Please note that a faculty member’s research administrator will serve as the liaison on all aspects of the internal application process. If you are unsure of whom to talk to, your department contact can be found at the following link. If you pursue any grant opportunity featured in this report, please contact your research administrator first to formulate a submission plan and timeline.
The UMHS Corporate and Foundation Relations team can assist in this process, including providing direct communication with the funding entity to obtain guidance on project appeal/applicability to the funder, provide examples of previously funded UM proposals, and answer general faculty questions.

Grantor: Pancreatic Cancer Action Network
Grant Opportunity: Career Development
Keyword: $500,000
Award Amount: Basic Science; Cancer; Chronic Diseases; Pancreatic Cancer; Research Grant
Deadline: December 15, 2017

2018 Pancreatic Cancer Action Network Catalyst Grant

https://www.pancan.org/research/grants-program/apply-for-a-pancreatic-cancer-research-grant/
Amount: $500,000 | Duration: Three years
Supports a junior faculty to conduct pancreatic cancer research and establish successful career paths in the field. Proposed research may be basic, translational, clinical or epidemiological in nature and must have direct applicability and relevance to pancreatic cancer.
Application deadline: December 15, 2017

Grantor: Bristol-Myers Squibb
Grant Opportunity: Medical Education Grant
Keyword: Cancer; Chronic Diseases; Immuno-oncology
Award Amount: $250,000
Deadline: November 3, 2017

Bristol-Myers Squibb Independent Medical Education Request for Educational Support--Biomarkers Role in Guiding Cancer Treatment

Therapeutic Area
• Cancer immunotherapy
• Immune checkpoint inhibitors
• Solid tumors and hematologic tumors

Area of Interest
• Current and future role of biomarkers in predicting pan-tumor response to immunotherapy in cancer
• Biomarkers role in guiding cancer treatment
• Biology/foundational knowledge of tumor mutation burden

Educational Design
BMS is interested in supporting a comprehensive educational initiative that includes the following:
• Live satellite symposium at the 2018 American Academy of Clinical Research (AACR) Annual Meeting (April 14-18, 2018)
• With live simulcast during the live meeting
• Plus web-based enduring activity leveraging the medical content from the live meeting

Knowledge, performance and competency based objective outcome measures according to Moore’s Levels 4 are required; Level 5 outcomes are highly favored

Intended Audience (may include, but not limited to): Medical oncologists, oncology pathologists, cytotechnologists, clinical/biomedical researchers and other healthcare professionals interested in personalized medicine and/or biomarker research

Budget/Budget Range
The anticipated program is expected to be achieved with a BMS budget of no more than $250,000.

Single and multi-supported initiatives will be considered.

Deadline for Submission: November 3, 2017 by 5pm ET

Grantor: Be The Match Foundation
Grant Opportunity: Career Development
Keyword: Basic Science; Career Development; Research Grant
Award Amount: $240,000
Deadline: November 3, 2017
The Amy Strelzer Manasevit Research Program for the Study of Post-Transplant Complications (Amy Research Program) is one of the largest and most coveted grants in the field of transplantation. The grant supports the research endeavors of scientists and clinicians early in their careers. Its goal is to launch these young investigators on a life-long journey to discover solutions to potentially life-threatening post-transplant complications such as infection or graft-versus-host disease.

The emphasis on early support attracts new talent to the field and encourages the researchers to focus on these complications throughout their careers. Amy Scholars receive a maximum of $240,000 divided over three years from the Be The Match Foundation. This crucial funding enables the researchers to continue with their projects consistently without having to stop and apply for further financial support.

The research proposal must address complications arising after allogeneic hematopoietic cell transplantation. Post-transplant complications are defined as acute and late complications, including relapse.

Proposals may describe either clinical or pre-clinical investigations. Clinical investigations include observational human research, prospective interventional clinical trials in humans, and ancillary laboratory studies performed in conjunction with a human prospective clinical trial. Pre-clinical investigations include laboratory-based human or animal studies designed to test the mechanisms, safety, and efficacy of an intervention prior to or in conjunction with its application in humans.

