

RIPPT Consortium Website under ACAPT.ORG.

Overview

Features of the website

The website is located at:

<http://acapt.org/about/our-leadership/consortium/research-intensive-programs-physical-therapy>

The RIPPT consortium website provides the following features.

Feature	Description	Able to Add / Edit / Delete Listings
RIPPT Member Institutions	Institution name, contact info, membership level	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• ACAPT Staff• RIPPT webmaster
PhD Program Listing	A listing of PhD programs suitable for physical therapists to begin a research-focused career, appropriate to prepare faculty for tenure track positions at research-intensive programs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• RIPPT members• ACAPT Staff• RIPPT webmaster
Postdoctoral Fellowship Listing	A listing of funded postdoctoral fellowship opportunities	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• ACAPT Staff• RIPPT webmaster
Listing of Grants	Detailed listing of nationally competitive extramural research funding per program	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• RIPPT members• ACAPT Staff• RIPPT webmaster
Listing of Publications	Detailed listing of indexed, peer-reviewed primary research papers per institution	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• RIPPT members• ACAPT Staff• RIPPT webmaster
RIPPT Consortium General Info	Information RIPPT would like to share publically (published documents, reports, etc.).	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• ACAPT Staff• RIPPT webmaster
RIPPT Consortium Internal Info	Information visible only to RIPPT members (draft documents, board meetings, etc.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• ACAPT Staff• RIPPT webmaster

Joining the consortium

On the front page, there is a form inviting member institutions to join the consortium. These entries are inspected by the RIPPT webmaster and ACAPT staff. ACAPT staff or RIPPT webmaster will contact you to determine which level of membership you are requesting.

Regular RIPPT Membership Qualifications (institutional membership)

Must meet both of the following

- 1) ACAPT members are physical therapy programs that meet the guidelines of a research-intensive program. The guidelines include:
 - Faculty members have access to a PhD or comparable doctoral program (e.g., ScD) wherein they can serve as the primary advisor for the training of graduate students (N.B.: the program need not be within Department)
 - Faculty members have a history of mentoring PhD/ScD students and or postdoctoral trainees
 - The program attracts substantial external research funding

- Research productivity is part of the annual review and criteria for promotion for the research-intensive faculty members (N.B.: research productivity need not be a criterion for every faculty member).
 - Physical space, equipment, and financial resources are sufficient to support the research program
 - At least one faculty member currently has an R01 or equivalent federal level award
- 2) Program is in good standing by contributing RIPPT requested benchmarking data annually

Associated RIPPT Membership Qualifications (institutional membership)

- 1) Programs that are attempting to develop into research-intensive programs.
- 2) Programs that have not contributed requested benchmarking data.

Mailing List member (individual signup)

- Anyone interested in receiving public information about RIPPT meetings, etc.

Viewing Information on the website.

PhD program Listings:

A listing of PhD programs that are suited for research-intensive training of physical therapists is available at:

<http://acapt.org/about/our-leadership/consortium/research-intensive-programs-physical-therapy/rippt-programs/phd-program-listings>

The screenshot shows the ACAPT website's PhD program listings page. A search bar is at the top with a 'Search' button. Below it, a list of programs is shown, including 'New York University - Pathokinesiology', 'University of Southern California - Biokinesiology', and 'University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill - Human Movement Science'. Callouts on the left point to the search bar, the institution name, focus areas, and a 'Details' link. A callout on the right points to a detailed view of the 'Pathokinesiology' program, which lists various attributes like 'DPT-PhD Program Available', 'Area(s) of Focus', and 'Policy for Funding'.

Enter Search Terms and click Search

Name of Institution – Degree Program

Focus Areas

Details

LISTING OF PHD PROGRAMS AND THEIR FOCUS AREAS.
Click for additional details.

