

# NPRLG Resources Newsletter

May 2020: Remote Mentoring

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Dear NPRLG,

With this message, we're inaugurating a new initiative: **The NPRLG Resources Newsletter**

Each month, we'll be sending one resource on a specific theme. The idea is for each newsletter to spark conversation and for the community to share their own resources/ideas on the month's topic. I'll monitor these discussions and compile resources by theme in the [NPRLG Google Drive](#).

## This Month: Remote Mentoring

This month, on the theme of remote mentoring, the resource I'm sharing is an "**Online Mentoring Checklist for REU Mentors**" that I've developed for the TREND program. I'm sending this as a Word document in case you're interested in adapting it for your own site.

If you want to dig deeper, I'm also linking to two texts that I used to gain insight into putting together the checklist:

[Doctoral E-mentoring: Current Practices and Effective Strategies](#)

[Threads Of Support: Mentoring Of Online Doctoral Students](#)

I couldn't find that many resources on the topic, so I hope to hear insight from other sites!

## Future Newsletters

Planned ideas for future newsletters include: undergrad research mentoring (not just online-focused), tips for preparing NSF reports, best practices for sorting applications, etc.

If you have a resource (developed by/for your site or not) you want to share, or topic ideas, for coming months, let me know.

Best wishes,

Daniel