Up to three awards will be made, and depending on the number and quality of proposals received, at least one clinical proposal and one pre-clinical proposal will be awarded, for a maximum of $240,000 in support over three years.

Proposals must be submitted by Friday, November 3, 2017.

Grantor: Biocodex Microbiota Foundation
Grant Opportunity: Research Grants
Keyword: Basic Science; Chronic Diseases; Infectious Diseases; Pediatrics & Child Health; Research Grant
Award Amount: $238,321+
Deadline: November 30, 2017
Biocodex Microbiota Foundation International Call for Projects 2018

http://www.biocodexmicrobiotafoundation.com/international-call-projects-2018

The purpose: The Biocodex Microbiota Foundation founds research projects focused on human gut microbiota related to health and disease. Every year, the call for proposals covers a specific theme chosen by an International Scientific Committee. Either clinical or fundamental research proposals can be submitted.

Liver diseases and gut microbiota

This year, the scientific committee has chosen to focus on the liver. The liver is a major organ at the interface between the gut and the whole human body. Beyond the gut itself, the liver is the first gate for the entry of microbiota derived products in the circulation, reaching then all other organs with potential beneficial or detrimental effects.

All types of liver related disease research can be proposed such as cirrhosis, primary sclerosing cholangitis, viral hepatitis, alcoholic liver disease and non-alcoholic fatty liver disease notably.

The maximal duration of the project will be 3 years.

The applicants

The grant is open to physicians, PhD's and Pharm-D's working in the subject area (gastroenterology, pediatrics, microbiology, infectious diseases and internal medicine, etc).

There are no geographic limitations of applicants. Candidates from all countries are potentially eligible.

The annual grant is set at €200,000.

The grant will be awarded to researchers within universities, hospitals or other research settings in order to finance equipment, operations or staffing costs associated with the project. However, the grants will not be awarded to an individual.

Please note the submission deadline: 30 November 2017

Grantor: Bristol-Myers Squibb

Grant Opportunity: Medical Education Grant

Keyword: Cancer; Chronic Diseases; Immuno-oncology

Award Amount: $200,000

Deadline: October 23, 2017
Bristol-Myers Squibb Independent Medical Education Request for Educational Support—Immunotherapy Hepatocellular Carcinoma (HCC)


Therapeutic Area: Oncology
Areas of Interest: Immunotherapy Hepatocellular Carcinoma (HCC)

Educational Design: Comprehensive educational initiative that includes a live satellite symposia at the Society of Interventional Radiology Annual Meeting (March 17-22, 2018; Los Angeles, CA) and web-based, and/or other enduring activities leveraging the medical content from the live meeting.

• The activities should measure improvement of learners’ knowledge, confidence, performance and competency and should achieve at least a Moore’s Level 4 impact.

Intended Audience: Interventional Radiologists, Oncologists

BMS is seeking applications for a well-designed, interactive and engaging satellite symposia live activity to be held at the 2018 SIR Annual Meeting. The activity must include web based/enduring materials that will extend the reach to a broader target audience (i.e., oncologists). The proposals must be focused on appropriate transitions of loco-regional treatment to systemic therapy, and currently available systemic therapies and investigational therapies for advanced HCC, with a focus on review of clinical trial data around efficacy, safety, and tolerability. Available data on monotherapy and combination regimens for such therapies should also be highlighted. Content must be scientifically sound, fair balanced, and current at the time of presentation and tailored for the intended audiences.

Budget: The maximum amount of BMS funding available for this RFE is $200,000.

Single or multi-supported initiatives will be considered.

Deadline for Submission: October 23, 2017 by 5pm EST

Grantor: Lundbeck
Grant Opportunity: Medical Education Grant
Keyword: Chronic Diseases; Epilepsy; Neurological Disorders; Rare or Orphan Diseases
Award Amount: $200,000
Deadline: November 1, 2017
Lundbeck Medical Education Request for Independent Medical Education Grant Proposal--Lennox-Gastaut Syndrome


Therapeutic Area: Lennox-Gastaut Syndrome (LGS)

Objective: The objective of this request for educational grant proposals is to support LGS educational activities that focus on optimizing patient outcomes by diagnosing LGS early. The foundation of the program should inform on recent, relevant literature concerning improved outcomes as a result of accuracy of diagnosis and treatment optimization.

