

Geisel Academy of Educators & Scholars

Foundational Skills Series For Educational Research



January – April 2026 | Every Other Wednesday
Kellogg 201, Geisel School of Medicine, Hanover, NH & Zoom
4:00 – 5:30 pm

OVERVIEW

This Foundational Skills Series on Educational Research offers a comprehensive introduction to the unique principles and practices for Health Science & Professions Educators (HSPEs) hoping to conduct educational research. This six-session program provides the knowledge, skills, and hands-on experience necessary to design, conduct, and disseminate rigorous education scholarship.

Each 90-minute session combines didactic instruction with applied workshops, enabling participants to develop their own research projects throughout the series. Topics progress from situating scholarly interests within the literature through study design, methodology selection, and research implementation, culminating in guidance on funding acquisition and regulatory approval. Each is taught by diverse educators to meet the needs of diverse HSPEs attending these sessions and conducting scholarly work.

SESSION DATES AND TITLES

- **January 21, 2026:** Joining the Conversation: Situating Your Interests in the Literature
- **February 4, 2026:** Can't I Just Write it up? The Importance of Conceptual Frameworks
- **February 18, 2026:** Asking 'How?' and 'Why?': Qualitative Approaches
- **March 4, 2026:** Asking 'What?' and 'How Much?': Quantitative Approaches
- **March 18, 2026:** Interviews, Surveys, or Both? Design Considerations
- **April 1, 2026:** Show me the Money, Gimme a Green Light: Grant Proposals and IRB With Some Help from AI

Please see the registration site for speaker details.

TARGET AUDIENCE

Physicians, Nurses, Pharmacists, Social workers, Dietitians, Allied Health Professionals, Educators for Medical Education & Health Science Graduate and Master's programs, Residents, Fellows, and Educators committed to advancing evidence-based practices for educational research.

Participants completing the series will be positioned to contribute meaningfully to the scholarship of teaching and learning in the health sciences. They will also be eligible for Associate Fellow status within the Geisel Academy community upon completion of the entire series, or for Member status upon attending at least four (4) sessions.

REGISTRATION

The registration fee is waived.

Advance registration is required for planning purposes. Please make every effort to register seven (7) business days in advance of the learning activity. We will not accept walk-in or late registrants on the day of the learning activity.

To register, please visit the event [website](#). For registration questions, please call (603) 653-1234 or email clpd.support@hitchcock.org.

If you need to cancel your registration, please call (603) 653-1234 or email clpd.support@hitchcock.org. Cancellations should be made five (5) business days in advance of the learning activity.

ACCREDITATION

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