection of trainees is based on the demonstrated ability of the candidate and trainee's career plan and potential for an academic career. Applicants *must be United States citizens or permanent residents and have completed their MD or PhD by the start date of the fellowship*.

Interested applicants should submit:

1. NIH style biosketch
2. Research project summary, not more than one page
3. Personal statement detailing career goals and interests, and the impact the TL1 would have on career direction and development
4. Mentor statement and biosketch
5. Arrange for 2 recommendation letters to be sent directly to Monica Vasiliu, PhD ([mvasiliu@uab.edu](mailto:mvasiliu@uab.edu))

**Please submit all documents as a single PDF file via email to Monica Vasiliu, PhD: [mvasiliu@uab.edu](mailto:mvasiliu@uab.edu)**

AU, TU and UAB are equal opportunity employers and applications from qualified under-represented minorities and women are strongly encouraged. This will be a Post-Doctoral Trainee appointment.

**SUPPORT:** Includes stipend that follows with NRSA levels, health insurance, partial tuition and fees, \$1,000 travel funds and \$2,500 in childcare costs.

**For questions – Contact:**

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**APPLICATION  
DEADLINE:  
December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023 @  
5:00PM CST**