Purpose: The purpose of this request for proposals is to support educational programs in 2018 that will help healthcare providers accurately diagnose and treat LGS.

Potential learner: Healthcare providers who care for epilepsy patients including but not limited to: physicians, physician assistants, nurses, nurse practitioners, pharmacists, residents and fellows in the fields of family medicine, internal medicine, pediatrics, neurology and epileptology.

Potential education format: Enduring online programs only. The successful applicant will be expected to have completed a thorough evaluation designed to follow generally accepted educational and scientific principles. Educational design should include interventions tailored to identify gaps in clinical practice independently. A combination of a variety of formats that facilitate interaction and discussion between learners, the sharing of resources for patients/caregivers and reflection related to learners perceived and real needs specific to providing optimal treatment to patients with LGS should be included.

Multi or sole support.

The budget should demonstrate fiscal responsibility, cost effectiveness and the total budget should not exceed $200,000.

Deadline for application: All proposals to this RFP must be received on or before 8 PM Eastern/5 PM Pacific Time on November 1, 2017.

Grantor: Fannie and John Hertz Foundation

Grant Opportunity: Fellowship

Keyword: Scholarship

Award Amount: $160,000+

Deadline: October 27, 2017
Fannie & John Hertz Foundation Graduate Fellowship Award

http://hertzfoundation.org/

Providing unique financial and fellowship support to the nation's most remarkable PhD students in the applied physical and biological sciences, mathematics, and engineering. Hertz Fellows become innovators and leaders serving in ways that benefit us all.

The Foundation supports graduate students working towards the Ph.D. degree in the applied physical, biological and engineering sciences. These fields include applied mathematics, statistics, and quantitative aspects of modern biology.

Here, "applied" is broadly construed to mean fields of endeavor in which one applies, invents, and/or develops results from the basic physical sciences to generate solutions to problems of comparatively near-term, widespread human interest.

The Foundation's efforts complement the applied physical sciences portion of the NSF’s graduate fellowship program (and the Foundation coordinates with the NSF periodically). The Foundation does not support study in pursuit of the M.D. Degree or work in descriptive biology, although it may support the Ph.D. portion of a joint M.D./Ph.D. study program.

The Hertz Graduate Fellowship Award is based on merit (not need) and consists of a cost-of-education allowance and a personal-support stipend.

The cost-of-education allowance is accepted by all of the participating schools in lieu of all fees and tuition. Hertz Fellows therefore have no liability for any ordinary educational costs, regardless of their choice among participating schools.

In addition to providing the necessary funding along with the research freedom to pursue their PhD, we also provide mentorship and counsel through the lifelong community of peers to which they now belong—the Hertz Community. This Community is comprised of current in-school Fellows who are pursuing their graduate degree, as well as the entire group of alumni Fellows (now totaling over 1,200). When Hertz Fellows complete graduate school, we intend that they do so armed with more than their degree, research experience, and colleagues from that university, but also with a set of collaborators across disciplines, geography, and generations, all ready to help them succeed throughout their careers.

Successful applicants have the choice of two Fellowship options:

Option 1 - Funding from Hertz Foundation only

$32,000/ 9-month personal stipend

Full tuition equivalent

Renewable annually for up to 5 years

$5,000/ year additional stipend for Fellows with dependent children
Option 2 - Coordination with Other Major Fellowship

Often Hertz awardees are also chosen to receive fellowship support from other sources. Hertz supports acceptance of multiple awards and works with each awardee, on an individual basis, to ensure compliance with all funding agencies.

One example of a Coordinated Fellowship:

Coordination with a 3-Year NSF Fellowship

Hertz Period: Full tuition equivalent and $38,000/9-month personal stipend
NSF Period: $6,000/ year supplemental stipend from Hertz
Renewable for up to 5 years
$5,000/ year additional stipend for Fellows with dependent children

The Hertz Fellowship award is renewable annually (upon a showing of satisfactory progress toward receipt of the PhD degree) for a total Fellowship tenure of no more than five years.

