# FERPA Training for Researchers

All researchers listed on this application must have completed FERPA training and submit proof of certification with this application. All training must have been completed within 12 months of the application submission date. If this is a longitudinal request please note that MERI will require an update of certificates every 5 years.

If your institution does not provide a FERPA training, please visit the Michigan Virtual University's site and take their free course  by searching for "FERPA" and enrolling in the self-paced course.