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BUILDING A SKILL SET FOR SUCCESSFUL BME RESEARCH CAREER: FOCUS ON EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE

ABSTRACT: Merriam-Webster defines Research as the "investigation or experimentation aimed at the discovery and interpretation of facts...." and "the collecting of information about a particular subject." A good researcher is therefore equipped with inquisitiveness, resilience, patience, meticulousness, and thoroughness. Additionally, the ability to discover certainly empowers research.

Research and innovation in biomedical engineering are multidisciplinary in nature requiring unique communication and teamwork skills founded on the value of diversity. The capacity of

building bridges between disciplines, professional cultures, and healthcare stakeholders is therefore essential to meet biomedical engineering focused research goals.

Hence, a successful researcher possesses ultimate inherent people skills with the ability to build and guide research teams. This interactive discussion will focus on the importance and benefit of using emotional intelligence to assure success in research and beyond by communicate effectively, overcoming challenges, and defusing conflict among others.

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