New York University - Pathokinesiology
Biomechanics, Motor Control, Musculoskeletal Disorders, Neurorehabilitation
Details

University of Southern California - Biokinesiology
neurorehabilitation, musculoskeletal biomechanics, exercise science, motor development
Details

University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill - Human Movement Science
1) Biomechanics, 2) Neuromuscular Control and Motor Learning, and 3)

PHD PROGRAM LIST

Pathokinesiology

- DPT-PhD Program Available: False
- Must be a PT to enroll: True
- Area(s) of Focus: Biomechanics, Motor Control, Musculoskeletal Disorders, Neurorehabilitation
- Program Director: Wen Ling
- Website: <http://steinhardt.nyu.edu/pt/phd>
- Program Email: wen.ling@nyu.edu
- Avg. time to Degree (yrs): 5
- Students Enrolled (total): 5
- Typical # Admitted / yr: 1
- Program Format: Either
- PhD Program Structure: Program is in the same department or division as the PT program in the institution
- Policy for Funding of Part Time PhD Students: Student Pays Tuition and Fees – little or no funding support
- Policy for Funding of Full Time PhD Student: Other

RETURN TO THE LIST >>

Sample PhD program Listing Details

Screenshot of PhD program listings

To clear a search and see all listings, leave the keyword area blank and click Search.

Benchmark Listings

The screenshot shows the ACAPT website's 'Benchmark Listings' page. At the top, there is a navigation bar with 'HOME', 'CONSORTIA', 'RESEARCH-INTENSIVE PROGRAMS IN PHYSICAL THERAPY', and 'BENCHMARK LISTINGS'. Below this is a search area with a dropdown menu set to 'The Ohio State University' and a 'Go' button. A 'Search by Keyword' field with a 'Search' button is also present. The main content area displays 'Publications for The Ohio State University' with search terms: 'ADDRESS: (ohio state SAME physical therapy)', search dates: '11/4/2015 12:00:00 AM to 11/4/2015 12:00:00 AM', and statistics: 'Number of Publications: 132', 'Number of Citations: 2828', 'Citations per item: 21', 'H-Index: 28', and a link to a 'Web of Science report'. Below this, there are sections for 'Grants for The Ohio State University' with details for three different grants, including investigator names, titles, grant numbers, and amounts.

Choose an institution to see the publications and grants for that program. There is a summary of publications along with a link to a pdf file for a web of science report for that program. This pulls up a standard report for that institution's publications for the reporting period.

Below this box is a list of all grants for this institution. You can use this list to find likely collaborators at that institution. You can also see the overall size of the award, as well as how much of that is attributed to the PT program.

This close-up shows the search interface. It features a dropdown menu labeled 'Select an Institution...' with a 'Go' button. Below it is a text input field containing the search term 'spinal cord' and a 'Search' button.

Grants for Boston University

Grant's Home Institution: This Institution
Grant's Home Department:
Multicenter Clinical Trial: True
Investigator / Role: Theresa Ellis
Title: Spinal Cord Injury Coach to Promote Self-Care and Pressure Ulcer Prevention
Grant Number / Agency: Other
Start (Duration): 2
Amounts: 300000 Total Award: 300000 Current Year: 0, Amount to PT Program: 17018
Additional Information:

Grants for The Ohio State University

Grant's Home Institution: This Institution
Grant's Home Department:
Multicenter Clinical Trial: True
Investigator / Role: John Buford
Title: Spinal Cord Injury Training Program
Grant Number / Agency: Other
Start (Duration): 4
Amounts: 1500000 Total Award: 1500000 Current Year: 0, Amount to PT Program: 19174
Additional Information:

Grants for University of Illinois at Chicago

Grant's Home Institution: Another Institution
Grant's Home Department:
Multicenter Clinical Trial: True
Investigator / Role: Thomas (George) Hornby
Title: Department of Defense Spinal Cord Injury Clinical Trials Award - Monoaminergic Modulation of Motor Function in Incomplete SCI
Grant Number / Agency: SC100265(W81XWH-11-1-0642) DOD
Start (Duration): 4
Amounts: 1200000 Total Award: 1200000 Current Year: 0, Amount to PT Program: 0
Additional Information:

There is also a search feature. When a particular institution is selected, the search is confined to that institution. To search across institutions, put the dropdown list back at the top where it says select an institution, and then enter search terms, such as spinal cord, to find relevant entries across institutions.

To see all listings, leave the search area blank, make sure no institution is selected, and click Search.

