

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.

FEATURED OPPORTUNITY**SebastianStrong Foundation****Discovery Science Award** **LIMITED SUBMISSION**

- In select cases, proposals demonstrating exceptional potential for impact and scalability may be considered for higher levels of support
- See email dated 10/15/25 from the Office of Research/Center for Clinical and Translational Science or **InfoReady** for more information
- \$500K over 1-3 years; 1+ awards
- Internal deadline 11/3/2025 LOI
- **Website**

BIOMEDICAL**Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center****Harold M. Weintraub Graduate Student Award**

- Predoctoral
- Only one nomination may be submitted per department or program
- 12/5/2025
- 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
- **Website**

Albert and Mary Lasker Foundation**Albert Lasker Basic Medical Research Award**

- 2/2/2026
- UMass Recipients: 2008 Victor Ambros, PhD
- **Website**

Lasker-DeBakey Clinical Medical Research Award

- 2/2/2026
- **Website**

Lasker-Koshland Special Achievement Award in Medical Science

- 2/2/2026
- **Website**

DERMATOLOGY**Pediatric Dermatology Research Alliance (PeDRA)**

Pediatric Ichthyosis Challenge Grant (*partnered with the Foundation for Ichthyosis and Related Skin Types*)

- Researcher, Clinician
- Early to mid

- MD and/or PhD, or equivalent
- \$25K over 1 year
- 12/4/2025
- **Website**

Study Support Grants

- Awarded per project
- Active PeDRA member
- \$4K over 6 months
- Rolling through 12/31/25
- **Website**

Pfizer

Bridging the Inflammatory Dermatoses Care Divide with Teledermatology Grant Program

(collaborating with George Washington University)

- \$250K over 1 year; 1 award
- 11/11/2025
- **Website**

EDUCATION

Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologists

CSTE Applied Epidemiology Fellowship

- Postdoctoral
- Qualifying degree completed within the last five (5) years
- \$111,010-\$141,810 over 2 years
- 1/16/2026
- **Website**

ENDOCRINOLOGY

American Diabetes Association (ADA)

Innovative Research for Enhanced Diabetes Prevention and Care in Primary Care

Settings: Innovative Clinical or Translational Science Awards

- Full-time Independent Faculty or equivalent
- MD, PhD, DMD, DO, PharmD, DVM or an equivalent health or science-related degree
- \$600K over 3 years
- 12/4/2025 LOI
- **Website**

Innovative Research for Enhanced Diabetes Prevention and Care in Primary Care

Settings: Junior Faculty Development Award

- Full-time Independent Faculty
- Up to and including Assistant Professor
- MD, PhD, DMD, DO, PharmD, DVM or an equivalent health or science-related degree
- Have no more than ten (10) years of research experience following receipt of their terminal degree
- \$414K over 3 years
- 12/4/2025 LOI
- **Website**

Innovative Research to Improve the Lives of Older Adults Living with Diabetes: Innovative Basic Science Award

- Full-time Faculty
- Established career
- Applications from investigators with less than a full-time appointment will be considered on a case-by-case basis
- \$345K over 3 years
- 12/4/2025 LOI
- **Website**

Innovative Research to Improve the Lives of Older Adults Living with Diabetes: Innovative Clinical or Translational Science Awards

- Full-time Faculty
- Established career
- Applications from investigators with less than a full-time appointment will be considered on a case-by-case basis
- \$600K over 3 years
- 12/4/2025 LOI

- **Website**

Innovative Research to Improve the Lives of Older Adults Living with Diabetes: Junior Faculty Development Award

- Full-time Faculty
- Up to and including Assistant Professor
- Early career
- MD, PhD, DPM, PharmD or DO
- No more than ten (10) years of research experience following receipt of their terminal degree
- Applications from investigators with less than a full-time appointment will be considered on a case-by-case basis
- \$414K over 3 years
- 12/4/2025 LOI
- **Website**

GASTROENTEROLOGY

American Society for Gastrointestinal Endoscopy (ASGE)

