

RFPs for External Non-Governmental Funding Opportunities as of November 1, 2021

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11/8/2021 <i>Sponsor Deadline: 2/2/2022 Limited Submission: Apply through Research Acceleration Office</i>	The Camille & Henry Dreyfus Foundation	<a href="#">Award</a>	\$100,000 (Over 5 years)	Chemistry, Early Career	The <b>Camille Dreyfus Teacher-Scholar Awards Program</b> supports the research and teaching careers of talented young faculty in the chemical sciences. Based on institutional nominations, the program provides discretionary funding to faculty at an early stage in their careers. <b>Nominees must hold a full-time tenure-track academic appointment, and are normally expected to have been appointed no earlier than mid-year 2016.</b>
11/15/2021	Alexs Lemonade Stand Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$250,000	Medical Research, Cancer, Translational	The <b>Innovation Grant</b> is designed to provide critical and significant seed funding for researchers with a novel approach to pediatric oncology scientific investigation. Proposals should have clinical translation in view. This may represent a change in research direction and/or an innovative new idea that moves away from an investigator's prior research but for which a strong case is made for the potential impact on childhood cancers. <b>Applicant may be M.D., D.O., Ph.D, or M.D./Ph.D. Track record of publication and funding productivity in the last 5 years must demonstrate that the project can be accomplished by the investigator(s).</b>
11/15/2021	American Council of Learned Societies	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$45,000	Religion, Journalism, International Affairs	ACLS invites proposals for <b>Collaborative Programming Grants</b> . The program aims to deepen public understanding of religion by advancing innovative scholarship on religion in international contexts and equipping individual scholars and institutions of higher education with the capacities to connect their work to journalism and the media and to engage audiences beyond the academy. Applicants must propose activities that connect humanities and social science programs within their institution with journalism schools, departments, or initiatives, or with external media organizations. Applicants are encouraged to propose activities that build on or extend current curricular and research strengths in relevant disciplinary areas. <b>The project's principal investigator must be a scholar in a field of the humanities or social sciences or journalism.</b>

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11/15/2021	American Foundation for Suicide Prevention	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	<b>Distinguished:</b> \$125,000 <b>Standard:</b> \$100,000 <b>Young Invest:</b> \$85,000 <b>Pilot:</b> \$30,000	Suicide, Social Science, Psychology	Proposals are sought for a variety of Innovation grant programs. <b>Distinguished Investigator Grants</b> provide funding for investigators at the level of associate professor or higher with an established record of research and publication on suicide. <b>Standard Research Innovation Grants</b> provide funding for research to contribute to the understanding and ultimate prevention of suicide, or to the treatment of suicidal individuals. <b>Young Investigator Innovation Grants</b> provide funding to assist new researchers to obtain the advice, guidance and supervision of an established mentor in a selected area of suicide research. <b>Someone who is or has been a PI on an NIH/NIMH research grant or its equivalent does not qualify as a Young Investigator.</b> <b>Pilot Innovation Grants</b> provide funding to provide seed money for projects that show promise in opening up new areas of suicide research. <b>Grants are not intended to support the development or implementation of prevention programs, educational programs, treatments, or other interventions that do not have a significant research component.</b>
11/15/2021 (Concept Paper) 5/15/2022 (Concept Paper)	Gerber Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$350,000 (over 3 years)	Health, Nutrition, Human Development, Infants, Youth	The foundation awards grants for research projects focused on issues faced by care providers that, when implemented, will improve health, nutrition, and/or developmental outcomes for infants and young children. Projects may address etiologic mechanisms of disease; new, improved, or less invasive diagnostic procedures; reduction or elimination of side effects; alleviation of symptoms; new, improved, or less invasive therapies or treatments; dosage or dosing requirements or mechanisms for drugs, nutrient supplementation, or other therapeutic measures (under or overdosing); and preventative measures. Priority is given to projects offering a substantial promise of meaningful advances in prevention and treatment of diseases, as well as those with broad applicability to the general population on a regional or national level.

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11/15/2021 (LOI)	Cancer Research Institute	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$200,000 (over 1-2 years)	Cancer, Technology Development	<b>The Cancer Research Institute Technology Impact Award</b> provides seed funding to address the gap between technology development and clinical application of cancer immunotherapies. These grants aim to encourage collaboration between technology developers and clinical cancer immunologists and to generate the proof-of-principle of a novel platform technology in bioinformatics, <i>ex vivo</i> or <i>in silico</i> modeling systems, immunological or tumor profiling instrumentation, methods, reagents and assays, or other relevant technologies that can enable clinician scientists to generate deeper insights into the mechanisms of action of effective or ineffective cancer immunotherapies. <b>Applicants must hold a faculty appointment as a tenure-track assistant professor (or higher rank) at the time of award activation.</b>
11/15/2021 (LOI)	National MPS Society	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	<b>Tier I:</b> Up to \$200,000 (over 2-4 years)  <b>Tier II:</b> Up to \$100,000 (over 2-4 years)	Medical Research, MPS, Translational	The <b>National MPS Society</b> funds research that may lead to treatments for MPS diseases and solicits applications for innovative research projects that involve basic research, translational studies and clinical research. The Society welcomes submissions of any type, but specifically seeks applications in the current cycle that address those topics listed on their website. <b>Tier I</b> - This award will address complex or multidisciplinary research questions and/or unmet needs in basic, translational, clinical, or diagnostic aspects of the MPS and ML disorders. <b>Tier II</b> - These awards may address any of the following: discreet studies or deliverables involving drug repurposing, models, etc.; research needs designed to make possible a significant and new research grant; research needs designed to improve a resubmission of a significant research grant; analysis of previously compiled data or research resources; pre-clinical extension to an alternate syndrome of a previously validated therapy.
11/15/2021 3/15/2022	Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation	<a href="#">Event Grant</a>	Up to \$75,000	Events, Physics, Scientific Meetings	The <b>Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation Convening Awards</b> support small scientific meetings to promote collaboration and enable a number of individuals to gather and have focused discussions and presentations. Each year, they will fund one grant up to \$75,000 and two additional grants up to \$25,000 to support scientific meetings. <b>Organizers of all nationalities and all physics subfields are eligible.</b>

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11/15/2021 3/15/2022 7/15/2022	The Emily Davie and Joseph S. Kornfeld Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>		Medical Research, Education, Bioethics	The <b>Emily Davie and Joseph S. Kornfeld Foundation's</b> interests include bioethics, palliative care, medical research and education. Grants in the past have been offered in the areas of ALS research, community service, palliative care, education, and more.
11/16/2021 <b>Limited Submission: Apply through Research Acceleration Office</b>	W. M. Keck Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>  <a href="#">RAO Limited Submission</a>	\$1,000,000 (over 3 years)	Basic Science, Engineering, Medical Research	The W. M. Keck Foundation research program funds projects of \$1 million. It has two focus areas: <b>Science and Engineering Research</b> - High-risk/high-impact projects in physical science and engineering that are distinctive and novel in their approach to intractable problems, push the edge of their field, or question the prevailing paradigm. "Transformative" may mean creation of a new field of research, development of new instrumentation enabling observations not previously possible, or discovery of knowledge that challenges prevailing perspectives. <b>Medical Research</b> - Projects that advance the frontiers of the life sciences by supporting basic research that is high-risk and has the potential to transform its field or question the prevailing paradigm. <b>Projects should focus on basic research questions and not be clinical in nature. Projects should also focus on basic mechanisms with broad applications and not specific diseases.</b>
11/16/2021 (LOI) 5/5/2022 (LOI)	Crohn's & Colitis Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$115,830 (over 1 to 3 years)	Medical Research, Inflammatory Bowel Disease, Crohn's Disease, Ulcerative Colitis	The <b>Senior Research Awards</b> program provides grants to established researchers in support of research relevant to inflammatory bowel disease (IBD) or Crohn's disease and/or ulcerative colitis. Funding should be used to generate sufficient preliminary data in order to become competitive for funding generated by other sources such as the National Institutes of Health (NIH). <b>Applicant must hold an MD and/or PhD (or equivalent degree) and must be employed by an institution (public non-profit, private non-profit, or government) that is engaged in health care and/or health-related research. He/she must have attained independence from his/her mentor.</b>
11/16/2021	Parkinson's Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$300,000	Medical Research, Parkinson's Disease, Early Career	The <b>Stanley Fahn Junior Faculty Award</b> acts as a bridge to ensure promising early career scientists stay in the Parkinson's research field, helping us solve, treat and end the disease. <b>Junior faculty members possessing a Ph.D., M.D., or equivalent are eligible to apply. Applicants must meet the National Institutes of Health (NIH) definition of a "new investigator."</b>