Postdoc Listings

Hit the button that says view postdoc listings. A list of postdoctoral fellowships will appear. Click on the title to see more information.

Data entry for RIPPT member institutions

PhD program data entry instructions

Click on the button called Add / Edit / Delete Entries and Login with your credentials. For the listing(s) under RIPPT PhD Program, you can **Add a Phd Program**, or **Edit** or **Delete** existing entries. The PhD Program form is shown on page 8.

Please note that, for simplicity, we are calling this a PhD program listing. If your program actually confers a different degree, like an EdD, that is fine. What matters is that the program is designed to train faculty to succeed at the kind of institution that would qualify for RIPPT membership. Regardless of the degree, if the nature of training received by students in your program makes it unlikely they would be among the faculty who qualify a program for RIPPT membership, then your program should not be listed here.

Enter the basic information for the name of the program, the title that appears on the transcript, matriculation options, and areas of focus. The name of the PhD program and the areas of focus will be shown on the main public listing. Please keep the areas of focus short, in keyword style (e.g., biomechanics, health services, neurologic rehabilitation, basic neuroscience). Please do not provide written descriptions in narrative style. People can go to your website for that level of detail. Provide the name of your PhD program director, the PhD program's website, and the email for interested students to contact.

Put in the basic information about program format, time to degree, students admitted per year, and total enrollment. We understand these numbers vary – make your most accurate estimate based on recent history.

Provide selections for your PhD program structure and policies for funding PhD students. Explain "Other" answers in the boxes below. Select available funding sources for your students, and press submit.

Publication data entry instructions

Use web of science or whatever database best captures the publications from your program. We are asking for the **most recent five years**. Once you have a report that captures the standard data above, save it to a pdf file by choosing print – pdf from the print menu, or by taking a screen shot, pasting into a word processor file, and saving as pdf. You need not save all pages, just enough to verify the search so it could be independently reproduced.

Once you have your data, login with your RIPPT institutional membership. In the listing under RIPPT Publications, you can **Add a Publication**, or **Edit** or **Delete** existing entries. The publication data entry form is shown on page 8.

Type in the Search Terms used along with the start and end dates covered by the search along with the results. Put in the summary data as requested about your program's overall publication productivity and impact. Then upload the pdf file for verification and submit.

Postdoc Listings

Click the button to Enter a PostDoc. When you submit the data, it will be sent to the webmaster. It will be posted shortly thereafter. When the position is filled, please notify the webmaster, and it will be deleted. A self-management feature akin to the other listings might be implemented someday, but this is not in the immediate plans. For now, this page provides the necessary function.

Grant Data Entry Instructions

Once you have your data, login with your RIPPT institutional membership by clicking the Add/Edit/Delete Entries button. The grant entry form will then appear. A sample is shown on page 8.

Enter the name and email of the contact person for your institution. The home department of the grant should be indicated. If this is not your department, when you click that choice, a box will appear for you to enter that department's name.

If the PI/PD of the grant is at your institution, choose that option. If the PI/PD is at another institution, choose Another Institution. In this case, the field labelled Grant's Institution will appear, and you can enter the institution's name there.

Indicate whether or not the grant is a multicenter clinical trial.

For investigator name, put the name of the faculty member in your department and choose his/her role. If you have multiple investigators in your department on one grant, enter the name of the senior / lead investigator here, and list additional faculty and their roles in the field labelled "additional information."

Enter the grant's title exactly as it would appear in the funding agency's records. The grant number should be the number used by the funding agency, not the internal number assigned by your institution. Include prefixes such as R01, K08, etc., where appropriate. If the funding agency is NIH, the list of institutes will appear and you should select the appropriate one. Otherwise, choose the federal agency. If the federal agency is not listed, choose other and provide the official name of the sponsor in the field marked Other Funding Agency.

Enter the start date for the most recent period of support. For example, an R01 in its third renewal may have started in 2008, but its most recent renewal was in 2018; enter the start date in 2018 when the new award period began. For number of years, enter the total number of years in the current award (not the total number of years the grant has been running).

The total award dollars should include the entire award allocated to your institution, including indirect costs, for the current award. The current year should include the actual expenditures in the most recent budget year completed.

