

Office of Advancement New Private Funding Opportunities

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The Corporate and Foundation Relations (CFR) team within the Office of Advancement circulates this bi-weekly digest of private philanthropic funding opportunities. Please contact the CFR team to strategize on any of these requests for proposals (RFPs) or get additional information.

AGING

SENS Research Foundation:

Age-related Research Grants; \$100K/yr x 3yrs; https://www.sens.org/submit-a-grant-proposal/; 11/1/2023 LOI

BIOLOGY

Chan Zuckerberg Initiative:

- Single-Cell Biology Data Insights Cycle 3 Expanded Projects; early to mid; \$400K/yr x 1.5yrs; https://chanzuckerberg.com/science/science-funding/; 12/5/2023
- Single-Cell Biology Data Insights Cycle 3 Focused Projects; early to mid; \$200K/yr x 1.5yrs; https://chanzuckerberg.com/science/science-funding/; 12/5/2023

BIOMEDICAL

Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center:

Harold M. Weintraub Graduate Student Award; for pre-doctoral; Only one nomination may be submitted per department or program; \$ unspecified; 12 awards/yr; https://www.fredhutch.org/en/research/divisions/basic-sciences-division/weintraub-graduate-student-award.html; 12/15/2023; UMass Recipients: 2014 Emma Watson, PhD; 2014 Colin Conine, PhD; 2010 Chengjian Li, PhD; 2009 Marcus Noyes, PhD; 2005 Dianne S. Schwarz, PhD; 2002 Alla Grishok, PhD

New York Academy of Sciences:

Blavatnik National Awards for Young Scientists **Limited Submission**; for faculty; PhD, DPhil, MD, DDS, DVM; Born in or after 1982; \$250K/yr x 1yr; 3 awards/yr; See email dated 10/2/23 from the Office of Research or https://umcms.infoready4.com/ for more information; UMass Chan may put forth one applicant in each of these fields: Life Sciences, Physical Sciences & Engineering, and Chemical Sciences; Contact CFR if interested in applying; http://blavatnikawards.org/awards/national-awards/nomination-guidelines/; Internal deadline 10/23/2023

DERMATOLOGY

National Psoriasis Foundation (NPF):

- Early Career Research Grants; for post-doctoral, pre-doctoral; \$50K/yr x 1yr; https://www.psoriasis.org/available-funding-opportunities/; 2/1/2024
- Psoriatic Disease Research Fellowships; for post-doctoral; MD; At the time of award activation, the applicant may have no more than five years of research training or experience since obtaining a post-baccalaureate doctoral-level degree; \$50K/yr x 1yr; https://www.psoriasis.org/available-funding-opportunities/; 2/15/2024

Pediatric Dermatology Research Alliance (PeDRA):

• Consensus Grant Program; Project Leads must hold the degree of MD/DO (or

equivalent) and be a member of PeDRA or the Society for Pediatric Dermatology (SPD); \$25K/yr x 1yr; https://pedraresearch.org/2022/06/20/consensus-grant/; 12/7/2023

 Hidradenitis Suppurativa Pilot Grant; early to established; MD and/or PhD; \$25K/yr x 1yr; 1 award/yr; https://pedraresearch.org/2023/09/12/hs-pilot-grant/; 12/7/2023

EDUCATION

Josiah Macy Jr. Foundation:

 President's Grants; \$25K/yr x 1yr; Please contact the CFR group before submitting an LOI as we have a relationship with this foundation and work with applicants prior to submissions; https://macyfoundation.org/ourgrantees/apply; rolling LOI

Weil Foundation:

 Grants; for faculty; \$ unspecified/yr x 1yr; 20 awards/yr; Contact the CFR group for more information prior to contacting this sponsor as we have existing relationships; http://www.weilfoundation.org/grants; 1/31/2024; UMass Recipients: 2015 UMass Center for Mindfulness