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11/17/2021	Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$250,000	COVID-19, Pediatric Health, Social Science, Food Security	The <b>Healthy Eating Research (HER) Special Solicitation: COVID-19 and Socioeconomic Recovery Efforts</b> call for proposals aims to fund research on how COVID-19-related relief and recovery policies and programs impact child health and well-being. HER is interested in understanding how social and economic programs and policies related to poverty reduction—such as financial payments to families, income assistance programs, housing assistance or housing security programs, and increased access to social services—impact child obesity, diet quality, food security, and other relevant child and family health outcomes among lower-income and families of color. Studies must focus on children and families in the United States, with high priority on those who are at highest risk for poor nutrition and obesity, specifically lower-income families and racially and ethnically diverse populations (e.g., Black, Latinx, American Indian/Alaska Native, Asian American, Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander). Evidence generated through this special solicitation should be timely and policy-relevant, and aimed towards identifying equitable policies and programs.
11/17/2021	U.S. – Israel Binational Science Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	<b>BSF Research Grant:</b> Up to \$250,000 (over 2-4 years)  <b>Start Up Grant:</b> \$75,000 (over 2 years)	Biomedical Engineering, Life Sciences, Medical Research, Psychobiology, Early Career	<b>The BSF Research Grants Program</b> funds both U.S. and Israeli scientists who wish to work together. Applications to the program are made jointly by U.S. and Israeli researchers. No prior collaboration is required, but the synergy between the researchers must be evident. For 2021, the following areas of research will be eligible for funding: Biomedical Engineering, Life Sciences, Medicine, Psychobiology. <b>The Start-Up Grant Program</b> is meant to help newly appointed researchers who are beginning their independent research careers and may not yet have initial results to substantiate their application. It is implemented within the framework of the regular BSF Research Grants program, i.e., it must exhibit scientific excellence, have a strong element of cooperation between Israeli and American scientists, and fall within the areas of research supported in that year by the BSF. <b>At least one of the principal investigators should have attained his/her Ph.D., M.D. degree or equivalent, no more than ten years prior to submitting his/her proposal.</b>

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11/22/2021 (LOI)	American Diabetes Association	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	<p><b>JDFN:</b> Up to \$414,000 (over 3 years)</p> <p><b>ICTSN:</b> Up to \$600,000 (over 3 years)</p>	Medical Research, Diabetes, Translational, Early Career	<p>With the <b>2022 ADA Nutrition and Diabetes Research Awards RFA</b> the American Diabetes Association is soliciting research to improve adoption of healthy diets and lifestyles at the individual and community level with interventions tailored to different racial and socioeconomic groups across the life span. Importantly, applicants should indicate how the proposed research will have a significant impact (“move the needle”) on outcomes in those individuals at risk of, or living with, diabetes. <b>Nutrition &amp; Diabetes Junior Faculty Development (JDFN)</b> awards support early investigators as they establish independence as diabetes researchers. <b>Applicants can be any level faculty up to &amp; including Assistant Prof or equivalent, ≤10 years research experience beyond terminal degree.</b> <b>Nutrition &amp; Diabetes Innovative Clinical or Translational Science (ICTSN)</b> awards support research with novel and innovative hypotheses, performed in human subjects, or research approaches to accelerate the transition of scientific discoveries into clinical application. Studies supported with these awards must directly involve human subjects, human samples and/or data, and offer considerable promise for advancing the cure, prevention or treatment. Applications proposing high-risk projects with the potential for high-impact results are encouraged, as are studies that may not be sufficiently developed for traditional funding sources.</p>

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11/22/2021 (LOI)	American Diabetes Association	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	<p><b>JDFPM:</b> Up to \$444,000 (over 3 years)</p> <p><b>ITCSPM:</b> Up to \$600,000 (over 3 years)</p>	Medical Research, Diabetes, Translational, Early Career	The American Diabetes Association is soliciting research proposals that leverage precision medicine-based approaches at all stages in the course type 1 diabetes and type 2 diabetes. <b>Precision Medicine &amp; Diabetes Junior Faculty Development (JDFPM) awards</b> support early investigators as they establish independence as diabetes researchers. <b>Applicants can be any level faculty up to &amp; including Assistant Prof or equivalent, ≤10 years research experience beyond terminal degree.</b> <b>Precision Medicine &amp; Diabetes Innovative Clinical or Translational Science (ICTSPM) awards</b> support research with novel and innovative hypotheses, performed in human subjects, or research approaches to accelerate the transition of scientific discoveries into clinical application. Studies supported with these awards must directly involve human subjects, human samples and/or data, and offer considerable promise for advancing the cure, prevention or treatment. Applications proposing high-risk projects with the potential for high-impact results are encouraged, as are studies that may not be sufficiently developed for traditional funding sources.
11/29/2021	Gerda Henkel Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to €37,200 ~\$44,750 (over 2 years)	Security Policy	The <b>"Security, Society and the State" research program</b> targets new security-related issues that are prime examples of the post-Cold-War era but have been largely neglected in mainstream research. The program is intended to encourage junior scholars to pursue unconventional research agendas that are nonetheless crucial, while providing senior scholars with the opportunity to focus intensively on work in progress for a limited period. Moreover, the objective is to combine basic theoretical research with concepts that are applicable to present-day political issues of security policy.
11/30/2021 <b>Limited Submission: Apply through Research Acceleration Office</b>	NextFifty Initiative	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>  <a href="#">RAO Limited Submission</a>	\$500,000	Community Programs, Aging Population (50+)	<b>Flexible Support grants</b> are restricted to organizations or programs that serve (or seek to serve) older adults, but funds can be used flexibly. Instead of being asked to articulate a specific project plan and budget, Flexible Support grant applicants will be asked about their organization's and/or program's goals and how the funding will support the achievement of those goals.

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12/1/2021	ACI Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$50,000	Engineering, Materials Science	The <b>ACI Foundation's Concrete Research Council</b> is inviting applications for research projects that advance the knowledge and sustainability of concrete materials, construction, and structures.
12/1/2021 (LOI)	Leukemia & Lymphoma Society	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$5 million (over 5 years)	Medical Research, Cancer	<b>Specialized Center of Research</b> brings together established investigators from one or several institutions to develop a focused research program for the treatment, diagnosis or prevention of hematological malignancies. <b>Applicants must hold a PhD, MD, DVM, or equivalent degree and must be affiliated with a non-profit Sponsoring Institution at the time funding commences and for the duration of the award.</b>
12/1/2021 (LOI)	Spencer Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$50,000 (over 1 to 5 years)	Education, Social Sciences	The <b>Small Research Grants on Education Program</b> supports education research projects that will contribute to the improvement of education, broadly conceived for projects ranging from one to five years. The goal for this program is to support rigorous, intellectually ambitious and technically sound research that is relevant to the most pressing questions and compelling opportunities in education. <b>PIs and Co-PIs applying for a grant must have an earned a doctorate in an academic discipline or professional field, or have appropriate experience in an education research-related profession.</b>
12/1/2021 4/1/2022	IBM Center for The Business of Government	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$20,000	Social Science, Government Management, Public Policy	The aim of the <b>IBM Center for The Business of Government</b> is to tap into the best minds in academe and the nonprofit sector who can use rigorous public management research and analytic techniques to help public sector executives and managers improve the effectiveness of government. They are looking for very practical findings and actionable recommendations - not just theory or concepts - in order to assist executives and managers to more effectively respond to mission and management challenges.