For the amount credited to PT, if the PI/PD is in PT and the grant's administrative home is also in PT (i.e., the same administrative unit), this should be the same as the current year. If the grant's home is in another department, then enter the salary recovery that pays faculty and staff employed through the PT program's administrative unit, plus the percent expenditure allocation credited to PT for all non-salary and non-equipment costs in the most recent budget year. For example, a grant has its home in another department, and there is on PI and 2 co-I's. Both co-I's are PT faculty. The university allocates 60% award credit to the other department (which provides the lab) and 40% to the PT program. The amount credited to PT would be the actual salary and benefits paid to the PT faculty from the grant, plus 40% of all other direct costs that were not salary or equipment. The idea is to provide a reasonable representation of the financial impact associated with and credited to your program.

Additional information should only be provided when needed. Good uses are to list additional faculty in the PT program on this same grant or to clarify dollar amounts where the guidelines provided above do not fit the situation and an alternative approach was required.

When you finish entering your grant, hit the submit button, and you will be returned to the list of entries for your institution. Here, you can add the next grant, and so on, until you are finished. **NOTE: Ignore the instructions built into the form saying not to hit the submit button. We are trying to get this removed.**

Data Editing

During the initial phase, only RIPPT member institutions will have institutional login privileges for the ACAPT site, and those privileges only provide access to features for the RIPPT consortium. Once ACAPT and its web development partner (myriad media solutions) have experience with the success of these features, the intent is to rollout this capability to all ACAPT member institutions, with access to specific pages like ours limited to ACAPT members who are also RIPPT members. At that stage, the login procedure might change somewhat. For now, the login is actually a feature limited to the RIPPT consortium members and accessed directly only on the RIPPT consortium page.



At ACAPT.org, under “About, go down on the list to ***Our Leadership, Consortia, Research Intensive Programs in Physical Therapy, RIPPT Login***. Or, from the RIPPT pages, hit the Add/Edit/Delete Entries button.

At the RIPPT Login page, your “email” is not really your email, it is a fictitious email address based on your institution’s domain. This, along with a password, has been sent to each RIPPT member institution. Anyone at your institution may use these credentials for the RIPPT consortium. Updates will be sent to your RIPPT representative at the actual email for your rep, which we have on record.

Once you are logged in, you will see a listing of entries for PhD programs, publications, and grants associated with your institution, as shown below. The Edit button retrieves the form with your data as entered, where you can make changes. The delete button will delete that entry. You will be asked once if you are sure. If you confirm, the data cannot be retrieved. You will need to re-enter. For each list, there is an also an option to add an entry. This will take you to the respective data entry form. Samples are shown on page 8.

	Institution	Number of Publications:	Number of Citations	Citations per Item	H-Index
Edit	The Ohio State University	132	2828	21	28

	Institution	Grant Title	Contact Name	Contact Email
Edit	The Ohio State University	Behavioral and cellular determinants of treadmill training and recovery after SCI	John Buford	buford.5@osu.edu
Edit	The Ohio State University	Visual Interference Neuromuscular Training Effects on Movement Performance	John Buford	buford.5@osu.edu
Edit	The Ohio State University	Visual Interference Effects on Lower Extremity Neuromuscular Control	John Buford	buford.5@osu.edu
Edit	The Ohio State University	Refinement of an innovative outcome measure to define disease progression in spinal muscular atrophy type1 for use in the home or clinic	John Buford	buford.5@osu.edu
Edit	The Ohio State University	A low-cost virtual reality gaming platform for Neurorehabilitation of Hemiparesis	John Buford	buford.5@osu.edu
Edit	The Ohio State University	Video game based treatment of the upper extremity in progressive multiple sclerosis	John Buford	buford.5@osu.edu

PHD PROGRAM DATA ENTRY

1. Admissions criteria are suitable for students with a PT degree
 2. PhD-trained PTs can serve as primary advisors for PhD students in the program

