Dear National Postdoctoral Association Member,

The National Postdoctoral Association (NPA) will be selecting twelve postdoctoral scholars to serve two-year terms on the Postdoc Council Pilot Program, with the possibility of renewal or early termination based on pilot program outcomes. The NPA is looking for postdocs committed to improving the postdoctoral experience for scholars in the United States. We encourage all members of the postdoctoral community to nominate current postdocs for this pilot program. Postdocs are allowed to self-nominate.

The NPA is the nationally recognized leader on postdoctoral issues in the United States and has adopted an ambitious strategic plan to improve upon the current postdoc experience. As an independent 501(c)3 non-profit organization, the NPA is looking to elevate the voice and vision of current committed postdocs who embody the qualities of leadership and teamwork to join this pilot program. We believe that postdocs will find this unique opportunity exciting, beneficial for their growth as leaders, and most importantly, extremely rewarding.

On behalf of the Board of Directors, we invite interested members to submit a nomination online by September 13, 2021. All applicants must be current postdocs who are members of the NPA (both Full, Individual Member or Affiliate Members are eligible). A description of the nomination and election procedures and position requirements can be found here.

If you would like more information or to discuss the postdoc nomination process, please contact Natalia Martin, Ph.D., chair of the Oversight Governance Committee, at oversight@nationalpostdoc.org.

Kind regards,

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