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12/1/2021	American Society of Transplantation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$100,000 (over 2 years)	Medical Research, Transplantation, Translational, Early Career	The purpose of <b>Career Development Grants</b> is to foster the training of early career investigators who have the potential to contribute to transplant science/immunobiology and/or treatment of transplant recipients. The grants encourage continued commitment of high-quality applicants to their careers in transplantation. <b>Faculty Development Research Grants are intended for young independent investigators within the first five (5) years of their first faculty appointment, encouraging them to expand on preliminary research findings that will become the basis for individual research or career development awards from the NIH, VA, or equivalent agencies.</b>
12/1/2021 5/1/2022	Environmental Research and Education Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$500,000	Engineering, Biology, Chemistry, Waste Management	The EREF Board of Directors has set an initiative to ensure research funded reflects EREF's long-term strategic plan to address all areas of integrated solid waste management, with a strong focus towards research that increased sustainable solid waste management practices. Pre-proposal topics must relate to sustainable solid waste management practices and pertain to the following topic areas: Waste minimization; Recycling; Waste conversion to energy, biofuels, chemicals or other useful products. This includes, but is not limited to, the following technologies: Waste-to-energy, Anaerobic digestion, Composting, Other thermal or biological conversion technologies; Strategies to promote diversion to higher and better uses (e.g. organics diversion, market analysis, optimized material management, logistics, etc.); Landfilling.
12/1/2021	Myocarditis Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$40,000	Medical Research, Translational	The <b>Myocarditis Foundation (MF)</b> awards funds to support research related to all forms of myocarditis. The goal of MF's research program is to advance medical knowledge on the disease and develop more accurate diagnostic methods and life-improving therapies with the goal of saving more lives. <b>Candidates may apply up to 10 years following receipt of their MD, PhD or equivalent degree.</b>

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12/1/2021 (LOI)	American Brain Tumor Association	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$50,000	Medical Research, Translational, Early Career	The <b>American Brain Tumor Association</b> seeks applications from faculty who propose high risk/high-impact projects with the potential to change current diagnostic or treatment paradigms for adult and pediatric brain tumor care for their <b>Discovery Grants</b> program. Investigators from sciences outside traditional biological fields are encouraged to apply. <b>At the start of the grant term, applicants must hold a full-time faculty position and cannot have held a full-time faculty appointment before August 20, 2010.</b>
12/1/2021	American Association of University Women	<a href="#">Research Publication Grant</a>	\$35,000	Engineering, Physical Sciences, Environmental & Life Sciences Medical Research, Translational, Social Sciences	<b>AAUW's Research Publication Grant in Engineering, Medicine, and Science</b> helps women overcome persistent gender stereotypes and bias in these fields by providing them with funding for research projects that will culminate in scholarly publications. <b>Grants are open to women scholars conducting basic research in engineering, medicine, or the physical or biological sciences. The grantee must publish their research in a scholarly publication and be listed as a primary author.</b>
12/1/2021	Burroughs Wellcome Fund	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$500,000 (over 4 years)	Medical Research, Preterm Birth, Translational, Engineering, Computer Science	The <b>Next Gen Pregnancy Initiative</b> is designed to stimulate both creative individual scientists and multi-investigator teams to approach healthy and adverse pregnancy outcomes using creative basic and translation science methods. The formation of new connections between reproductive scientists and investigators who are involved in other areas is particularly encouraged. Molecular and computational approaches such as genetics/genomics, immunology, microbiology, evolutionary biology, mathematics, engineering, and other basic sciences hold enormous potential for new insights independently or in conjunction with more traditional areas of parturition research such as maternal-fetal medicine, obstetrics, and pediatrics. <b>Proposals can be submitted by individual investigators or research teams designating a contact principal investigator. At least one member of the team must have training and expertise outside the traditional areas of reproductive science.</b>

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12/1/2021	Japan Foundation	<a href="#">Institutional Grant</a>	\$450,000 (Over 3 years)	Japanese Studies	The <b>Institutional Project Support (IPS) Program</b> is designed to encourage innovative and sustained growth of Japanese studies in the United States. Grant coverage may include support for faculty, instructor, or staff salaries, travel expenses, honoraria for lectures, visiting scholar support, graduate and undergraduate support, acquisition of research and teaching materials, conference and seminar expenses, acquisition of library and digital resources. Strong consideration will be given to proposals that identify and respond to national needs in Japanese Studies. Applications that create tenure or tenure-track positions in Japanese Studies are especially welcome.
12/1/2021 (LOI)	Cancer Research Institute	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$200,000 (over 2 years)	Medical Research, Cancer, Translational	The <b>Clinic and Laboratory Integration Program</b> supports investigators who are studying critical topics at the intersection of laboratory and clinical research in immuno-oncology. The program supports pre-clinical and translational research that can be directly applied to optimizing cancer immunotherapy in the clinic. <b>Candidates for a CLIP Grant must hold a faculty appointment as a tenure-track assistant professor (or higher rank) at the time of award activation.</b>
12/1/2021	Institute for Citizens and Scholars (formerly the Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation)	<a href="#">Award</a>	\$17,500	Social Sciences, Arts, Humanities	The <b>Mellon Emerging Faculty Leaders Award</b> supports tenure-track faculty who have passed their midpoint review. Emerging Faculty Leaders may be working in any field of the humanities or social sciences—including, for example, history, sociology, anthropology, literature, art, gender studies, ethnic/diaspora studies, and related fields—with an emphasis on scholarly topics that relate to or provide context for the study of culture, equity, inclusion, civil rights, and education in the Americas. <b>Eligible applicants will be assistant professors in tenure-track appointments who are pursuing tenure. They will have successfully passed the standard third-year/midpoint review or their institution’s equivalent no later than January 31, 2022. Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents of the United States as of December 1, 2020</b>

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12/1/2021	National Blood Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$75,000	Medical Research, Immunology, Early Career	The <b>National Blood Foundation</b> awards early career grants for investigator-initiated original research in all aspects of blood banking, transfusion medicine, cellular therapies and patient blood management. <b>Applicants must be a doctor (MD or PhD) and have completed a terminal research degree or medical residency – whichever date is later – within the past 10 years of the grant application deadline and has not yet been awarded a substantial research grant (i.e. NIH R01).</b>
12/1/2021	Rivkin Center for Ovarian Cancer	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	<b>Pilot:</b> \$75,000 (over 1 years)  <b>Scientific Scholar:</b> \$120,000 (over 2 years)	Medical Research, Ovarian Cancer, Translational, Early Career	The Rivkin Center has multiple streams of funding to support ovarian cancer research. <b>Pilot Study Program</b> awards will support investigator initiated projects in all areas of ovarian cancer research. In addition, projects designed to analyze data from already funded clinical trials will be considered. <b>Scientific Scholar Awards</b> are intended to assist promising laboratory and clinical scientists in pursuing a career as an independent investigator in ovarian cancer research. <b>Candidates should be at the post-doc/fellow, instructor, research assistant, or assistant professor level with no more than 3-4 years in any of these positions.</b>
12/1/2021 4/1/2022 8/1/2022	Brady Education Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$100,000 per year	Education	The <b>Brady Education Foundation</b> pursues its mission by promoting collaboration between researchers and educators via the funding of program development and program evaluations in education. The Foundation is currently accepting proposals focused on evaluating programs that have the potential of helping to close the opportunity and resulting achievement gaps associated with race and family income.
12/1/2021 (LOI) 3/1/2022 (LOI) 6/1/2022 (LOI)	The Retirement Research Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$250,000	Retirement, Aging, Advocacy	Proposals are sought for RRF's <b>Responsive Grants Programs</b> . The areas of interest include advocacy, direct service, professional education and training, and research seeking causes and solutions to significant problems for older adults.