GENETICS

Peter and Patricia Gruber Foundation:

Genetics Prize; for faculty; \$500K/yr x 1yr; https://gruber.yale.edu/gruber-prizes; 12/15/2023; UMass Recipients: 2023 Allan Jacobson, PhD; 2014 Victor Ambros, PhD

National Tay-Sachs & Allied Diseases Association:

Research Grants; \$50K/yr x 1yr; 3 awards/yr; https://ntsad.org/ntsad-research/ntsad-grant-opportunities/; 12/1/2023 LOI; UMass Recipients: 2023 Guangping Gao, PhD; 2017, 2015, 2013 Miguel Esteves, PhD; 2011 Guangping Gao, PhD

HEALTH CARE

Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation:

Moore Inventor Fellows **Limited Submission**; for faculty, research scientist, post-doctoral, staff; Must be no more than 10 years past receiving their PhD, MD, MBA, MSc, MPH or other terminal degree in their field from when the award will begin; \$225K/yr x 3yrs; 5 awards/yr; See email dated 9/28/23 from the Office of Research or https://umcms.infoready4.com/ for more information; Contact CFR if interested in applying; https://www.moore.org/initiative-strategy-detail?initiativeld=moore-inventor-fellows; Internal deadline 10/20/2023

HEALTH EQUITY

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF):

 Evidence for Action: Research to Advance Racial Equity; \$ unspecified/yr x 3-4yrs; https://www.rwjf.org/en/grants/active-fundingopportunities/2021/evidence-for-action--innovative-research-to-advanceracial-equity.html?rid=0034U00002t4S8rQAE&et cid=2196956; rolling LOI

HEMATOLOGY

Association for the Advancement of Blood & Biotherapies (AABB):

 Early Career Scientific Research Grants Program; early; MD, PhD; Completed a terminal research degree or medical residency – whichever date is later – within the past 10 years; \$75K/yr x 1yr; 5-6 awards/yr; https://www.aabb.org/foundation/early-career-scientific-research-grantsprogram; 12/1/2023

Cooley's Anemia Foundation:

- Clinical Trials In Thalassemia Cell And Gene Therapy; early to established;
 \$75K/yr x 1-2yrs; https://www.thalassemia.org/caf-accepting-applications-for-2024-2025-medical-research-grants-fellowships/; 12/8/2023 LOI
- Ongoing Clinical Research in Thalassemia; for faculty; MD, RN, PhD, MPH, MSW; \$50K/yr x 1-2yrs; https://www.thalassemia.org/caf-accepting-applications-for-2024-2025-medical-research-grants-fellowships/; 12/8/2023 LOI
- Research Fellowship Grant; for faculty, post-doctoral; MD, PhD; Postdoctoral
 applicants must have an MD, PhD, or equivalent degree, and cannot hold a faculty
 position Junior faculty applicants must have an MD, PhD, or equivalent degree,
 and must have completed less than five years at the assistant professor level at

the time the applications are due; \$50K/yr x 1-2yrs; https://www.thalassemia.org/caf-accepting-applications-for-2023-medical-research-grants-fellowships/; 2/5/2024

HEPATOLOGY

American Association for the Study of Liver Diseases Foundation (AASLD):

 Bridge Award **Deadline Extended**; for faculty, up to and including Associate Professor; AASLD member; \$100K/yr x 1yr; https://aasldfoundation.org/award-programs/funding-opportunities; 11/6/2023, 1/15/2024

NEPHROLOGY

American Kidney Fund:

Clinical Scientist in Nephrology (CSN) Program; for post-doctoral; \$90K/yr x 2yrs;
 2-3 awards/yr; https://www.kidneyfund.org/professionals-and-research/clinical-scientist-nephrology-program;
 12/18/2023

American Society of Nephrology Foundation for Kidney Research:

