Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI) Instructions for Animal Researchers

To enroll in and access the appropriate training modules, proceed with the following steps:

1. Go to the Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative website (www.citiprogram.org).
   - a. For new users, click on “Register,” Continue to Step 2 (below).
   - b. For existing users:
     i. Log in with your user name and password
     ii. Choose University of Mississippi - Oxford Courses
     iii. Choose “Add a Course”

2. Select your Organizational Affiliation (University of Mississippi - Oxford), agree to Terms of Service, affirm your affiliation with UM, and click "Continue to Create Your CITI Program Username/Password."

3. Enter your personal member information in Steps 3-6 and click “Continue to Step 7”.

4. On the Select Curriculum page:
   - a. Question 1: Select "Animal Care and Use," "Laboratory Chemical Safety," and "Biosafety and Biosecurity"
b. Question 7: Select the appropriate modules for the project you will work on:
   i. Working with the IACUC is required for **everyone**.
   ii. Species specific (or Wildlife) module most relevant to your research is required for **everyone**.
   iii. Aseptic Surgery, Pain and Distress modules are required if your research involves surgical procedures.

   ![Select Curriculum](image)

   **REQUIRED** for everyone

   c. Question 8: Select the appropriate modules for the project you will work on:
      i. Animal Biosafety is required for everyone.
      ii. Initial Biosafety Training, OSHA Bloodborne Pathogens, Nanoparticles, etc. may be required, depending on the nature of your research.
5. Click on “Complete Registration” or "Next" to begin your training modules.

If you have any questions regarding CITI training please contact the IACUC Office (iacuc@olemiss.edu).