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12/1/2021 (Design Round)	Motsepe Foundation	<a href="#">Prize</a>	<b>Grand Prize:</b> \$1 Million <b>2nd Place:</b> \$300,000 <b>3rd Place:</b> \$150,000 <b>People's Prize:</b> \$100,000	Agriculture, Food Production, Hunger	The inaugural <b>Milken-Motsepe Prize</b> focuses on accelerating progress towards Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) 1 and 2: no poverty and zero hunger. The Milken-Motsepe Prize in AgriTech is a global competition for innovative solutions to increase economic value to farmers, from seed to sale. Winning teams will increase net economic value to small- and medium-size farms by developing innovative food solutions for any stage of the food system, from seed to sale; designing a viable business model; and increasing farm productivity and/or decreasing post-harvest loss.
12/1/2021 (Milestone Award Registration) 12/1/2023 (Grand Prize Registration)	XPRIZE	<a href="#">Prize</a>	<b>Grand Prize:</b> \$50 Million <b>Milestone Prizes:</b> \$1 Million	Climate Change, Carbon Removal, Engineering & Physical Sciences	<b>XPRIZE Carbon Removal</b> is aimed at tackling the biggest threat facing humanity - fighting climate change and rebalancing Earth's carbon cycle. This four-year global competition invites innovators and teams from anywhere on the planet to create and demonstrate solutions that can pull carbon dioxide directly from the atmosphere or oceans, and sequester it durably and sustainably. To win the grand prize, teams must demonstrate a working solution at a scale of at least 1000 tonnes removed per year; model their costs at a scale of 1 million tonnes per year; and show a pathway to achieving a scale of gigatonnes per year in future. Any carbon negative solution is eligible: nature-based, direct air capture, oceans, mineralization, or anything else that achieves net negative emissions, sequesters CO2 durably, and show a sustainable path to achieving low cost at gigatonne scale.
12/2/2021 (LOI)	American College of Laboratory Animal Medicine Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$30,000	Animal Science, Laboratory Animals	The <b>American College of Laboratory Animal Medicine Foundation</b> will fund studies in the following five laboratory animal research subjects: Analgesia/anesthesia; Behavior/well-being; Diagnostics/diseases; Husbandry; Refinement of animal models. <b>The principal investigator must hold a doctoral-level degree (DVM/VMD, MD, DDS, PhD or equivalent), with the one Husbandry research topic exception noted.</b>
12/2/2021 4/15/2022 8/19/2022	Searle Freedom Trust	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$25,000 - \$300,000	Public Policy	The <b>Searle Freedom Trust</b> is primarily interested in supporting domestic public policy research. Recognizing that good policymaking relies on the availability of high-quality research, the foundation invests primarily in scholarship that results in the publication of books, journal articles, and policy papers. Funding is typically provided in the form of research grants, fellowships, and other types of targeted project support.

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12/3/2021 (LOI) 3/15/2022 (LOI)	Terra Foundation for American Art	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$25,000	Visual Arts	The <b>Terra Foundation for American Art</b> actively supports projects that encourage international scholarship on American art topics, as well as scholarly projects with focused theses that further research of American art in an international context. Academic program funding is available for in-person exchanges such as workshops, symposia, and colloquia that advance scholarship in the field of American art (circa 1500–1980) that take place in Chicago or outside the United States, or in the United States and examine American art within an international context and include a significant number of international participants.
12/6/2021 (LOI)	McKnight Endowment Fund for Neuroscience	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$200,000 (over 2 years)	Engineering, Physical Sciences Environmental & Life Sciences, Medical Research, Translational	<b>Technological Innovations in Neuroscience Awards</b> support scientists who work on novel and creative approaches to understanding brain function. The program seeks to advance and enlarge the range of technologies available to the neurosciences. They are especially interested in how technology may be used or adapted to monitor, manipulate, analyze, or model brain function at any level, from the molecular to the entire organism.
12/11/2021 (Pre-Proposal)	Tourette Association of America	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$160,000 (over 2 years)	Medical Research Tourette Syndrome, Translational, Early Career	With their <b>TAA Young Investigator Award</b> , The Tourette Association of America aims to encourage early career researchers to invest their efforts and expertise in increasing our biological understanding of Tourette Syndrome, pursuing clinical research aimed at improving patient care, and developing and testing new therapies. <b>The award is open to post-doctoral fellows, and independent clinical/research faculty members within 5 years of their first independent faculty appointment at the time of pre-proposal application submission.</b>

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12/13/2021	EveryCat Health Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$35,000  <b>New Feline Investigator &amp; Feline Genomics Investigator:</b> Up to \$25,000	Feline Health, Early Career	<b>EveryCat Health Foundation Annual Grant Awards</b> fund research projects that demonstrate their relevance or benefit to improving feline health, particularly regarding domestic cats. <b>Applicants may be veterinary researchers, faculty veterinarians, post-doctoral fellows, practicing veterinarians or veterinary students.</b> A <b>New Feline Investigator Grant Award</b> and <b>Feline Genomics Investigator Award</b> are also available for <b>recently appointed (&lt; 2 years) university research associates or assistant professors, post-doctoral fellow, or veterinary students in a DVM/PhD program at a college or school of veterinary medicine.</b>
12/13/2021	Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research	<a href="#">Fellowship Grant</a>	\$180,000 (over 2 years)	Medical Research, Parkinson's Disease, Neuroscience	The <b>Edmond J. Safra Fellowship in Movement Disorders</b> funds academic centers to train new movement disorder clinician-researchers. This program aims to develop a network of highly trained specialists to be the next generation of leaders in Parkinson's research and clinical care. <b>Grant support cannot be used for a fellow already enrolled or selected.</b>
12/14/2021	Chan Zuckerberg Initiative	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$400,000	Biology, Data Science, Medical Research	The <b>Chan Zuckerberg Initiative (CZI)</b> seeks applications for projects that aim to use and gain insights into health and disease from existing single-cell datasets to help accelerate progress toward challenges associated with the compilation and exploration of large atlas-scale data. CZI is looking to support projects that will advance the fields of single-cell biology and data science. Applications are encouraged from computational experts outside the field of single-cell biology but with expertise relevant to overcoming current bottlenecks. Projects may include dedicated efforts to refine existing computational tools, benchmark classes of tools, improve standards, integrate available data that enables greater biological insight, develop new features that support interoperability of data or tools, and other major challenges brought forward.
12/15/2021	Ploughshares Fund	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$250,000	Social Sciences, Political Science	<b>Ploughshares Fund</b> partners with the most promising efforts to realize the ultimate elimination of nuclear weapons. The Fund gives grants that promote the elimination of nuclear weapons, prevent the emergence of new nuclear states, and build regional peace and security.

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12/15/2021 (LOI)	Leukemia & Lymphoma Society	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$1.25 million (over 5 years)	Medical Research, Cancer	<b>IMPACT Awards</b> expand access to high-quality clinical trials to patients served by community health settings, particularly rural, minority, and/or economically disadvantaged blood cancer patients. <a href="#">See website for eligibility guidelines.</a>
12/15/2021	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	<a href="#">Prize</a>	\$150,000	Medical Research, Translational	<b>The Scolnick Prize</b> is awarded annually by the McGovern Institute to recognize outstanding advances in the field of neuroscience. <a href="#">Candidates for the award must be nominated by individuals affiliated with universities, hospitals, medical schools, or research institutes, with a background in neuroscience. Self-nomination is not permitted.</a>
12/15/2021	Temper of the Times Foundation	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	\$5,000 - \$15,000	Conservation, Education, Outreach	<b>Grants (for Projects to Increase Awareness about Wildland Ecosystem Conservation and Restoration)</b> are awarded for projects that will lead to measurable outcomes for wildland ecosystem conservation and restoration in the United States. Grants may be used to fund the production of print, radio, or television ads, to pay for advertising space or airtime, or to produce or distribute pamphlets, books, videos, or press packets. <a href="#">Because grants are for wildland ecosystem advertising campaigns, not for general organizational support, they may not be used to cover costs associated with the production of organization newsletters, membership campaigns, or for staff salaries.</a>
12/15/2021 (LOI)	Samuel H. Kress Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$100,000	Visual Arts, Art History, Art Education	The <b>History of Art</b> program supports scholarly projects that will enhance the appreciation and understanding of European art and architecture. Grants are awarded to projects that create and disseminate specialized knowledge, including archival projects, development and dissemination of scholarly databases, documentation projects, museum exhibitions and publications, photographic campaigns, scholarly catalogues and publications, and technical and scientific studies. Grants are also awarded for activities that permit art historians to share their expertise through international exchanges, professional meetings, conferences, symposia, consultations, the presentation of research, and other professional events.