- Ben J. Lipps Research Fellowship Program; for post-doctoral; MD, DO, PhD; May not have completed more than five years of research training after the completion of the MD, DO, equivalent degree, or three years of postdoctoral research training after the PhD degree at the time of the activation of the award, ASN member, the sponsor of the candidate must also be an ASN member at the time of the fellowship application; \$50K/yr x 2yrs; https://www.asn-online.org/grants/tig/details.aspx?app=TIG; 12/6/2023
- Transition to Independence Grants KidneyCure Grants and Partner Grants; for faculty; MD, PhD; Must be within 10 years of initial faculty appointment at the time of the award activation, ASN member; \$100K/yr x 2yrs; https://www.asnonline.org/grants/tig/details.aspx?app=TIG; 12/6/2023
- William and Sandra Bennett Clinical Scholars Program; for faculty; MD, DO, PhD; Must be within 10 years of initial faculty appointment at the time of the award activation, ASN at the time of the application, the sponsor of the candidate must also be an ASN member at the time of the application; \$50K/yr x 2yrs; https://www.asn-online.org/grants/tig/details.aspx?app=TIG; 12/6/2023

NEUROLOGY

Alzheimer's Drug Discovery Foundation (ADDF):

- Diagnostics Accelerator: Digital Biomarkers Program; early to mid; \$500K/yr x 1yr; https://www.alzdiscovery.org/research-and-grants/diagnostics-accelerator; rolling LOI
- Diagnostics Accelerator: Peripheral Biomarkers Program; early to mid; \$500K/yr x 1yr; https://www.alzdiscovery.org/research-and-grants/diagnostics-accelerator; rolling LOI

American Epilepsy Society:

Seed Grant Program; \$ unspecified/; https://cms.aesnet.org/research-funding/funding/established/seed-grants; 10/25/2023

Epilepsy Foundation:

 Sergievsky Award for Epilepsy Health Equity and Diversity; MD, DO, PhD, PharmD, Doctor of Nursing; \$75K/yr x 2yrs; https://www.aesnet.org/research-funding/funding/early-career/sergievsky-award/; 1/18/2024

Peter and Patricia Gruber Foundation:

Neuroscience Prize; for faculty; \$500K/yr x 1yr; https://gruber.yale.edu/gruber-prizes; 12/15/2023

Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), McGovern Institute for Brain Research:

 Edward M. Scolnick Prize in Neuroscience; for faculty; \$200K/yr x 1yr; 1 award/yr; https://mcgovern.mit.edu/events/edward-m-scolnick-prize-in-neuroscience/; 12/15/2023

The Mayday Fund:

 The Mayday Pain & Society Fellowship: Communicating Science & Improving Care; \$ unspecified/yr x 1yr; http://www.maydayfund.org/apply-for-a-grant/; rolling

McKnight Endowment Fund for Neuroscience:

• Scholar Awards; for faculty; Assistant Professor; early; Must have served at the rank of Assistant Professor for less than five years at the application deadline;

\$75K/yr x 3yrs; 10 awards/yr; https://www.mcknight.org/programs/the-mcknight-endowment-fund-for-neuroscience/scholar-awards; 1/15/2024

Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research (MJFF):

- Edmond J. Safra Fellowship in Movement Disorders; MD, MD/PhD; \$90K/yr x 2yrs; 8 awards/yr; https://www.michaeljfox.org/grant/edmond-j-safrafellowship-movement-disorders; 12/7/2023
- Parkinson's Disease Therapeutics Pipeline Program (Clinical); Accepting LOI's on a rolling basis throughout the year with four deadlines for invited full proposals on 1/18/24, 4/18/24, 7/18/24; \$250K-\$666,666/yr x 1-3yrs; https://www.michaeljfox.org/grant/parkinsons-disease-therapeutics-pipeline-program?em_cid=mc-a1b1R00000AQ6Cf&et_cid=2242817&et_rid=603745084&et_lid=https%3A//www.michaeljfox.org/grant/pre-clinical-therapeutics-pipeline-program%3Fem_cid%3Dmc-a1b1R00000AQ6C; rolling LOI

