



Division of Graduate Medical Sciences

Office of Professional Development and Postdoctoral Affairs

The OPDPA Professional Development Series aim to provide the postdocs and Ph.D. students with information and resources and to exchange of ideas and the intellectual enrichment of the trainees' community.

Title: *Future of Research Symposium-Keeping the Conversation Going*

Speakers: Olga Novikov MD/PhD candidate, Sarah Mazzilli, Ph.D.,
Amanda Watkins, Ph.D., Isabel Dominquez, Ph.D.

Date: Thursday, October 30, 2014

Time: 4:00 – 5:00 P.M.

Location: Room L-203, BU School of Medicine, Instructional Bldg.

RSVP: Yolanta@bu.edu Refreshments will be served

Description: To fix something you must first understand why and how it is broken. On October 2nd-3rd, 2014, a symposium was held at Boston University organized by post-docs from Boston-area universities. The objective was to discuss the future of academic research-not just in a vague, big-picture manner, but pin-pointing the questions and problems to better answer them and make them actually solvable. Our panel will focus on highlighting the main questions and problems brought up at the symposium. In addition, we will relay the solutions proposed.



Yolanta Kovalko, Administrative Manager
Office of Professional Development and Postdoctoral Affairs
Boston University School of Medicine
Division of Graduate Medical Sciences
72 East Concord Street, L-317
Boston, MA 02118
[\(617\)638-5244](tel:(617)638-5244)
Yolanta@bu.edu