Name of Institution *

Name of PhD Program *

Health and Rehabilitation Sciences

Title of Degree as listed on the Diploma or Transcript *

PhD in Health and Rehabilitation Sciences

DPT-PhD Program Available
 Must be a PT to enroll

Area(s) of Focus *

Neuroscience, Neural Rehabilitation, Spinal Cord Injury, Biomechanics (Shoulder, Hip, Knee, Gait), Degenerative Neurologic Diseases, Pediatrics (motor development),

Program Director *

James Onate, PhD

Program Website *

https://hrs.osu.edu/academics/graduate-programs/phd-in-health-and-rehabilitation-sciences

Program Email for Contact *

Jaclyn.cresswell@osu.edu

Program Format *

Full Time Only
 Part Time Only
 Other

Avg. time to Degree (yrs) * 5 Students Enrolled (total) * 30 Typical # Admitted / yr * 6

PT PhD Mentor

PT Faculty can be Primary Advisors in the PhD Program

Program Format *

What is Your PhD Program Structure *

Program is in the same department or division as the PT program in the institution
 Program is in a different department/division in the institution

Program is administered by more than one department - PT program is a member of the administrative group
 Program is interdisciplinary - PT program is not administratively involved
 Other

Describe your Program's Administrative Structure

TYPES OF FUNDING FOR FULL TIME STUDENTS

Teaching Assistants in PT Program
 Teaching Assistants in Other Programs
 Research Assistant with Faculty Advisor
 Position on Training Grant
 Direct funding from Program, Dept, or College
 Program, Dept, College, or University Fellowship Competitions
 Other

Describe other types of funding for Full Time PhD Students

TYPES OF FUNDING FOR PART TIME STUDENTS

Teaching Assistants in PT Program
 Teaching Assistants in Other Programs
 Research Assistant with Faculty Advisor
 Position on Training Grant
 Direct funding from Program, Dept, or College
 Program, Dept, College, or University Fellowship Competitions
 Other

Describe other types of funding for Part Time PhD Students

Submit

EDIT PUBLICATION DATA

RIPPT Benchmark Data Entry: Publications

Name of Institution *

Search Terms

ADDRESS: (ohio state SAME physical therapy)

Enter the search terms you used to find the publications from your program

Start Date * 11/04/2015 End Date * 11/04/2015

This date when your search begins, typically when your program was founded... End date for your search

Publications *	Citations *	Citations (non-self) *
132	2828	2748
<small>How many publications have come from your program</small>	<small>Sum of Times Cited</small>	<small>Sum of Times Cited without self-citations</small>
Citing Articles *	Citing Articles (non-self) *	Avg. Citations per Item *
2392	2390	21
<small>Sum of Times Cited without self-citations</small>	<small>Sum of Times Cited without self-citations</small>	<small>Sum of Times Cited without self-citations</small>
H Index *		
28		
<small>Sum of Times Cited without self-citations</small>		

Current Doc : File Title PDF Report from Web of Science *

[Choose File](#) No file chosen

This area goes to a job or into a custom shell and cannot be used for a job or another program. All you need to see is the upper part of the web of science report that has the graphs and the calculations.

ENTER GRANT DATA

RIPPT Grant Data Entry

If you notice an error in your contact information, please let us know so we can change it.

Contact Name

Contact Email

Grant's Home Department *

Same Administrative Unit as PT Program
 Other Department at Institution

Grant's Home Institution *

This Institution
 Another Institution

Multicenter Clinical Trial *

Yes
 No

Investigator Name *

Invest. Role *

Choose...

PT Faculty member with role on grant

Grant Title *

Grant Number

Funding Agency

Select a Funding Ager

Start Date * 03/30/2018 Total Award Yrs * 0 Total Award \$ * 0

The date when your search begins, typically when your program was founded... include indirects

Current Year \$ * 0 Amount Credited to PT \$ * 0

Include Indirects. Enter 0 for NCE. Same as Current Year if PT Dept is grant's Home. Otherwise, Salary/Benefits to PT Faculty plus % remaining Direct Costs Credited to PT.

Additional Information

Submit

Ignore This Text

Use the "Add Grant" button to add as many grants as you have for your institution. Do not hit the submit button until all of your grants are entered.

Screen Shots of RIPPT Data Entry Forms