Pershing Square Foundation:

Mind Prize (Maximizing Innovation in Neuroscience Discovery); for faculty; early to mid; MD, PhD, MD/PhD; Completed at least one (1) but no more than ten (10) years of independent research experience as a tenure-track faculty member by the start date of the Prize (May 2024); \$250K/yr x 3yrs; https://prizeapplication.smapply.io/; 11/13/2023 LOI

NURSING

American Association of Critical-Care Nurses:

 AACN Impact Research Grants; AACN member; \$25K/yr x 2yrs; 3 awards/yr; https://www.aacn.org/nursing-excellence/grants; 10/27/2023

ONCOLOGY

A Breath of Hope Lung Foundation:

Research Program **Deadline Extended**; for faculty; early; MD, MD/PhD, PhD, DO, DrPH, MS; Within 10 years of a terminal research degree; \$75K/yr x 2yrs; 2 awards/yr; https://abreathofhope.org/lung-cancer-research/?; 10/19/2023 LOI

Alan B. Slifka Foundation:

Sarcoma Research Grants; \$50K/yr x 1yr; http://www.slifkafoundation.org/our-work/sarcoma-research; rolling LOI

American Association for Cancer Research (AACR):

 AACR-Bristol Myers Squibb Mid-Career Female Investigator Grant; for faculty; Associate Professor; PhD, MD, MD/PhD; Applicants must also have received their first NIH R01 (or equivalent) award within the past 10 years, female, AACR member; \$75K/yr x 3yrs; https://www.aacr.org/grants/aacr-bms-midcareer-female-investigator-grant/; 11/21/2023

CLL Society (Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia):

- Clinical Scholar Award; Assistant Professor or above; established; \$100K/yr x 3yrs; https://cllsociety.org/current-funding-opportunities/; 11/6/2023 LOI
- Integrative Medicine Award; for faculty; mid to established; \$50K/yr x 2yrs; https://cllsociety.org/current-funding-opportunities/; 11/6/2023 LOI
- Young Investigator Award; post-doctoral; Instructor, Assistant Professor; MD/DO and/or PhD; \$50K/yr x 3yrs; https://cllsociety.org/current-funding-opportunities/; 11/6/2023 LOI

Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (LLS):

Discovery Grant Program (DGP) - Previously known as the Blood Cancer
Discoveries Grant Program **Deadline Extended**; for faculty; early to mid; PhD,
MD, DVM; More than three years in an independent faculty appointment; \$250K/yr
x 3yrs; https://www.lls.org/research/apply-discovery-grant-program;
10/11/2023 LOI

Melanoma Research Foundation:

Mid-Career Bridge Grants; for faculty; Instructor, Assistant Professor; mid; PhD, MD; Must be within 15 years of obtaining their first independent position; \$100K/yr x 1yr; https://melanoma.org/research-science/research-grants/research-grant-rfps/; 12/15/2023

Mesothelioma Applied Research Foundation:

 Research Grant; for faculty; \$50K/yr x 2yrs; http://www.curemeso.org/site/c.dulWJfNQKiL8G/b.8578449/k.2D6B/Grants_f or_Mesothelioma_Research.htm; 11/1/2023 LOI

The Elsa U. Pardee Foundation:

 Research Grants; for faculty, post-doctoral; \$ vary x 1yr; https://pardeefoundation.org/how-to-apply/; 12/15/2023

Society of Surgical Oncology (SSO):

- Clinical Investigator Award; MD; Must be a surgical oncologist within 8 years of completion of fellowship or related training, must be a full SSO US member in good standing for at least 6 months prior to application submission to be eligible; \$50K/yr x 2yrs; https://www.surgonc.org/resources/research-funding/; 12/1/2023
- Young Investigator Award; DO, MD, MD/PhD; Must be a surgical oncologist within five (5) years of completion of fellowship or related training, must be an SSO U.S. member for at least six (6) months prior to application submission to be eligible for an award; \$25K/yr x 1yr; https://www.surgonc.org/resources/researchfunding/; 12/1/2023