NYSGE Research Award for Collaboration in Honor of Florence Lefcourt (REACH Award)

- Early to established career
- MD, DO, or equivalent clinical doctoral degree
- Candidate must be a member of both ASGE and NYSGE
- \$25K over 1 year
- 12/5/2025
- **Website**

Biocodex Microbiota Foundation

Gut Microbiota International Grant

- MD, PhD, Pharm-D
- €200,000 over 1-3 years
- 11/30/2025
- **Website**

Wellcome Leap

FORM - Foundations of a Resilient Microbiome

- Amount and/or duration vary and/are unpublicized
- Contact CFR to consult prior to submission
- Over 3 years
- 11/14/2025 LOI
- **Website**

GENETICS

The CHARGE Syndrome Foundation

Scientific and Clinical Research Grant Program

- Early to established career
- \$50K over 1 year
- Rolling
- **Website**

Scientific Research Grant Program

- Faculty
- Early to established career
- \$50K over 1 year
- 12/15/2025
- **Website**

Huntington's Disease Foundation *(formerly the Hereditary Disease Foundation)*

Transformative Research Award

- \$300K-\$500K over 2 years
- 1/15/2026 LOI
- **Website**

Usher Syndrome Society

Translational Research Grants

- Tenure-track Faculty

- MD, PhD, MD-PhD, or equivalent
- \$200K over 2 years
- 10/24/2025
- **Website**

HEALTH CARE

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF)

Health Equity Scholars for Action

- Junior Faculty, Postdoctoral Fellow
- Early career
- Have completed a terminal degree within the last five years
- The degree can be in any field and is not limited to public health or health sciences
- Be a junior faculty member in an accredited school in the U.S. or its territories ("home institution"), with a full-time academic position that could lead to tenure, or a postdoctoral fellow poised to be in such a position by the start of the grant
- \$260K over 2 years; 15 awards
- 11/6/2025 LOI
- **Website**

HEMATOLOGY

American Society of Hematology (ASH)

ASH Research Training Award for Fellows (RTAF)

- Postdoctoral
- MD, DO, DO-PhD, MD-PhD
- Be a fellow in an ACGME or RCPSC
- ASH member
- \$70K over 1 year
- 1/22/2026
- UMass Recipients: 2016 Sakiko Suzuki, MD
- **Website**

MEDICINE

Association of American Medical Colleges

Alpha Omega Alpha Robert J. Glaser Distinguished Teacher Awards

- Faculty
- The nominee must hold the rank of Assistant Professor or higher in either a tenure or nontenure track
- The awardee's nominating institution will receive a grant of \$2,500 for teaching activities, and, if the nominating institution has an AOA chapter, the chapter will receive a \$1,000 grant for support of its activities
- \$7,500 over 1 year; 4 awards
- 4/3/2026
- UMass Recipients: 2025 Melissa Fischer, MD
- **Website**

NEUROLOGY

American Epilepsy Society (AES)

AES/Epilepsy Wellness Advocates Early Career Research Award

- Faculty, Clinical Fellow, Research Fellow, Postdoctoral Fellow
- Assistant Professor or equivalent
- Early career
- MD, DO, PhD, ScD, PharmD, or equivalent degree
- Researchers with other early faculty appointments (such as Instructor, Adjunct Track, etc.) may apply but are strongly encouraged to provide a letter of support from their department chair
- \$70K over 1 year
- 1/22/2026
- **Website**

Junior Investigator Research Awards

- Faculty
- Assistant Professor or equivalent
- Early career

- MD, DO, PhD, ScD, PharmD, RN, or equivalent degree
- Researchers with other early faculty appointments (such as Instructor, Adjunct Track, etc.) may apply but are strongly encouraged to provide a letter of support from their department chair
- \$75K over 1 year
- 1/22/2026
- **Website**

Postdoctoral Research Fellowships

- Postdoctoral
- Early career
- MD, DO, PhD, ScD, PharmD, RN, or equivalent degree
- \$50K over 1 year
- 1/22/2026
- **Website**

