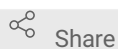




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# Peña Lab Onboarding

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## ABSTRACT

Onboarding for the Peña Lab includes a number of on-line and in-person trainings related to lab safety and animal care and use. It takes many hours to complete the online trainings, and several days for all of the in-person components. **Please plan ahead, and don't save these things for last-minute or you won't be able to work in the lab!**

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## Peña Lab Onboarding at Princeton

Courses for mouse handling, lab safety, and biosafety

Working with Animals

### 2 Complete the required AALAS Learning Library (ALL) training.

Most steps to working with animals are outlined here: <https://lar.princeton.edu/new-researcher>

The information on the required courses and how to register can be found using this [here](https://ria.princeton.edu/animal-care-and-use/training).  
<https://ria.princeton.edu/animal-care-and-use/training> and click "HERE" to access  
<https://sso.aalaslearninglibrary.org/Auth/Logon>

*THIS IS A LOT OF TRAINING. IT TAKES DAYS. Some components are online, some are in person. Please plan ahead, and don't save these things for last-minute or you won't be able to work in the lab!*

2.1 Follow the instructions under "Enroll in AALAS Learning Library."

2.2 Also complete the animal-specific AALAS tracks pertaining to MICE (listed below)  
*This takes ~ 6 hours. Plan accordingly.*

#### **AALAS Princeton/Tracks:**

1. Princeton University ALL / Working with IACUC
2. Princeton University Mouse Users / *Intro to Mice*
3. Princeton University Rodent Colony Management
4. Princeton University Rodent Surgery / Aseptic Technique
5. Princeton University Rodent Surgery / Inhalation Systems for Rodents
6. Princeton University Rodent Surgery / Pain management in laboratory animals

#### **AALAS Princeton/Libraries/Animal Care and Use Courses:**

7. Anesthesia, analgesia, and Surgery/ Humane Endpoints

## 8. Anesthesia, analgesia, and Surgery/ Post-procedure Care of Mice: Minimizing Pain & Distress

### Animal Worker Health & Safety Monitoring

#### 3 Complete Animal Worker Health and Safety training and enroll in medical surveillance for MICE.

- 3.1 Training is accessible on the [EHS website \(link is external\)](#). You will need your net ID and password to log in to the training
  - *BIO-Animal Care Worker*
- 3.2 At completion of training, you will be directed to the [Initial Health History Form \(link is external\)](#). Answer the questions on the form and click on the "Submit" button, which sends the completed form to Employee Health Services.

*NOTE: I am aware that this link may be outdated. If so, skip to the next step to contact UHS/EHS to schedule an in-person health monitoring appointment*
- 3.3 Contact [University Health Services/Employee Health Services \(link is external\)](#) at **609-258-5035** for an appointment. *This appointment is ~20 minutes*
- 3.4 Employee Health Services is located at [McCosh Health Center \(link is external\)](#).

### Animal Facility Orientation

- 4 Complete the **orientation and facility tour process with Susie Chow**, Associate Director, Laboratory Animal Resources. – *CATE WILL HELP SCHEDULE. Walk-through takes ~1 hour*
  - 4.1 Submit an IACUC Amendment and get lab swipe access. *CATE WILL DO THIS*  
**Please email Cate 3 things:**
    1. Your cell phone number
    2. Your ID card (prox) #
    3. The date you completed animal worker health monitoring (step 3)

### Lab & Biosafety online training

#### 5 LAB AND BIOSAFETY ONLINE COURSES

- 5.1 AALAS Animal Biosafety Training Program Introduction (AALAS)

- 5.2 Fundamentals of Lab Safety 1-5 (Employee Learning Center:  
<http://www.princeton.edu/training>)

Lab & Biosafety in-person training

## 6 LAB AND BIOSAFETY IN-PERSON COURSES

- 6.1 Lab Safety (Employee Learning center site:  
<http://www.princeton.edu/training>)
- 6.2 Intro to Biosafety (Employee Learning center site)