Fellows must attend one of the Foundation's currently participating schools, or must petition the Foundation to include a school in the United States that he/she desires to attend.

The next Hertz Fellowship Application due dates for academic year 2018-19 are:
Deadline to submit application: October 27, 2017
References due by: October 30, 2017

Grantors: Breast Cancer Research Foundation and the American Association for Cancer Research

Grant Opportunity: Career Development

Keyword: Breast Cancer; Cancer; Career Development; Chronic Diseases; Research Grant; Women’s Health

Award Amount: $150,000
Deadline: November 9, 2017

Breast Cancer Research Foundation-American Association for Cancer Research Career Development Awards for Translational Breast Cancer Research

http://www.aacr.org/Funding/Pages/Funding-Detail.aspx?ItemID=60#.WcHTCtF1BPZ

The Breast Cancer Research Foundation-AACR Career Development Awards for Translational Breast Cancer Research represent a joint effort to promote and support innovative research
designed to accelerate the discovery, development, and application of new agents to treat breast cancer and/or for pre-clinical research with direct therapeutic intent. Eligibility is limited to junior faculty who, at the start of the grant term, will have completed their most recent doctoral degree or medical residency within the past 11 years. The research proposed for funding must be translational in nature and must have direct applicability and relevance to breast cancer.

The grants provide $150,000 over two years for expenses related to the research project, which may include salary and benefits of the grant recipient, postdoctoral or clinical research fellows, graduate students (including tuition costs associated with graduate students' education and training), or research assistants; research/laboratory supplies; equipment; publication charges for manuscripts that pertain directly to the funded project; and other research expenses.

AACR requires applicants to submit an electronic application by 1:00pm, Eastern Time on Thursday, November 09, 2017, using the proposalCENTRAL website at https://proposalcentral.altum.com.

Grantor: Johnson & Johnson

Grant Opportunity: Career Development

Keyword: Career Development; Women in Science

Award Amount: $150,000

Deadline: October 31, 2017

Johnson & Johnson WiSTEM2D Scholars Program

https://www.jnj.com/wistem2d

The WiSTEM²D Scholars Award is a 3-year monetary prize, which includes mentorship from a STEM2D professional.

As a part of Johnson & Johnson’s commitment to building a diverse WiSTEM2D Community, we are pleased to launch the Johnson & Johnson WiSTEM2D Scholars Program, an award to support women pursuing research in STEM2D.

About the Award: The Scholars Award is a 3-year award in the gross amount of $150,000, which will be paid to the University (the “Recipient”) for the benefit of the J&J Scholar and her research, with the understanding that the Recipient will administer the funds. The Scholars Award will be paid in three (3) installments of US $50,000 per year of the 3-year scholarship period, payable in 2018, subject to compliance with the terms and conditions of the program’s Agreement.

The following award criteria applies:
You must be a woman working in the field(s) of Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics, Manufacturing and Design (STEM2D).

You must be a non-tenured assistant female professor or global equivalent faculty position at the time of application at a tenure granting accredited academic university, institution or design school.

The female scholar should have a minimum degree for the appropriate field:
Science; PhD
Technology; PhD
Engineering; PhD
Math; MS, PhD
Manufacturing; PhD
Design; MA, MS, MDes, MArch, MFA, MLA, PhD

The application period for the 2018 Johnson & Johnson WiSTEM2D Scholars Program awards is open from September 1 to October 31, 2017.

Grantor: McGovern Institute for Brain Research at MIT
Grant Opportunity: Research Prize
Keyword: Basic Science; Neurological Disorders; Prizes
Award Amount: $150,000
Deadline: December 15, 2017

Call for Nominations: 15th Annual Edward M. Scolnick Prize in Neuroscience

https://mcgovern.mit.edu/events/scolnick-prize/call-for-nominations

The Edward M. Scolnick Prize Neuroscience is awarded annually by the McGovern Institute to recognize outstanding advances in the field of neuroscience. The prize, which is endowed through a gift from Merck to the McGovern Institute, consists of a $150,000 award, plus an inscribed gift. The recipient of the Scolnick Prize presents a public lecture at the McGovern Institute for Brain Research in the spring of 2018. A dinner for the recipient and invited guests follows the prize lecture.