Predoctoral Research Fellowships

- Predoctoral
- Early career
- Be matriculating in a full-time doctoral (PhD) program in a field relevant to epilepsy research
- \$30K over 1 year
- 1/22/2026
- **Website**

Research and Training Fellowships for Clinicians

- Clinical Fellow, Clinical Faculty
- Early career
- MD, DO, PhD, ScD, DO, PharmD, or equivalent degree
- Be a clinical fellow, postdoctoral fellow, or newly appointed clinical faculty member within five years of first full-time appointment at an appropriate institution by the beginning of the project term
- Requires a mentored research experience
- \$75K over 1 year
- 1/22/2026
- **Website**

Sergieivsky Award

- Clinical Fellow, Research Fellow, Clinical Instructor, or Clinician Investigator or Assistant Professor for Clinicians, or equivalent levels of career for nonphysicians in neuropsychology, psychology, pharmacology, nursing, or research
- Early career
- MD, DO, PhD, PharmD, Doctor of Nursing, or other professional degree
- \$150K over 2 years
- 1/22/2026
- **Website**

American Neurogastroenterology and Motility Society

ANMS Bridge Funding Program

- Faculty
- Assistant Professor, Associate Professor, Full Professor
- Applicants must have a history of successful federal funding, such as a recently concluded (within the last 3 years) R-level award or an R-level award that will end within 6 months and must have applied for the renewal of federal funding
- It is anticipated that successful candidates will maintain their membership with the ANMS
- \$50K over 1 year; 1 award
- 10/29/2025
- **Website**

ANMS Discovery Grants Program

- Clinical Fellowship Trainee, Postdoctoral Research Fellows, Faculty
- Within 10 years of the completion of their training and no prior or current independent grant funding
- Both the applicant and mentor should be ANMS members at the time of application and maintain the membership for at least two years
- \$30K over 1 year; 2 awards
- 10/29/2025
- **Website**

ANMS Transition Award Program

- Have not yet received independent R-level funding and who are pursuing projects spanning basic science, translational investigation, and clinical research pertaining to neurogastroenterology and GI motility

- It is anticipated that successful candidates will maintain their membership with the ANMS
- \$50K over 1 year; 1 award
- 10/29/2025
- **Website**

Cure Alzheimer's Fund (Alzheimer's Disease Research Foundation)

Research Grants

- Amount and/or duration vary and are unpublicized
- Contact CFR first before applying
- Rolling LOI
- **Website**

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

Edward M. Scolnick Prize in Neuroscience

- Self-nomination is not permitted
- \$225K over 1 year; 1 award
- 12/15/2025
- **Website**

Parkinson's Foundation

Paul Orefice Innovations in Care Awards

- Clinician
- Physicians must have completed a residency in neurology or be able to justify the relevance of their training pathway is of benefit to people with PD
- Allied health professionals must hold an advanced degree, typically a PhD
- All applicants must demonstrate a significant focus on PD
- \$200K over 2 years
- 10/31/2025 LOI
- **Website**

NURSING

National League for Nursing (NLN)

Nursing Education Research Grants

- Faculty, Doctoral Student
- A nurse must be a member of the team, but it is not required that they are the PI
- Final decision will fall with NLN grants staff
- NLN member
- \$30K over 1 year; 4-5 awards
- 1/21/2026
- **Website**

OBSTETRICS / GYNECOLOGY

National Vulvodynia Association (NVA)

Vulvodynia Research Award

- Early to established career
- Grants usually range from \$40K to \$80K with a maximum of \$100K
- Although we acknowledge the usefulness of CBT and mindfulness in coping with chronic pain, we are not funding psychosocial proposals at this time
- \$100K over 1 year
- 10/27/2025 LOI
- **Website**

ONCOLOGY

American Society for Radiation Oncology (ASTRO)

ASTRO Residents/Fellows in Radiation Oncology Seed Grant

- Resident, Fellow
- PhD, MD/PhD, MD, DO, or other equivalent degrees(s)
- Must be enrolled in a U.S. residency or fellowship at the time of application
- ASTRO member
- \$50K over 1 year; 1 award
- 1/26/2026
- **Website**

