# Continuing Professional Education

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Upon completion of this educational activity, learners will be able to:

- Employ new knowledge and practical management skills critical to a successful career in biomedical research.
- Build effective relationships with peers and faculty that support strategic collaboration, leadership development, and career advancement.

#### TARGET AUDIENCE

This activity should be of substantial interest to advanced graduate students, clinical fellows, post-doctoral fellows and junior faculty of underrepresented minority groups engaged in endocrine related research.

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