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12/17/2021	Society for Progressive Supranuclear Palsy	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$100,000 (over 3 years)	Medical Research, Progressive Supranuclear Palsy (PSP), Corticobasal Degeneration (CBD), Translational	<b>CurePSP</b> will fund studies on PSP and CBD with a particular interest in (i) molecular and cellular (pathological) mechanisms that may operate also in related diseases and (ii) translational clinical research involving PSP and CBD patients. <b>All PIs must have an academic degree in science, social work, engineering, or medicine such as a ScD, PhD, MD, MD/PhD, DO, DSW, and DVM degree.</b>
12/19/2021	Orphan Disease Center	<a href="#">Matching Grant</a>	<b>Stem Cells:</b> \$16,000  <i>Require an \$8,000 match</i>	Medical Research, Stem Cells, Mice, Translational	The Orphan Disease Center (ODC) at the University of Pennsylvania is pleased to announce the <b>JumpStart Research Tools Matching Grant Program: Mouse Models</b> . This Research Tool grant program will offer the opportunity for families or patient organizations to develop a mouse model for a specific rare disease that can then be purchased by researchers in academia or industry. They are seeking grant applications that can justify the need for a mouse model for their rare disease. While the RFA is broad in scope, priority will be given to grants that cover the following areas: Diseases for which a viable / well-phenotyped mouse model does not already exist, in a shareable, accessible way; Knowledge of researchers in need of this model.
12/20/2021	Alex's Lemonade Stand Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$180,000 (over 3 years)	Medical Research, Leukemia, Cancer, Translational	The <b>RUNX1 Early Career Investigator grant</b> is a 3-year award designed to fund research in strategies leading to the development of therapies to prevent the transition from pre-leukemia to leukemia for patients with RUNX1-FPD. Collaboration and data sharing are a priority for this research program. Proposals that seek to translate from bench to bedside will receive priority. <b>Applicants must have an M.D., Ph.D. or dual M.D., Ph.D. (D.O., MBBS or equivalent) and be within 5 years of their first faculty appointment as an Assistant Professor or equivalent.</b>
12/31/2021	Pilot International	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Total of \$100,000 for one large grant and other smaller grants	Medical Research, Brain Disorders	<b>Pilot International</b> has issued an RFP for research and development of brain-related disorders. The objective of this RFP is to allow those working in these areas to apply for financial support of their programs.

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12/31/2021 4/30/2022 8/31/2022	The Elsa U. Pardee Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$200,000	Medical Research, Cancer	The foundation funds research directed toward new treatments or cures for cancer. They particularly encourage grant applications for a one-year period which allows establishment of capabilities of new cancer researchers, or new cancer approaches by established cancer researchers. Project relevance to cancer detection, treatment or cure should be clearly identified.
1/3/2022 (LOI)	Progeria Research Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$150,000 (over 2 years)	Medical Research, Progeria, Translational	The <b>Progeria Research Foundation</b> awards grants to applicants who seek to conduct research to find the cause, treatment, or cure for Hutchinson-Gilford Progeria Syndrome (Progeria, or HGPS). PRF's research focus is highly translational. Topics must fall within the following research priorities: Projects that are likely to lead to clinical treatment trials within 5 years, development of gene- and cell-based therapies to treat Progeria or assessment of natural history of disease that may be important to developing outcome measures in treatment trials (preclinical or clinical).
1/6/2022	Pfizer	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Unlimited	Medical Research, Oncology, Translational	Pfizer supports <b>Investigator Sponsored Research (ISR) projects</b> that advance medical and scientific knowledge about their therapies. This grant type is used as support for pre-clinical and clinical studies (including interventional and non-interventional), that involve a Pfizer asset (e.g., commercial drug, investigational drug, pure compound). Pfizer also supports general research projects focused on the development or refinement of specific and defined medical knowledge unrelated to a Pfizer asset. A list of Oncology assets available for ISR proposals, including Areas of Interest, are available on <a href="http://www.Pfizer.com/ISR">www.Pfizer.com/ISR</a>
1/7/022	Pfizer	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$250,000	Medical Research, Cachexia/GDF-15, Cancer, Translational	With the <b>Global Cachexia ASPIRE Competitive Grant Program</b> , Pfizer is accepting proposals in the following areas: Evidence generation in Understanding Cachexia/Unintentional Weight Loss in Cancer or Heart Failure; Role of GDF-15/GFRAL Pathway in Disease; GDF-15/GFRAL Biology; Natural History (longitudinal) studies specifically related to cachexia/weight loss and/or heart failure. <b>The applicant (PI) must have a medical or postdoctoral degree (MD, PhD, or equivalent), an advanced nursing degree (BSN with a MS/PhD), or a degree in Pharmacy, Physiotherapy, or Social Work.</b>

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1/10/2022	Volvo Environment Prize Foundation	<a href="#">Prize</a>	\$150,000	Life Sciences, Environmental Sustainability, Ecology	The Volvo Environment Prize Foundation is seeking nominations for the <b>Volvo Environment Prize</b> . Past laureates represent all fields of environmental and sustainability studies and initiatives. The research of nominees should be based on scientific grounds but must clearly show impacts outside of the specific discipline. <b>Self-nominations are not accepted.</b>
1/10/2022	Oak Ridge Associated Universities	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$75,000	Public Health, Ecology, Climate Science, Data Science, Education, DEI	<b>ORAU-Directed Research and Development Grants Program</b> provides a path for funding innovative research-based approaches/solutions that fall within the intersection of core capabilities of ORAU and our member universities research interests. The FY22 ODRD Call for Proposals seeks high quality proposals in the following priority focus areas: Public Health and Environment (Health Communication, Emergency Preparedness and Response, Worker Health, Ecology, and Climate Resiliency); Data Science and Analytics (Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence, and Data Analytics); Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Studies (Climate and Environmental Justice, Minority Health Disparities, STEM Education, and Effective Career/Workforce Development and Mentoring).
1/10/2022	The McKnight Endowment Fund for Neuroscience	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$225,000 (over 3 years)	Medical Research, Neuroscience, Early Career	The <b>McKnight Scholar Award</b> encourages neuroscientists in the early stages of their careers to focus in disorders of learning and memory. Preference is given to applicants working on problems that, if solved at the basic level, would have an immediate and significant impact on clinically relevant issues. <b>Applicants must have an M.D., Ph.D., or other suitable degree and have evidence of a commitment to a career in neuroscience. Applicants must also have a full-time appointment to the rank of assistant professor and have served for no more than four years. Applicants may not apply in more than two rounds of competition.</b>
1/10/2022 7/15/2022	Leakey Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grants</a>	Up to \$25,000	Biology, Human Origins, Social Sciences	The <b>Leakey Foundation</b> exclusively funds research related to human origins. Priority of funding is commonly given to exploratory phases of promising new research projects that meet the stated purpose of the Foundation.

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1/13/2022	Klingenstein Fund, Esther A. & Joseph	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$100,000 (over 2 years)	Mental Health Care, Children and Adolescents	With the <b>Addressing Access to Care RFP</b> , The Klingenstein Third Generation Foundation funds academic research in the development of promising models of service delivery such as those that leverage technology, non-traditional treatment settings, and professional and paraprofessional treatment providers or others (e.g., teachers, parents, primary care physicians) that help parents access care for their children or that help older youth access care on their own. They are soliciting applications for academic investigators conducting research to demonstrate the benefits of novel mental health care delivery methods or prevention approaches. They are particularly interested in funding applications that build on promising pilot work and aim to develop larger demonstration projects.
1/14/2022	Morris Animal Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$150,000 (over up to 3 years)	Canine Health, Osteosarcoma	<b>Morris Animal Foundation</b> is now accepting proposals for studies focused on limb-sparing treatments for osteosarcoma in Saint Bernards and other giant-breed dogs. Competitive applicants will have a previous record of research and publication in canine oncology with evidence of access to sufficient populations of Saint Bernards and other giant-breed dogs diagnosed with appendicular osteosarcoma.
1/15/2022	PADI Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$12,000	Biology, Aquatic Ecosystems, Education	The <b>PADI Foundation</b> encourages and supports research and education related to aquatic environments. The Foundation will fund and assist worthwhile projects that enrich mankind's understanding of aquatic environments and encourage sensitivity to and protection of ecosystems, increase understanding of sport diving physics and physiology that will benefit the general diving public and add to the scientific understanding of man's relationship and ability to survive in the underwater environment, or improve understanding of, and response to, hazards to humans and ecosystems related to climate change in coastal and ocean environments.

