## **Aspiring PIs Workshop**

October 30, 1:30pm - 3pm

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**Abstract:** This workshop will address important proposal crafting strategies leading to successful CAREER or regular proposals for the FRR program. It is especially focused on topics relevant to Aspiring PIs that have never had successful proposals funded to date. Participants are encouraged to ask relevant questions regarding proposals submitted to the NSF FRR program. Aspiring PIs are expected to attend this workshop either or Day 1 or on Day 2 of the conference.

## Agenda

1:30 - 1:35

Yash Chitalia, University of Louisville

**PM Robotics PD Introductions** 

1:35 - 1:45

**Jordan Berg, National Science Foundation** 

**NSF 101** 

1:45 - 1:55

**Veronica Newhart, National Science Foundation** 

Introduction to NSF FRR

1:55 - 2:10

Harish Ravichandar, Georgia Institute of Technology

**CAREER Awardee Talk** 

2:10 - 2:25

Biyun Xie, University of Kentucky

FRR Unsolicited Awardee Talk

2:25 - 3:00

Huddles with PDs and Awardees Drs. Berg, Newhart, Ravichandar and Xie

FRR Awardee Talk