Candidates for the award must be nominated by individuals affiliated with universities, hospitals, medical schools, or research institutes, with a background in neuroscience.

Nomination Deadline: December 15, 2017
Grantor: National Palliative Care Research Center
Grant Opportunity: Pilot and Exploratory Project Support Grant
Keyword: Pain & Palliative Care; Research Grant
Award Amount: $140,000+
Deadline: November 6, 2017

National Palliative Care Research Center Junior Faculty Career Development Award

http://www.npcrc.org/content/19/Funding-Opportunities.aspx

The National Palliative Care Research Center (NPCRC) is providing Junior Faculty Career Development Awards to allow junior faculty to have the protected time required to develop and conduct the pilot research necessary to be competitive for larger, extramurally funded awards. Proposed research must focus on improving care for patients with serious illness and their families in one of the three NPCRC key areas of interest: pain and symptom management, communication, and models of care for palliative care delivery.

Award Information: The Junior Faculty Career Development Award provides two years of support for salary and/or research activities to junior faculty in the amount of $70,000 per year (direct costs), plus 10% allowable indirect costs. Awards are not renewable.

Letters of Intent Due: November 6, 2017 5:00 pm EST

Grantor: National Palliative Care Research Center
Grant Opportunity: Pilot and Exploratory Project Support Grant
Keyword: Pain & Palliative Care; Research Grant
Award Amount: $140,000+
Deadline: November 6, 2017

National Palliative Care Research Center Pilot and Exploratory Project Support Grant

http://www.npcrc.org/content/19/Funding-Opportunities.aspx

The Pilot/Exploratory Project Support Grant Program provides funding for investigators performing pilot/exploratory research studies that focus on improving care for seriously ill patients and their families. Investigators must conduct research projects whose purpose is to test interventions, develop research methodologies, and explore novel areas of research that are
directly related to the Center's core mission and stated 3 areas of interest. A condition of funding is a clearly defined plan as to how the investigator will use the results of the project to develop larger, extramurally funded research projects.

Award Information: Awards may be for one to two years in duration and for as much as $70,000 per year (direct costs), plus 10% allowable indirect costs.

Letters of Intent Due: November 6, 2017 5:00 pm EST

Grantor: American Association for Cancer Research
Grant Opportunity: Research Fellowships
Keyword: Basic Science; Cancer; Chronic Diseases; Post-Doctoral Fellowship
Award Amount: $110,000
Deadline: November 1, 2017

American Association for Cancer Research Cancer Interception Research Fellowships

The AACR-Janssen Fellowship in Cancer Interception Research represents a joint effort to encourage and support a postdoctoral or clinical research fellow to conduct basic, translational, clinical, or epidemiological research in the field of cancer interception, which encompasses the areas of prevention, early detection, and early intervention, and to establish a successful career path in this field.

This fellowship provides a two-year grant of $110,000 to support the salary and benefits of the fellow while working on mentored cancer interception research.

AACR requires applicants to submit an electronic application by 1:00 p.m., U.S. Eastern Time on Wednesday, November 1, 2017, using the proposalCENTRAL website at https://proposalcentral.altum.com.

Grantor: Alliance for Regenerative Rehabilitation Research and Training
Grant Opportunity: Pilot Grants
Keyword: Basic Science; Career Development; Regenerative Medicine; Research Grant
Award Amount: $100,000
Deadline: December 1, 2017
Regenerative Rehabilitation Pilot Grants Request for Applications

http://www.ar3t.pitt.edu/pilot/pilot.html

The overarching goal of the Alliance for Regenerative Rehabilitation Research & Training (AR3T) is to expand scientific knowledge, expertise and methodologies across the domains of rehabilitation science and regenerative medicine.

The AR3T Pilot Funding Program supports researchers in the development of innovative, interdisciplinary Regenerative Rehabilitation research projects. AR3T is soliciting pilot grant applications.

