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