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# Grant Writing Academy for Child Development Researchers: A Three-Part Webinar Series

**Week 1:** September 18, 2023 1-2:30 p.m. ET | **UPDATE: Week 2:** September 29, 2023 1-2:30 p.m. ET | **Week 3:** October 2, 2023 1-2:30 p.m. ET.

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Week 1:

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2023 1:00PM TO  
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2023 2:30PM

UPDATE - Next Sessions:

2023-09-29,13:00:00-14:30:00 EDT

2023-10-02,13:00:00-14:30:00 EDT

Where?

Online

Cost:

\$55-\$200 USD

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## Grant Writing Academy for Child Development Researchers Three Part Webinar Series

**Certificates of Completion issued by the Grant Writing Training Foundation will be given to individuals who participate in all three live sessions.**

Join us on this grant-writing journey. This three-part program will cover the basics of researching and writing highly competitive grant applications for child development research. Take all three webinars and receive a Certificate of Completion from the Grant Writing Training Foundation. Resource files will be provided after each session, in addition to a recording of the most recent session. If you cannot make a session, no problem. Simply review the recordings to catch up on what you may have missed. However, the Certificate of Completion is only offered to those who attend the live sessions. Led by [Dr. Beverly A. Browning](#).

### Registration Prices

Status	Price Per Week	All Three Weeks
<b>SRC Member</b>	\$55	\$150
<b>Non-Member</b>	\$75	\$200

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Participants with high due diligence will demonstrate the following learning objectives:

## Learning objectives by week:

## Week 1: September 18, 2023 1-2:30 p.m. Eastern

- Understand the concept of a Theory of Change and its importance in program and project planning.
- Identify key stakeholders and their roles in the planning process.
- Demonstrate the ability to engage stakeholders effectively in developing a Theory of Change.
- Apply critical thinking skills to analyze stakeholder input and incorporate it into program and project planning.
- Develop a comprehensive Theory of Change that aligns with the goals and objectives of the program or project.
- Understand the purpose and benefits of government grants.
- Identify relevant government grant opportunities for a specific project or organization.
- Utilize various research methods and tools to gather information on government grants.
- Evaluate eligibility criteria and application requirements for government grants.
- Develop effective strategies for navigating the government grant application process.
- Understand the purpose and components of a Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) in the National Institutes of Health (NIH) context.
- Analyze and interpret the requirements and guidelines outlined in Subject Area NOFO.
- Identify the critical elements of a competitive grant application based on the NOFO.
- Evaluate the alignment between a proposed project and the goals and priorities outlined in the NOFO.
- Provide constructive feedback and recommendations for improving a grant application based on the review of the Subject Area NOFO.

## UPDATE: Week 2: September 29, 2023 1-2:30 p.m. Eastern

- Understand the role of foundations in grant funding.
- Identify relevant foundation grant opportunities for a specific project or organization.
- Utilize various research methods and resources to gather information on foundation grants.
- Evaluate eligibility criteria and application requirements for foundation grants.
- Develop effective strategies for approaching and engaging with foundation grantmakers.
- Understand the purpose and components of foundation guidelines specific to childhood development grantmaking.
- Analyze and interpret the requirements and guidelines outlined in a Foundation Guidelines document.
- Identify the critical elements of a competitive grant application based on the foundation's priorities and focus areas.
- Evaluate the alignment between a proposed project and the goals and priorities outlined in the Foundation Guidelines.
- Provide constructive feedback and recommendations for improving a grant application based on the review of the Foundation Guidelines.
- Understand the importance of conducting a comprehensive assessment before pursuing a grant funding opportunity.
- Identify critical factors to consider when conducting a Go/No-Go assessment for foundation and government grants.
- Evaluate the feasibility and alignment of a project or program with the requirements and priorities of a funding opportunity.
- Analyze the organizational capacity and readiness to pursue a specific grant opportunity.
- Make an informed decision on whether to proceed with a grant funding opportunity based on the assessment.
- Understand the importance of building relationships with foundation staff for successful grantseeking.
- Identify strategies and best practices for initiating and maintaining relationships with foundation staff.
- Demonstrate effective communication and networking skills when interacting with foundation staff.
- Understand the role of relationship-building in securing foundation grants.

- Apply relationship-building techniques to establish and nurture connections with foundation staff.

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## Week 3: October 2, 2023 1-2:30 p.m. Eastern

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- Understand the peer review or evaluation criteria used in government grant applications.
- Identify the key components and expectations of each criterion.
- Demonstrate the ability to align the content of a grant application with the peer review or evaluation criteria.
- Develop clear and concise responses that address each criterion effectively.
- Apply persuasive solid writing skills to present the project or program based on the criteria compellingly.
- Understand the structure and components of a foundation research project request

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### Included in Your Training Program:

- Copy of weekly Zoom recording
- Weekly resource files
- Certificates of Completion issued by the Grant Writing Training Foundation will be given to individuals who **participate in all three live sessions.**

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