Overview: Stem cells interpret mechanical forces in a broad spectrum of ways that can affect their behavior and, ultimately, their ability to drive tissue regeneration. AR3T is looking to support researchers who propose interdisciplinary approaches combining regenerative medicine with mechanical stimulation, with the aim of optimizing outcomes.

The Regenerative Rehabilitation research community will benefit from the development of novel lines of research that incorporate methods utilizing mechanical stimulation of stem cells and/or tissue engineering approaches, and assessing stem cell behavior and/or functional outcomes.

The proposed project must include both a regenerative medicine/stem cell biology component as well as a rehabilitative/mechanotransductive component. Contact ar3t@pitt.edu if you would be interested in forming a collaboration with an AR3T researcher on a proposal.

The goal is to fund researchers who are interested in beginning a career in Regenerative Rehabilitation research or who would like to start a new line of research in this area.

Funding: Three pilot grants of $50,000/year for two years will be awarded.

Letter of Intent Date: December 1, 2017

Grantor: Paul & Daisy Soros Fellowships for New Americans
Grant Opportunity: Fellowships
Keyword: Scholarship
Award Amount: $90,000
Deadline: November 1, 2017

Paul & Daisy Soros Fellowships for New Americans

https://www.pdsoros.org/apply
Every year, The Paul & Daisy Soros Fellowships for New Americans supports thirty New Americans, immigrants or the children of immigrants, who are pursuing graduate school in the United States.

Each Fellowship supports one to two years of graduate study in any field and in any advanced degree-granting program in the United States. Each award is for up to $25,000 in stipend support, as well as 50 percent of required tuition and fees, up to $20,000 per year, for one to two years. The first year of Fellowship funding cannot be deferred.

The application for the 2018 Fellowships is now open and will close on November 1, 2017 at 11:59 pm EDT.

Grantor: Knights Templar Eye Foundation
Grant Opportunity: Career Development
Keyword: Basic Science; Career Development; Chronic Diseases; Genetic Disorders; Pediatrics & Child Health; Rare or Orphan Diseases; Research Grant; Vision, Optometry, Ophthalmology
Award Amount: $65,000
Deadline: January 15, 2018

Request for Applications: Knights Templar Eye Foundation Pediatric Ophthalmology Career-Starter Research Grant

http://www.knightstemplar.org/ktef/grantinfo.html

The Knights Templar Eye Foundation is committed to support research that can help launch the careers of clinical or basic researchers committed to the understanding, prevention and cure of vision threatening diseases in infants and children. We support clinical or basic research on conditions that can advance treatment or prevention. Examples of target diseases/conditions include amblyopia, congenital cataract, congenital glaucoma, retinopathy of prematurity, ocular malformations, congenital nystagmus, and other hereditary eye diseases such as retinal dystrophies or retinoblastoma. Proposals for support of basic research on the eye and development of the visual system are welcome, but these must directly relate to pediatric eye diseases.

Applications will be accepted for only one year of funding, with the project scheduled for completion during the year of funding. The maximum award is $65,000 for one year.

The Knights Templar Eye Foundation, Inc. (KTEF) invites eligible investigators to submit applications for Pediatric Ophthalmology Career-Starter Research Grants for the next award period of July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019. Deadline for receipt of the online submission of the application is midnight CST Monday, January 15, 2018.
Grantor: American Thyroid Association

Grant Opportunity: Research Grants

Keyword: Cancer; Career Development; Chronic Diseases; Research Grant

Award Amount: $57,500

Deadline: January 29, 2018

American Thyroid Association (ATA) Call for Research Grants Proposals

https://www.thyroid.org/professionals/research-grants/

The American Thyroid Association (ATA) is pleased to announce the availability of funds to support new investigator initiated research projects in the area of thyroid function and disease. Topics may include, but are not limited to, Clinical Disorders of Thyroid Function, Iodine Uptake and Metabolism, Pediatric Thyroidology, Thyroid Autoimmunity, Thyroid Cancer, Thyroid Hormone Effect and Metabolism, Thyroid Hormone in Development and the Brain, Thyroid Imaging, Thyroid Nodules and Goiter, Thyroid and Pregnancy. Research awards are intended to assist new investigators, US or international, in obtaining preliminary data for submission of a more substantial application (e.g. to the National Institutes of Health (NIH)). Research grants, up to $25,000 annually, plus 15% for indirect costs for a total of $28,750 will be awarded for up to two year terms. The 2nd year funding is contingent on review of a satisfactory progress report submitted by the funded investigators in the 4th quarter of the first year of funding.

