

Individual Development Plan for Postdoctoral Fellows

Postdoc Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

Department: _____

Mentor: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

Appointment Date: _____ Review Date: _____

Department Chair Signature: _____ Date: _____

Setting Goals: Research projects

What are the scientific questions that you will be working towards answering in the next year? These may be individual papers (or figures within a single paper) that you aim to publish.

What are the experimental approaches that you are currently pursuing? Are there other approaches that you could try? Are there additional, more promising experiments that you should be doing?

What professional development activities/opportunities (e.g., training, conferences, special projects, etc.) would you like to pursue during the next review cycle that would enhance your performance and skill development?

What month and year do you hope to finish this stage of your training?

Research and Teaching Goals/Objectives	Educational Activities (Courses, Workshops, Conferences)	Benchmarks for Successful Completion	Targeted/Set Dates for Completion	Notes
Goal 1: Specific Objectives: 1. 2.				
Goal 2: Specific Objectives: 1. 2.				
Goal 3: Specific Objectives: 1. 2.				
Goal 4: Specific Objectives: 1. 2.				
Goal 5: Specific Objectives: 1. 2.				
Goal 6: Specific Objectives: 1. 2.				