UC BRAID Sets New System-Wide Tactics for Accelerating Biomedical Research

The University of California Biomedical Research Acceleration, Integration and Development (UC BRAID) convened for its sixth annual retreat on Oct. 16 with plans to take on new projects that address obstacles to research. Read Story | UC Health

UCSF One of Ten Institutions to Receive Fund to Retain Clinical Scientists

Grants total $5.4 million among the ten award recipients; each school to receive $540K over five years. Kristine Yaffe, MD, CTSI director of Strategic Opportunities Support (SOS) is the program director for UCSF's award. Story via Psych.ucsf.edu | Press Release

Catalyst Winning Team Publishes Findings on Cataract Dissolving Solution

2013 Catalyst Award winners publish major research findings on chemical compound that dissolves protein lumps that result in cataracts. Story on UCSF.edu

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- UCSF CTSI-supported research shows that cutting sugar in kids’ diets improves health in just days. Read story
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- See events and opportunities.

UCSF & Outside Opportunities

- Training in Neurotherapeutics Discovery and Development for Academic Scientists. Application extended to 12/15
- Harold S. Luft Award for Mentoring in Health Services & Health Policy Research. Nominate by 1/15/16
- UCSF Cancer Center Impact Grant, $250K for one selected research project. Apply by 12/18
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