Research awards are targeted for funding of new investigators to obtain preliminary data for submission of a more substantial application (e.g., to the NIH). Interested investigators should submit a brief description of the proposed research by Monday, January 29, 2018.

Grantor: Soft Bones: The U.S. Hypophosphatasia Foundation

Grant Opportunity: Seed Grants

Keyword: Basic Science; Chronic Diseases; Genetic Disorders; Rare or Orphan Diseases; Research Grant

Award Amount: $25,000

Deadline: January 15, 2018

Soft Bones: The U.S. Hypophosphatasia Foundation Research Grant
https://www.softbones.org/

Soft Bones: The U.S. Hypophosphatasia Foundation was founded in 2009 to provide valuable information, education, and support for people living with hypophosphatasia (HPP), their families, and caregivers.

Soft Bones is interested in promoting the development of innovative research by new and established investigators in 2018 and applications for funding are now being accepted. This is a seed grant of $25,000 for basic or clinical research directly related to HPP.

The application receipt deadline is January 15th, 2018.

Grantor: American Association of University Women
Grant Opportunity: Scholarship
Keyword: Scholarship; Women in Science
Award Amount: $20,000
Deadline: November 15, 2017

American Association of University Women American Fellowships Dissertation Fellowships Application


Program Purpose: The program provides fellowships for women pursuing full-time study to complete dissertations, conducting postdoctoral research full time, or preparing research for publication for eight consecutive weeks.

The purpose of the Dissertation Fellowship is to offset a scholar’s living expenses while she completes her dissertation.

American Fellowships are open to women scholars in all fields of study.
Award Amount: $20,000
November 15, 2017, by 11:59 p.m. Central Time: Deadline for online submission of application, recommendations, and supporting documents

Grantor: Association for the Advancement of Medical Instrumentation
Grant Opportunity: Research Grants
Keyword: Acute Care; Quality Improvement; Research Grant
Award Amount: Not Specified
Deadline: December 31, 2017

Association for the Advancement of Medical Instrumentation Mary K. Logan Research Awards

http://www.aami.org/thefoundation/content.aspx?ItemNumber=3960&navItemNumber=3961

All research projects should yield results that can be applied or used by similar healthcare organizations. We are particularly interested in projects that address the current areas of focus of the AAMI Foundation: continuous electronic monitoring of patients on opioids; clinical alarm management; infusion therapy safety in hospitals; transitioning infusion therapy into the nonclinical environment; and improving how clinicians are trained to use complex healthcare technology.

While projects that promise improved methods of patient safety with a defined and direct path to implementation into patient care settings are encouraged, studies of problems for which deeper understanding is needed before effective solutions can be applied are also important.

Because the resources of AAMI Foundation are limited, priority will be given to topics that do not have other available sources for funding. Junior investigators with strong mentorship are encouraged to apply.

Proposals with a low likelihood of funding include those:

Whose results would not have a clear and direct link to near-term improvements in clinical care and patient safety.

That seek to develop products or equipment for commercial purposes.

That are basic science proposals involving cells, tissues, or animals. Whole animal studies may be considered, but only in the rare circumstance in which an alternative testing of a critical patient safety hypothesis in human studies is not feasible.

That would create patient safety education curricula or that propose methods that do not include a rigorous evaluation of content validity and/or benefit.

Poorly conceived ideas, failure to have a clear hypothesis or research plan, failure to demonstrate clearly the relationship of the work to patient safety, or failure to describe methodology will result in applications being rejected or receiving a low priority score.

There will be one or more awards with the total of all awards not to exceed $80,000.

The application deadline is December 31, 2017.