Terri Brodeur Breast Cancer Foundation (TBBCF):

 Research Fellowship Grants; early; PhD, MD/PhD, MD; \$62,500/yr x 2yrs; https://tbbcf.org/research/; 11/22/2023 LOI

ORTHOPEDICS

American Orthopaedic Foot & Ankle Society:

 Small Project Research Grants; Either the principal investigator or co-investigator on an application must be an AOFAS member in good standing; \$20K/yr x 1yr; https://www.aofas.org/research-policy/research-grants-program; 11/1/2023

PHARMACEUTICAL

American Society of Health-System Pharmacists Foundation (ASHP):

 Optimizing Technology Solutions Innovation Grant; \$30K/yr x 1yr; https://www.ashpfoundation.org/grants-and-awards/research-grants/optimizing-technology-solutions-innovation-grant; 1/30/2024

PSYCH

American Psychological Association (APA):

- Elizabeth Munsterberg Koppitz Child Psychology Graduate Student Fellowship; for pre-doctoral; \$25K/yr x 1yr; 1 award/yr; https://apf.apa.org/funding/koppitzchild-psychology-fellowship/; 11/15/2023
- Esther Katz Rosen Fund Grants; for post-doctoral, pre-doctoral; \$50K/yr x 1yr; 1 award/yr; https://apf.apa.org/funding/katz-rosen-fund-grants/; 3/1/2024

PULMONOLOGY

Cystic Fibrosis Foundation (CFF):

 CFF/NIH R01 Unfunded Award (CF-related research projects that have been submitted to and approved by the NIH but cannot be supported by available funds); \$125K/yr x 2yrs; https://www.cff.org/researchers/cffnih-r01-unfunded-award; 12/15/2023

RADIOLOGY

American College of Radiology (ACR):

- Neiman Institute Health Policy Research Grants Harvey L. Neiman Grant; for faculty; early to established; MD, DO, PhD; Preference will be given to applicants who are current members of ACR; \$75K/yr x 1yr; 1 award/yr; https://www.neimanhpi.org/grants-fellowships/; 1/29/2024
- Neiman Institute Health Policy Research Grants Richard Duszak Grant; for faculty; early to established; MD, DO, PhD; Preference will be given to applicants who are current members of ACR; \$75K/yr x 1yr; 1 award/yr; https://www.neimanhpi.org/grants-fellowships/; 1/29/2024

Association of University Radiologists (AUR):

 AUR GE Radiology Research Academic Fellowship (GERRAF) Award; for faculty, fellows; MD; AUR member; \$70K/yr x 2yrs; 4 awards/yr; https://www.aur.org/aur-ge-radiology-research-academic-fellowship-gerraf-award; 1/19/2024

Radiological Society of North America (RSNA):

 Derek Harwood-Nash International Education Scholar Grant; RSNA member; \$75K/yr x 1yr; https://www.rsna.org/research/fundingopportunities/education-grants; 1/12/2024

- Research Scholar Grant; Instructor, Assistant Professor; early; Hired within the
 last 8 years with an academic rank of instructor, assistant professor or an
 equivalent title, only one new nomination may be submitted per department per
 year, RSNA member; \$100K/yr x 2yrs;
 https://www.rsna.org/en/research/funding-opportunities; 1/19/2024
- Research Seed Grant; for faculty; early to established; RSNA member; \$60K/yr x 1yr; https://www.rsna.org/en/research/funding-opportunities; 1/19/2024
- Resident/Fellow Research Grant; for faculty, resident, fellow; up to and including Assistant Professor; early; RSNA member; \$50K-\$75K/yr x 1yr; https://www.rsna.org/en/research/funding-opportunities; 1/19/2024

REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH

American Society for Reproductive Medicine (ASRM):

- ASRM Diversity Fellowship Research Award; MD, DO; Must include the mandatory proposal checklist with submission; \$15K/yr x 1yr; 2 awards/yr; https://www.asrmresearch.org/rfp/pe-grant-opportunities/diversity-fellowship?ssopc=1; 12/1/2023
- KY Cha Award in Stem Cell Technology; for faculty; MD, PhD, DO, and/or DVM; Please note that ASRM members will receive preferential review, must include the mandatory proposal checklist with submission; \$10K/yr x 2yrs; https://www.asrmresearch.org/rfp/pe-grant-opportunities/ky-cha?ssopc=1; 12/1/2023

RHEUMATOLOGY

A Foundation Building Strength (AFBS):

Building Muscle Initiative Research Grant; for faculty, post-doctoral; \$
unspecified/yr x 1yr; http://buildingstrength.org/research/scientists/; rolling

Rheumatology Research Foundation:

 Mentored Nurse Practitioner/Physician Assistant Award for Workforce Expansion; mid to established; Must be an ACR member at the time of submission and for the duration of the award; \$25K/yr x 1yr; https://www.rheumresearch.org/education-and-training-awards; 12/1/2023

SPINE

International Society for the Study of the Lumbar Spine:

 Clinical Science Research Grant; early; At least one investigator must be a current ISSLS member; \$20K/yr x 1yr; https://www.issls.org/issls-clinical-scienceresearch-grant; 2/28/2024

SURGERY

American College of Surgeons:

 ACS Faculty Research Fellowships; MD; \$40K/yr x 2yrs; https://www.facs.org/member-services/scholarships/research/acsfaculty; 12/15/2023

Arthroscopy Association of North America (AANA):

 Research Grants; \$25K-\$50K/yr x 1yr; 7 awards/yr; https://www.aana.org/research/research-grants/; 11/17/2023

Association for Surgical Education Foundation:

 CESERT Pyramid Grant Program - Giant Robotic; for faculty; ASE member; \$12,500/yr x 2yrs; 2 awards/yr; https://www.surgicaleducation.com/cesert-pyramid-grant-application/; 2/1/2024

The Plastic Surgery Foundation:

- National Endowment for Plastic Surgery; for faculty, post-doctoral; ASPS member or must obtain sponsorship from an Active or Candidate ASPS member at your institution; \$25K/yr x 2yrs; https://www.thepsf.org/research/grantsprogram/national-endowment-for-plastic-surgery; 12/1/2023
- PSF Aesthetic Plastic Surgery Research Grant; for resident, fellow; ASPS member or must obtain sponsorship from an Active or Candidate ASPS member at your institution; \$25K/yr x 1yr; https://www.thepsf.org/research/grants-program/aesthetic-plastic-surgery-research-grant; 12/1/2023
 PSF Directed Research Grant; ASPS member or must obtain sponsorship from an
- PSF Directed Research Grant; ASPS member or must obtain sponsorship from an Active or Candidate ASPS member at your institution; \$25K/yr x 2yrs; https://www.thepsf.org/research/grants-program/directed-research-grantbreast-implant-safety; 12/1/2023

 Research Fellowships; for faculty; MD, DO; ASPS member or must obtain sponsorship from an Active or Candidate ASPS member at your institution; \$50K/yr x 1yr; https://www.thepsf.org/research/grants-program/research-fellowships; 12/1/2023

Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES):

- Intuitive Surgical Robotic Surgery Grants **Deadline Extended**; early; Has not practiced surgery independently for more than 5 years, SAGES member including candidate members; \$50K/yr x 1yr; https://www.sages.org/research/; 11/10/2023
- SAGES Research Grants **Deadline Extended**; early; Has not practiced surgery independently for more than 5 years, SAGES member including candidate members; \$30K/yr x 1yr; https://www.sages.org/research/; 11/10/2023