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1/15/2022	Association for Computing Machinery	<a href="#">Award</a>	<p><b>Paris Kanellakis Theory and Practice Award:</b> \$10,000</p> <p><b>Grace Murray Hopper Award:</b> \$35,000</p> <p><b>A.M. Turing Award:</b> \$1,000,000</p>	Engineering, Physical Science, Computer Science	<p>The Association for Computing Machinery is seeking nominations for 3 awards. <b>The Paris Kanellakis Theory and Practice Award</b> honors specific theoretical accomplishments that have had a significant and demonstrable effect on the practice of computing. Nominations will be reviewed on the basis of the candidate’s publication of novel and solid theoretical work, how that work has translated into applications, and the impact of the theory and applications. <b>The Grace Murray Hopper Award</b> recognizes the outstanding young computer professional of the year, selected on the basis of a single recent major technical or service contribution. <b>The candidate must have been 35 years of age or less at the time the qualifying contribution was made.</b> Nominations will be evaluated for the significance, depth, and originality of the technical contribution or – in the case of a service contribution – the scope of the effort involved and its impact on the computing community and/or society as a whole. <b>The A. M. Turing Award</b> is ACM's oldest and most prestigious award. It is presented annually to an individual who has made lasting contributions of a technical nature to the computing community. Although the long-term influences of the nominee's work are taken into consideration, there should be a particular outstanding and trend-setting technical achievement that constitutes the principal claim to the award.</p>
1/15/2022	Cancer Research Institute	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$1,250,000 (over 5 years)	Medical Research, Cancer, Mid-Career, Translational	<p><b>CRI Lloyd J. Old STAR Program—Scientists Taking Risks</b>—will provide long-term funding to mid-career scientists providing them the freedom and flexibility to pursue high-risk, high-reward research at the forefront of discovery and innovation. These grants will not be tied to a specific research project, but rather support outstanding researchers based on the quality and promise of their overall work. Candidates selected for this award are expected to be the future leaders in the field of cancer immunotherapy, and this sustained funding will enable them to carry out transformational research. <b>Applicants must belong to one of the following categories as of July 1, 2022: Tenure-track assistant professor with a minimum of 3 years in this position (appointed on or before July 1, 2019) or Tenure-track associate professor with a maximum of 3 years in this position (appointed on or after July 1, 2019).</b></p>

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1/15/2022 (LOI)	Friedreichs Ataxia Research Alliance (FARA)	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$300,000 (over 2 years)	Medical Research	The <b>Keith Michael Andrus Cardiac Research Award</b> supports projects that focus on advancing understanding and/or treatment of the cardiac involvement in FA.
1/18/2022	University of Louisville	<a href="#">Award</a>	\$100,000	Arts & Humanities	The University of Louisville offers the <b>Grawemeyer Award for Music Composition</b> in recognition of outstanding achievement by a living composer in a large musical genre: choral, orchestral, chamber, electronic, song-cycle, dance, opera, musical theater, extended solo work and more. The award will be granted for a work premiered during the five-year period prior to the award deadline (i.e. time period Jan.1, 2017 – Dec. 31, 2021 for the 2022 award). <b>Each entry for the Grawemeyer Music Award must be nominated by a professional musical organization or individual (performer or performing group, conductor, critic, publisher, or head of a professional music school or department). A composer may not submit his or her own work. No more than one work of any composer may be submitted.</b>
1/20/2022	Lupus Research Institute	<a href="#">Prize</a>	\$100,000	Medical Research, Lupus, Translational	The <b>Lupus Research Alliance</b> requests nominations for the <b>2022 Lupus Insight Prize</b> recognizing and honoring significant scientific insights relevant to understanding the causes, pathogenesis, or treatment of lupus. The primary objective of the prize is to identify and recognize an outstanding investigator who has developed a novel research insight in scientific domains relevant to lupus. The prize also aims to stimulate further advances leading to improved outcomes for patients with lupus and ultimately to a cure. <b>Co-Investigators or teams of investigators are not eligible for this Prize. Only one nomination will be accepted per investigator. Self-nominations are not allowed.</b>

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1/21/2022	National Psoriasis Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grants</a>	<p><b>Milestones to a Cure:</b> Up to \$100,000</p> <p><b>Discovery:</b> Up to \$75,000</p> <p><b>Translational:</b> Up to \$100,000</p> <p><b>More Than Skin Deep:</b> Up to \$100,000</p>	Medical Research, Psoriasis, Translational	The <b>National Psoriasis Foundation</b> is seeking grant applications for several projects. The <b>Milestones to a Cure Research Grant</b> is seeking applications from researchers interested in conducting projects focused on psoriatic disease. The goal of this award is to support research with an aim focused on treatment durability, remission/relapse, prevention and personalized medicine. <b>Discovery Grants</b> are seeking applications that encourage the advancement of innovative research into psoriasis, psoriatic arthritis, and related comorbidities. Discovery Grants fund researchers while they explore preliminary ideas and conduct proof-of concept experiments. <b>Translational Research Grants</b> seeks applications that encourage the advancement of innovative research into psoriasis and psoriatic arthritis. Translational Research Grants fund research initiatives that focus on the rapid translation of basic scientific discoveries into clinical applications with a clear benefit for patients with psoriatic disease. <b>More Than Skin Deep</b> seeks grant applications from researchers interested in conducting research focused on mental health and psoriatic disease. Grants will be awarded to projects focused on, but not limited to, investigation of psoriatic disease on mental health, as well as interventions for addressing this comorbidity, inflammatory processes, stigma, psychosocial impact of psoriasis, barriers to care, financial burden of chronic disease, or other related areas.
1/26/2022	Simons Foundation	<a href="#">Award</a>	Up to \$42,000 (Over 5 years)	Mathematics	The Simons Foundation's Mathematics and Physical Sciences division invites applications for <b>Collaboration Grants for Mathematicians</b> to stimulate collaboration in the field primarily through the funding of travel and related expenditures. The goal of the program is to substantially increase collaborative contacts between accomplished, active mathematicians in the United States, who do not otherwise have access to funding that allows support for travel and visitors. <b>To be eligible to apply, an individual must have a current record of active research and publication in high-quality journals and not currently hold any other external PI or co-PI grant.</b>

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1/28/2022	Welch Foundation	<a href="#">Prize</a>	\$500,000	Chemistry, Chemical Engineering	The purpose of <b>The Robert A. Welch Award in Chemistry</b> is to foster and encourage basic chemical research and to recognize, in a substantial manner, the value of chemical research contributions for the benefit of humankind. The award is intended to recognize contributions that have not previously been rewarded in a similar manner.
1/31/2022	Center for Retirement Research at Boston College	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$45,000	Social Science, Behavioral Science, Public Policy, Retirement, Disability	The <b>Center for Retirement Research</b> sponsors the annual <b>Steven H. Sandell Grant Program</b> for scholars in the field of retirement or disability research and policy. It provides opportunities scholars from any academic discipline to pursue cutting-edge projects on retirement or disability issues. Research focus areas include trends in disability and survey issues; informing long-term projections and models; state and local pensions for non-covered workers; actuarial adjustment of benefits; economic effects of totalization agreements; measuring sources of income; risks and resources in older age; induced entry; opioids; and claimant representatives. <b>The PI and the Co-PI(s) must be junior or non-tenured scholar(s) who are within 1-7 years of completing their Ph.D. or comparable professional certification.</b>
1/31/2022	National Pancreas Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grants</a>	\$50,000	Medical Research, Pancreatic Cancer, Early Career	Research grants support research with a direct relevance to the diagnosis and/or treatment of pancreatitis, pancreatic cancer or other pancreas diseases. Studies intended to advance knowledge in the areas of pancreatic carcinoma, and all forms of pancreatitis would be the closest to the areas of interest of the NPF. <b>Applicants be a physician or hold an advanced degree (MD, DO, PhD or international equivalent) working in any country within 10 years of obtaining his/her medical degree at the time of grant submission.</b>

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1/31/2022 6/15/2022	11th Hour Racing	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$100,000	Environmental & Life Sciences, Oceans, Water Quality	<b>11th Hour Racing</b> seeks proposals that align with one or more of our focus areas: Solutions that Reduce Plastic Pollution, Ocean Literacy and Stewardship amongst coastal communities, Clean Technologies and Best Practices that reduce the environmental impact of the maritime industry and coastal communities, and Projects tackling water quality issues and climate change through Ecosystem Restoration. <b>Grant funding must be tied to a specific project, with measurable outcomes. They do not offer general funding, capital or infrastructure grants, or endowment funding.</b>
2/1/2022 (LOI) 7/15/2022 (LOI)	Friedreich's Ataxia Research Alliance	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$300,000 (over 2 years)	Medical Research, Neuroscience, Early Career	<b>General Research Grants</b> are open to qualified investigators proposing projects that fall within FARA Research Priorities: advancing understanding of neuroscience, advancing understanding of cardiac disease in FA, advance drug discovery, facilitate the drug development process and translational research, and advance clinical research. <b>FARA encourages applications from junior investigators and young clinicians.</b>
2/1/2022	Clif Bar Family Foundation	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$7,000	Community Service, Environment, Outdoor Activity, Food Systems	Small grants are awarded for general organizational support as well as funding for specific projects. Priority is given to applicants that address the funding priorities from a holistic perspective: Protect Earth's beauty and bounty; Create a robust, healthy food system; Increase opportunities for outdoor activity; Reduce environmental health hazards; Build stronger communities. Programs/projects should demonstrate strong community ties and operate at the community level. <b>At this time, only US-based 501(c)3 organizations (or groups with a 501(c)3 fiscal sponsor) are eligible for our small grants programs.</b>

