EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES:
The IRB is offering several opportunities to learn about the changes, familiarize yourself with the new ERICA application questions, and gain hands-on experience with the new application. Below are the opportunities that are offered. Space is limited for each session, so RSVP soon. If you have any questions, please contact Annie Snow at annie.snow@hsc.utah.edu.

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Presentations: These 60-90 minute presentations will be given by Ann Johnson, IRB Administrator, outlining the changes you can expect to see in the application. There will also be a Q&A session included.

Presentations will be offered on the following dates:
· January 26: 1:00pm
· January 27: 9:00am

All presentations will occur in the Research Administration Building, 1st Floor Conference Room.

In order to RSVP for the presentation, please email Annie Snow (annie.snow@hsc.utah.edu) and specify which date you would like to attend.

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Workshops: These sessions will consist of a block of 2 hours, during which you can work in the application in ERICA one-on-one and in-person with an IRB staff member. They can help you to complete new study and continuing review applications. Computers for access to ERICA will be provided.

Workshops will be offered during the following dates and times:
· January 20: 8:00 – 10:00am; 11:00am – 1:00pm; 2:00 – 4:00pm
· February 10: 8:00 – 10:00am; 11:00am – 1:00pm; 2:00 – 4:00pm
· February 24: 8:00 – 10:00am; 11:00am – 1:00pm; 2:00 – 4:00pm
· March 9: 8:00 – 10:00am; 11:00am – 1:00pm; 2:00 – 4:00pm
· March 16: 8:00 – 10:00am; 11:00am – 1:00pm; 2:00 – 4:00pm

All workshops will be held in the Research Administration Building, 1st Floor Conference Room.

In order to RSVP for a workshop, please email Annie Snow (annie.snow@hsc.utah.edu) and specify which workshop(s) you would like to attend.

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**RATS Classes:** The Research Administration Training Series (RATS) class titled “Understanding IRB Applications in ERICA” is taught each semester. Beginning in 2012, this class will present the new questions in the IRB application. To register for this class, please visit the RATS website, https://education.research.utah.edu.