ASTRO-AAPM Physics Resident/Post-Doctoral Fellow Seed Grant

- Medical Physics Resident, Postdoctoral Fellow
- PhD
- ASTRO and AAPM member
- \$50K over 1 year
- 3/18/2026
- **Website**

ASTRO-LUNGEvity Residents/Fellows in Radiation Oncology Seed Grant

- Resident, Fellow
- PhD, MD/PhD, MD, DO, or other equivalent degrees(s)
- Must be enrolled in a U.S. residency or fellowship at the time of application
- ASTRO member
- \$50K over 1 year; 1 award
- 1/26/2026
- **Website**

The Children's Oncology Group Foundation

The Jeffrey Pride Foundation Integrated Correlative Biology Awards

- COG member
- See **Proposal Central** for more information
- \$100K over 1 year; 4 awards
- 10/29/2025
- **Website**

Foundation for Women's Cancer

Amy Krouse Rosenthal Foundation Research Grant for Early Detection of Ovarian Cancer

- Faculty
- Instructor, Assistant Professor, Associate Professor
- Early career
- Within 7 years of first faculty appointment
- Society of Gynecologic Oncology (SGO) member, a co-investigator is an SGO member, or an SGO member agrees to sponsor
- Up to three (3) grants may be awarded per institution per research cycle - This number may increase or decrease based on the number of research grants being offered during a calendar year and may be modified based on the Research Grants Committee's discretion
- Only one (1) application per applicant will be accepted each year
- All grant applications will be considered for all eligible grants of a similar amount
- \$72,500 over 1 year
- 10/4/2024 LOI
- **Website**

Brief for A Research Grant Focused on Innovative Uses of Personalized Molecular Residual Disease Testing in Gynecologic Cancers

- Faculty
- Instructor, Assistant Professor, Associate Professor
- Early career
- Within 7 years of first faculty appointment
- Society of Gynecologic Oncology (SGO) member, a co-investigator is an SGO member, or an SGO member agrees to sponsor
- Up to three (3) grants may be awarded per institution per research cycle - This number may increase or decrease based on the number of research grants being offered during a calendar year and may be modified based on the Research Grants Committee's discretion
- Only one (1) application per applicant will be accepted each year
- All grant applications will be considered for all eligible grants of a similar amount
- \$50K over 1 year
- 10/27/2025 LOI
- **Website**

Foundation for Women's Cancer Move4Her Research Grant

- Faculty
- Instructor, Assistant Professor, Associate Professor
- Early career
- Within 7 years of first faculty appointment
- Society of Gynecologic Oncology (SGO) member, a co-investigator is an SGO member, or an SGO member agrees to sponsor
- Up to three (3) grants may be awarded per institution per research cycle - This number may increase or decrease based on the number of research grants being offered during a calendar year and may be modified based on the Research Grants Committee's discretion
- Only one (1) application per applicant will be accepted each year
- All grant applications will be considered for all eligible grants of a similar amount

- \$50K over 1 year
- 10/27/2025 LOI
- **Website**

FWC BRIDGES 2.0 Accelerator Research Grants

- Faculty
- Instructor, Assistant Professor, Associate Professor
- Early career
- Within 7 years of first faculty appointment
- Society of Gynecologic Oncology (SGO) member, a co-investigator is an SGO member, or an SGO member agrees to sponsor
- Up to three (3) grants may be awarded per institution per research cycle - This number may increase or decrease based on the number of research grants being offered during a calendar year and may be modified based on the Research Grants Committee's discretion
- Only one (1) application per applicant will be accepted each year
- All grant applications will be considered for all eligible grants of a similar amount
- \$50K over 1 year; 2 awards
- 10/27/2025 LOI
- **Website**