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2/23/2022 (LOI)	Hearing Health Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$100,000 (over 2 years)	Medial Research, Hearing Loss, Translational, Early Career	Through the <b>Emerging Research Grants (ERG)</b> program, Hearing Health Foundation (HHF) provides seed money to hearing and balance researchers who focus on researching underfunded areas of otology. Grantees advance scientific knowledge in the following under-researched areas: Hearing Loss in Children, Central Auditory Processing Disorder, Hyperacusis, Tinnitus, Ménière’s disease, Usher syndrome, making cancer drugs less ototoxic, and the links between hearing loss and diabetes, heart and kidney disease. <b>General Hearing Health applicants are limited to early career researchers who are within 7 years of completing their terminal degree. They cannot be a prior or current PI on a major research award (e.g., R00, R03, R21, R01, VA Merit, DoD, or equivalent).</b>
2/28/2022 (Notice of Intent to Nominate)	The Franklin Institute	<a href="#">Prize</a>	\$250,000	Computer Science, Economics, Psychology, Neuroscience	The <b>2023 Bower Award and Prize for Achievement in Science</b> is for individuals who have made significant contributions to the scientific understanding of decision-making. The interdisciplinary field of decision-making integrates theory and methods from economics, psychology, neuroscience, computer science, and related areas to understand the mechanisms through which individuals and groups choose among competing possibilities and how these mechanisms guide behavior. <b>Nominations from any individual or organization will be accepted, including self-nominations.</b>
2/28/2022	Engineering Information Foundation	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$25,000	Engineering	The <b>Engineering Information Foundation</b> supports developmental projects, instructional projects, and training programs in engineering education and research that fit our fields of interest. These currently include the availability and use of published information, women in engineering, and information access in developing countries.
3/1/2022	Desmoid Tumor Research Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	<b>General:</b> \$65,000  <b>New Investigator:</b> \$30,000	Medical Research, Desmoid Tumors, Translational	The <b>Desmoid Tumor Research Foundation</b> funds research that will advance the current scientific knowledge about desmoid tumors, moving toward the development of new treatment options and bringing us closer to their ultimate goal of a cure. <b>The New Investigator grant is for individuals with an academic rank of Instructor, Assistant Professor or Associate Professor who have not previously received funding for independent research directed at desmoid tumors.</b>

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3/1/2022 (Pre-Proposal)  7/1/2022 (Pre-Proposal)	Partnership for Clean Competition	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$225,000	Medical Research, Sports Science, Translational	Proposals are sought for original work that focuses on improving existing analytical methods for detecting particular drugs, developing new analytical methods to test for substances not currently detectable, and discovering cost-effective approaches for testing widely abused substances across all levels of sport, the following areas of investigation reflect the PCC's current research priorities: Developing methods of cost-effective testing to detect and deter the use of banned and illegal substances; Developing testing protocols to detect designer substances; Improving existing analytical methods to detect particular drugs; Developing analytical methods to detect PEDs not currently detectable; Longitudinal urinary excretion patterns; Critical reviews to support interpretation of laboratory data; Alt. specimens, (ex. oral fluid, dried blood/plasma) for testing.

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3/15/2022 (LOI)	Eppley Foundation for Research	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$30,000	Chemistry, Physics, Biology, Ecology, Climate Change	Proposals are sought that increase knowledge in chemistry, physics and biology through study, research and publication. <b>The Foundation does not support work in the social sciences, education or computer science, and only rarely funds research into diseases that have considerable financial support available, such as AIDS, diabetes, cancer and heart disease.</b> Particular areas of interest include innovative medical investigations, climate change, whole ecosystem studies, as well as research on single species if they are of particular significance in their environments, in the U.S. and abroad. <b>The Foundation does not fund work that can qualify for funding from conventional sources such as the National Science Foundation or the National Institutes of Health, or similar agencies at the state level.</b> It is important to the Foundation that the work proposed be novel in its insights and unlikely to be underway elsewhere. <b>PhDs or MDs with an established record of publication in their specialties are eligible. Candidates with newly awarded doctorates occasionally, but rarely, meet the Foundation’s requirements for advanced research.</b>
4/1/2022	Fahs-Beck Fund for Research and Experimentation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$25,000	Social Science, Public Health, Psychology	Grants are available to help support the research of faculty members or post-doctoral researchers affiliated with non-profit human service organizations in the United States and Canada. Areas of interest to the Fund are: studies to develop, refine, evaluate, or disseminate innovative interventions designed to prevent or ameliorate major social, psychological, behavioral or public health problems affecting children, adults, couples, families, or communities, or studies that have the potential for adding significantly to knowledge about such problems. <b>The research for which funding is requested must focus on the United States or Canada or on a comparison between the United States or Canada and one or more other countries.</b>
4/1/2022	Fred C. Gloeckner Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$13,000	Plant Science, floriculture	The <b>Gloeckner Foundation</b> awards grants for research and educational projects in floriculture and related fields at universities, colleges and Federal research institutions in the United States. The proposed research and educational projects must be of substantial importance, and the results made available to the interested public.

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4/15/2022	Angelman Syndrome Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$200,000 (over 2 years)	Medical Research, Angelman Syndrome, Translational	The <b>Angelman Syndrome Foundation</b> is calling for proposals for pilot projects to test new ideas about pathogenesis and therapeutics of Angelman syndrome, translational research and clinical research studies. Of particular interest to the ASF are studies related to communication, behavioral issues and identification of issues and treatments that impact the daily life of people with Angelman syndrome and their families.
5/1/2022	Lalor Foundation	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$35,000	Public Health, Sex Education	The <b>Anna Lalor Burdick Program</b> supports programs that offer sexual and reproductive health education to young women. It is interested in programs serving young women who are disadvantaged by poverty, discrimination, geographic isolation, lack of comprehensive sex education, hostile public policy, or other factors leading to inadequate sexual and reproductive health. The ALB Program is particularly interested in supporting new programs or initiatives, or innovations in successful programs. <b>While projects may take place outside the U.S., only organizations based in the United States are eligible.</b>
5/15/2022	Friedreich's Ataxia Research Alliance (FARA)	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	<b>Bronya J. Keats International Research Collaboration Award:</b> Up to \$400,000 (over 2 years)  <b>Kyle Bryant Translational Research Award:</b> Up to \$500,000 (Over 2 years)	Medical Research, Friedreich's Ataxia, Translational	<b>The Bronya J. Keats International Research Collaboration Award</b> supports international collaboration among investigators in at least two different countries. <b>The rationale for the collaboration needs to be convincing and must clearly demonstrate that the research goals could not be achieved by just one of the participating groups and that the synergy among the groups is essential for the success of the project. The Kyle Bryant Translational Research Award</b> honors its namesake for his diligent efforts to aid in the acceleration of preclinical studies to early pilot trials in FA patients. This award is given to proposals focused on pre-clinical and clinical investigations that will advance treatments for FA. <b>The specific aims must target one or more of the following: Identification of biomarkers for FA that will elucidate disease variability, severity, and prognosis; facilitate drug screening, and/or optimize selection of patients and clinical endpoints for clinical trials; Development of tools and technologies that can (a) be directly used for therapy development, (b) overcome existing obstacles to treatment, and (c) be directly applied to, or adapted for, delivery of potential therapeutics; Pre-clinical development and testing of potential therapeutics, biologics, and devices in cells and animals; Clinical studies of patient outcome measures.</b>