UROLOGY

American Urological Association (AUA):

 Research Scholar Awards; early; Clinical and postdoctoral fellows who are no more than five years beyond completing a doctorate or residency, early career investigators who are in the first five years after beginning a faculty position; \$40K/yr x 1yr; https://www.auanet.org/research-and-data/researchawards/aua-funding; 11/9/2023 LOI

VETERINARY

American College of Laboratory Animal Medicine (ACLAM):

Research Grants in Laboratory Animal Science and Medicine; for faculty; \$50K/yr x 1yr; http://www.aclam.org/foundation; 12/1/2023 LOI

VISION

Champalimaud Foundation:

 António Champalimaud Vision Award; €1,000,000/yr x 1yr; https://www.fchampalimaud.org/vision-award; 1/15/2024

Research to Prevent Blindness:

- Challenge Grant (CG); for faculty; MD/PhD, MD, PhD, OD, MPH; Intended for ophthalmology departments which have not received RPB departmental support (Unrestricted or Challenge) in the last four (4) years; \$75K/yr x 4yrs; Given the limited number of applications for the department, coordination with the Department Chair is critical; https://www.rpbusa.org/rpb/grants-and-research/grants/rpb-unrestricted-grants/challenge-grants/; 1/10/2024, 7/1/2024
- RPB Career Development Award; for faculty; up to and including Assistant Professor; early; MD, PhD, MD/PhD; Nomination forms due no later than December 15, 2023 Applications received without a prior nomination form will not be accepted, first full-time ophthalmology faculty appointment must have been within 3 years of the application deadline, grantee chairs may nominate up to two (2) candidates per department; \$87,500/yr x 4yrs; Given the limited number of applications for the department, coordination with the Department Chair is critical; https://www.rpbusa.org/rpb/grants-and-research/grants/grants-for-individuals/career-development-awards_1/; 1/10/2024, 7/1/2024
- RPB Stein Innovation Award; for faculty; Associate Professor, Professor; MD, PhD, MD/PhD; Nomination forms due no later than December 15, 2023 Applications received without a prior nomination form will not be accepted, though multiple candidates can be nominated, only one award per department can be approved; \$150K/yr x 2yrs; Given the limited number of applications for the department, coordination with the Department Chair is critical; http://www.rpbusa.org/rpb/grants-and-research/grants/grants-for-individuals/stein-innovation-awards/; 1/10/2024, 7/1/2024
- RPB/LCIF Low Vision Research Award; for faculty; Assistant Professor to Professor; Nomination forms due no later than December 15, 2023 - Applications received without a prior nomination form will not be accepted; \$150K/yr x 2yrs; Given the limited number of applications for the department, coordination with the Department Chair is critical; https://www.rpbusa.org/rpb/grants-andresearch/grants/grants-for-individuals/grants-for-individuals/; 1/10/2024
- Unrestricted Grants (UG); for faculty; MD/PhD, MD, PhD, OD, MPH; Provides maximum flexibility in developing and expanding eye research programs; \$115K/yr x 1yr; Given the limited number of applications for the department, coordination with the Department Chair is critical; https://www.rpbusa.org/rpb/grants-and-research/grants/rpb-unrestricted-grants/; 1/10/2024, 7/1/2024
- Walt and Lilly Disney Award For Ambylopia Research; for faculty; Assistant

Professor to Professor; MD, PhD, MD/PhD; Nomination forms due no later than December 15, 2023 - Applications received without a prior nomination form will not be accepted, only one nomination per department per school will be considered; \$50K/yr x 2yrs; 1-2 awards/yr; Given the limited number of applications for the department, coordination with the Department Chair is critical; https://www.rpbusa.org/rpb/grants-and-research/grants/grants-for-individuals/disney-amblyopia-research-award/; 1/10/2024

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