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BOETTCHER FOUNDATION WEBB-WARING BIOMEDICAL RESEARCH AWARDS

2025 Boettcher Webb-Waring Biomedical Research Awards

# Pre-Submission Webinar

Wednesday, December 11, 2024  
1:30 – 2:30 p.m.

## Presenters:

Dan Montez, CU President's Office (Program Manager)  
Lori Sussel, PhD, Anschutz Medical Campus (Selection Committee Chair)  
Chad Pearson, PhD, Anschutz Medical Campus (Selection Committee Vice Chair)

## Staff:

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# Introduction:

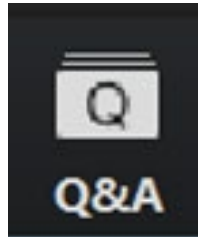
- We hope you had an opportunity to view the informational videos:
  - [Pre-Submission Webinar](#)
  - [Application Process and Tips](#)
- Familiarize yourself with the program's website at <https://www.cu.edu/bfww>

# Today's Webinar will include:

- An overview on updates and items to stress in 2025.
- Q&A Session

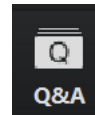
# To Submit Questions

- You may submit a question at any time.
  - Questions will be gathered and answered at the end of the presentation.
  - Just click on the Q&A icon.



- Later, you'll also have a chance to ask your questions live.

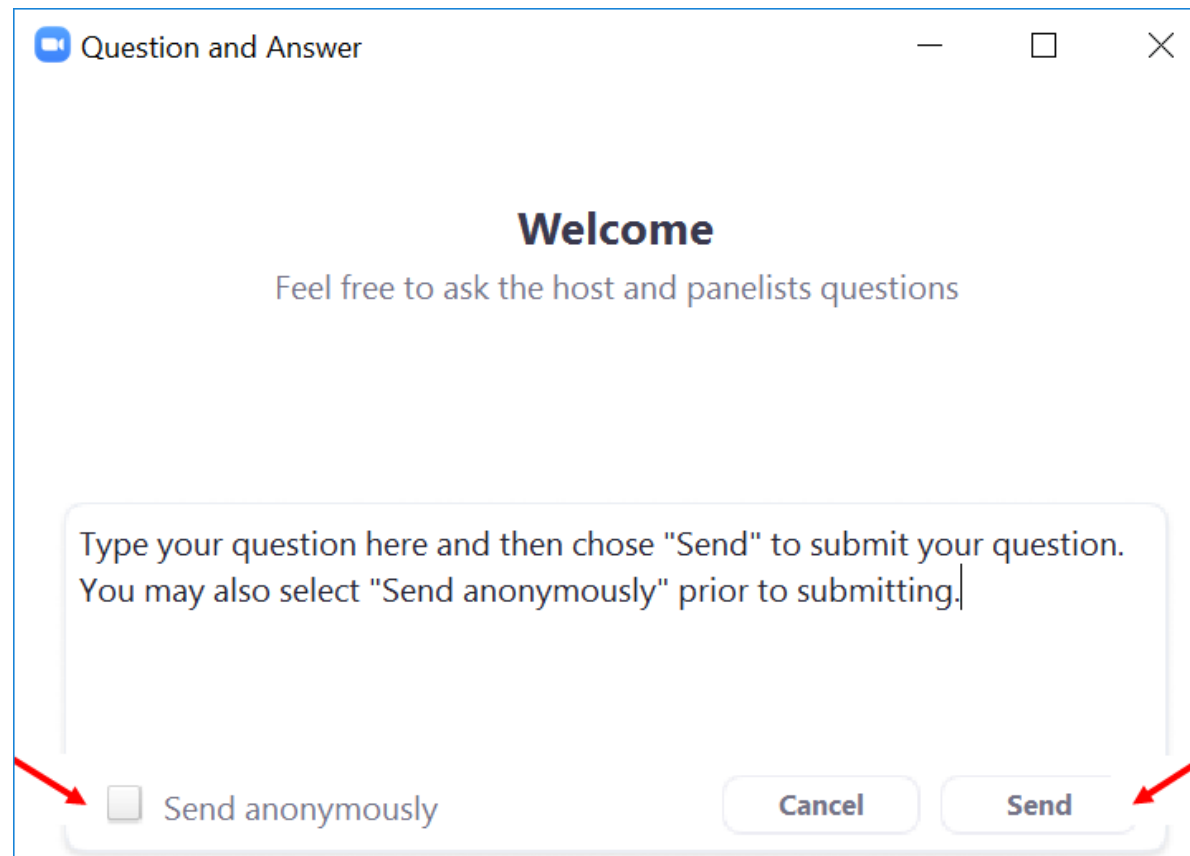
After selecting the Q&A icon,



the screen below appears.

Enter your question and select send.

Questions will be answered as we go or at the end of the presentation.

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# Updates and Items to Stress

# Items to Stress

- ❑ Be sure you are eligible before starting the application process.
  
- ❑ For candidates who have previously applied, received feedback and are resubmitting:
  - a “Response to Prior Year Reviewers” form must be completed; and
  - included with your application - immediately after your cover letter.

# Items to Stress

- ❑ Holders of K99/R00 or equivalent grants can be eligible if they clearly demonstrate that their proposed Webb-Waring Biomedical Awards research is distinct from their R00 funding (and meet other eligibility criteria).
  - Applicants must provide a written summary of the R00 and an explanation discussing how their proposal addresses a novel area of research that will take the applicant into a new research direction (max: 1 page).
  - The form: Supplemental Form for Holders of K99-R00 Grants is in your instructions.
  - Applications with specific aims overlap between the R00 and ECI proposals will be administratively withdrawn prior to review.



# Items to Stress

- ❑ With the exception of K99 or equivalent grants - the major independent award limits are \$175,000 (direct costs only, total for all years).
  
- ❑ When completing research support section, for all past, current and pending research, be sure to include the:
  - total grant amount,
  - start and end dates of the grant, and
  - type of award – either mentored, supervised or independent.

# Items to Stress

- ❑ Follow the formatting guidelines – if not formatted correctly, proposals will be administratively withdrawn prior to review.
- ❑ The career plan is an important criteria.
- ❑ Your departmental commitment is important.
- ❑ Stress how this grant will advance the scope of your work and your lab via:
  - Mentor letter
  - Departmental commitment letter/statement.



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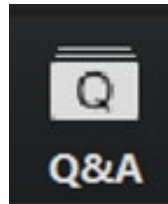
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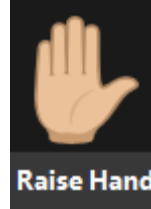
# Q&A

# To Submit Questions

- Click on the Q&A icon to submit a written question.



- Live questions are also allowed.
  - Use raise hand feature to be recognized.



- If we run out of time, we will continue to gather your questions and send answers to all via email.
- Reminder: FAQs on the Website at <http://www.cu.edu/bfww/FAQs>

# Wrap-Up

- Thank you to Dr. Lori Sussel and Dr. Chad Pearson.
- A recording of the webinar and slides will be posted to the BFWW website.
  - <https://www.cu.edu/bfww>
- Please provide feedback – via a short online survey.
  - You will be directed to the online survey at the end of the webinar.
  - Your feedback is important.

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1) On a scale of 1-5, with 1=Poor and 5=Excellent, please rate the following items:

	1	2	3	4	5	N/A
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4) Would you recommend this webinar to others?  Yes  No

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# Thank you!