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Rolling (Reviewed Quarterly Through 10/30/2023)	Burroughs Wellcome Fund	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$50,000	Climate Change, Human Health, Economics, Interdisciplinary	With <b>Climate Change and Human Health Seed Grants</b> , the Burroughs Wellcome Fund aims to stimulate the growth of new connections between scholars working in largely disconnected fields who might together change the course of climate change's impact on human health. They are particularly but not exclusively interested in activities that build connections between basic/early biomedical scientific approaches and ecological, environmental, geological, geographic, and planetary-scale thinking, as well as with population-focused fields including epidemiology and public health, demography, economics, and urban planning. <b>This call focuses on developing partnerships. Proposals from single institutions must develop partnerships that do not already occur naturally. This program does not support biomedical research projects proposed by individual investigators.</b>
Rolling	Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Unlimited	Health, Racial Equity, Public Policy	<b>Evidence for Action (E4A)</b> , a national program of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, funds research that expands the evidence needed to build a Culture of Health, with an explicit emphasis on advancing racial equity. This funding is focused on studies about upstream causes of health inequities, such as the systems, structures, laws, policies, norms, and practices that determine the distribution of resources and opportunities, which in turn influence individuals' options and behaviors. Research should center on the needs and experiences of communities exhibiting the greatest health burdens and be motivated by real-world priorities. It should be able to inform a specific course of action and/or establish beneficial practices, not stop at characterizing or documenting the extent of a problem.
Rolling	Alkermes	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$300,000	Medical Research, Substance Abuse, Schizophrenia, Translational	With <b>Investigator Sponsored Studies</b> , Alkermes seeks to support investigator research designed and conducted by independent physicians and scientists. The area of interest are: Substance Abuse Disorders and Schizophrenia.

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Rolling	AMD	<a href="#">HPC Research Assistance</a>	N/A	Medical Research, COVID-19	AMD teams with Penguin Computing to contribute high-performance computing (HPC) systems for pandemic research. AMD EPYC™ CPUs and AMD Radeon™ Instinct GPUs to power focused research programs at leading institutions. The recipient universities are expected to utilize the new compute capacity across a range of pandemic-related workloads including genomics, vaccine development, transmission science and modeling.
Rolling	Pfizer Inc.	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Unlimited	Medical Research, COVID-19, Vaccines, Translational	Pfizer is currently accepting <b>COVID-19 general research grant</b> requests that address the following areas: Studies evaluating COVID-19 burden of disease and sero-epidemiological surveys among specific populations; Epidemiology studies evaluating direct & indirect impact, including modeling approaches, of Pfizer's vaccine particularly in specific patient populations; Studies measuring the impact of efforts to overcome vaccine hesitancy and enhance vaccine uptake. <b>Currently, they are not accepting applications for clinical research that studies the safety, immunogenicity, and/or efficacy of Pfizer's COVID-19 vaccine. To ensure vaccine availability for the general public, Pfizer is unable to provide COVID-19 vaccine as part of a grant.</b>
Rolling	Internet Society Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$200,000 (over 2 years)	Computer Science, Social Science, Economics, Ecology	The <b>Internet Society Foundation</b> has announced a new grants program in support of researchers worldwide who are studying the future and sustainability of the Internet. Through the program, grants are available for research focused in one of two categories: Greening the Internet and The Internet Economy.
Rolling	North Pacific Research Board	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$800,000	Life Sciences, Biological Research, Social Science	The <b>North Pacific Research Board</b> provides grants to organizations to conduct research activities on, or relating to, fisheries and marine ecosystems in the North Pacific Ocean, Bering Sea, Aleutian Islands, Gulf of Alaska, and Arctic. NPRB prioritizes research that improves understanding of marine ecosystems and enhances effective fishery management and sustainable use of marine resources.

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Rolling	Open Technology Fund	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$50,000 - \$200,000	Computer Science, Digital Security, Internet Freedom	The <b>Internet Freedom Fund</b> supports technologists and activists working bring to life ideas that advance inclusive and safe access to global communications networks, counteract censorship and surveillance, and mitigate digital security threats to Internet freedom specifically for at-risk users, journalists, human-rights defenders, civil society activists, and others living in repressive environments. Projects must fall within one of the following areas: Technology Development, Applied Research, Digital Security, or Community Convenings.
Rolling	Reckitt Benckiser	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$150,000 (over 6-9 months)	Chemistry, Biology	Reckitt Benckiser is seeking alternative germ-killing actives to quaternary ammonium for use in Lysol and Dettol that are equally effective at low concentrations, high dilutions, and direct replacement volumes.
Rolling	Transformational Partnerships Fund	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$100,000	Diversity Equity and Inclusion, Student Success	The Transformational Partnerships Fund supports colleges and universities interested in exploring partnerships and collaborations that could fundamentally transform the way they operate — centering students in solutions that deliver stability and success. <b>Catalytic grants</b> can be used to engage third-party technical assistance providers knowledgeable in law, finance, governance, fundraising, human resources, and other related fields. These grants may support the exploration of partnerships in many forms — ranging from shared administrative services or consolidated academic offerings on one end of the spectrum, to full mergers on the other. <b>Partnerships supported by TPF typically involve two or more degree-granting institutions of higher education. These can include private nonprofit colleges, public universities or systems, community colleges, and (in exceptional situations) for-profit institutions. One or more of the participating institutions must serve a student population that is at least 25 percent persons of color and/or where 40 percent meet the financial criteria for Pell eligibility; One or more of the participating institutions deem the partnership to be transformational and that, if completed, it would make a material difference to the operations of the institution(s); The partnership, if completed, is expected to produce materially better outcomes for current and/or future students of the institution(s).</b>

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Rolling	Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Average Award: \$315,031 (over 1-3 years)	Health Equity, Arts & Humanities, Sociology, Business	<b>Pioneering Ideas: Exploring the Future to Build a Culture of Health</b> seeks proposals that are primed to influence health equity in the future. They are interested in ideas that address any of these four areas of focus: Future of Evidence; Future of Social Interaction; Future of Food; Future of Work. Additionally, we welcome ideas that might fall outside of these four focus areas, but which offer unique approaches to advancing health equity and our progress toward a Culture of Health. They want to hear from scientists, anthropologists, artists, urban planners, community leaders—anyone, anywhere who has a new or unconventional idea that could alter the trajectory of health, and improve health equity and well-being for generations to come.
Rolling	Found Animals Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$750,000 (over 3 years)	Veterinary Medicine, Sterilization	<b>Michelson Grants</b> provide funding for research in pursuit of a single-dose, permanent, nonsurgical sterilization product or technology for use in male and female dogs and cats. Investigators are encouraged to submit for "proof of concept" studies in cell culture or rodents (in certain cases), and/or in dogs and cats. When developing a potential approach, applicants should consider the program's goal of bringing to market a low-cost, permanent, nonsurgical sterilant or sterilants that will have a maximum impact in addressing populations of animals driving shelter intake. Strong preference will be given to projects with the potential to produce a prize-winning product or technology, and approaches must represent a significant improvement over existing products. <b>To qualify for a Michelson Grant, a proposed project must pursue a technology, mechanism, or pathway representing an innovative approach to nonsurgical sterilization.</b>
Rolling	Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$2,000,000	Medical Research, Parkinson's Disease	The <b>Alpha-Synuclein Imaging Prize</b> will go to the first team to develop a viable selective alpha-synuclein PET tracer and agree to make that tracer available broadly. In vivo imaging of alpha-synuclein pathology could be useful as a biomarker of the presence of Parkinson's Disease and disease progression and as a pharmacodynamic tool for drug development. <b>There is no deadline for submissions. The award will be issued to the first contestant who submits compelling evidence of a viable selective tracer and agrees to its widespread use.</b>

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Rolling	Smith Richardson Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$300,000	Public Policy	The <b>Domestic Public Policy Program</b> supports projects that will help the public and policy makers understand and address critical challenges facing the United States. To that end, the Foundation supports research on and evaluation of existing public policies and programs, as well as projects that inject new ideas into public debates. Grant making portfolios include: identifying mechanisms that can inform thinking on fiscal practices at the national, state, and municipal levels; identifying how schools can become more productive (including post-secondary education); and whether costs can be lowered in the criminal justice system while still protecting public safety. <b>The Foundation has a two-stage application process. Initial inquiries should be submitted by mail in the form of the concept paper.</b>