Grant in Memory of Peggy A. Yates

- Faculty
- Instructor, Assistant Professor, Associate Professor
- Early career
- Within 7 years of first faculty appointment
- Society of Gynecologic Oncology (SGO) member, a co-investigator is an SGO member, or an SGO member agrees to sponsor
- Up to three (3) grants may be awarded per institution per research cycle - This number may increase or decrease based on the number of research grants being offered during a calendar year and may be modified based on the Research Grants Committee's discretion
- Only one (1) application per applicant will be accepted each year
- All grant applications will be considered for all eligible grants of a similar amount
- \$50K over 1 year
- 10/27/2025 LOI
- **Website**

Institute for Surgical Excellence — Surgical Innovation Research Grant

- Faculty
- Instructor, Assistant Professor, Associate Professor
- Early career
- Within 7 years of first faculty appointment
- Society of Gynecologic Oncology (SGO) member, a co-investigator is an SGO member, or an SGO member agrees to sponsor
- Up to three (3) grants may be awarded per institution per research cycle - This number may increase or decrease based on the number of research grants being offered during a calendar year and may be modified based on the Research Grants Committee's discretion
- Only one (1) application per applicant will be accepted each year
- All grant applications will be considered for all eligible grants of a similar amount
- \$50K over 1 year
- 10/27/2025 LOI
- **Website**

Laura Crandall Brown Foundation Ovarian Cancer Early Detection Grant

- Faculty
- Instructor, Assistant Professor, Associate Professor
- Early career
- Within 7 years of first faculty appointment
- Society of Gynecologic Oncology (SGO) member, a co-investigator is an SGO member, or an SGO member agrees to sponsor
- Up to three (3) grants may be awarded per institution per research cycle - This number may increase or decrease based on the number of research grants being offered during a calendar year and may be modified based on the Research Grants Committee's discretion
- Only one (1) application per applicant will be accepted each year
- All grant applications will be considered for all eligible grants of a similar amount
- \$50K over 1 year
- 10/27/2025 LOI
- **Website**

National Ovarian Cancer Coalition Early Detection Research Grant

- Faculty
- Instructor, Assistant Professor, Associate Professor
- Early career
- Within 7 years of first faculty appointment

- Society of Gynecologic Oncology (SGO) member, a co-investigator is an SGO member, or an SGO member agrees to sponsor
- Up to three (3) grants may be awarded per institution per research cycle - This number may increase or decrease based on the number of research grants being offered during a calendar year and may be modified based on the Research Grants Committee's discretion
- Only one (1) application per applicant will be accepted each year
- All grant applications will be considered for all eligible grants of a similar amount
- \$50K over 1 year
- 10/27/2025 LOI
- **Website**

National Ovarian Cancer Coalition Health Equity & Diversity Research Grant

- Faculty
- Instructor, Assistant Professor, Associate Professor
- Early career
- Within 7 years of first faculty appointment
- Society of Gynecologic Oncology (SGO) member, a co-investigator is an SGO member, or an SGO member agrees to sponsor
- Up to three (3) grants may be awarded per institution per research cycle - This number may increase or decrease based on the number of research grants being offered during a calendar year and may be modified based on the Research Grants Committee's discretion
- Only one (1) application per applicant will be accepted each year
- All grant applications will be considered for all eligible grants of a similar amount
- \$50K over 1 year
- 10/27/2025 LOI
- **Website**

National Ovarian Cancer Coalition Quality of Life Research Grant

- Faculty
- Instructor, Assistant Professor, Associate Professor
- Early career
- Within 7 years of first faculty appointment
- Society of Gynecologic Oncology (SGO) member, a co-investigator is an SGO member, or an SGO member agrees to sponsor
- Up to three (3) grants may be awarded per institution per research cycle - This number may increase or decrease based on the number of research grants being offered during a calendar year and may be modified based on the Research Grants Committee's discretion
- Only one (1) application per applicant will be accepted each year
- All grant applications will be considered for all eligible grants of a similar amount
- \$50K over 1 year
- 10/27/2025 LOI
- **Website**

The Genmab Research Grant Advancing Innovation in Ovarian and Endometrial Cancer

- Faculty
- Instructor, Assistant Professor, Associate Professor
- Early career
- Within 7 years of first faculty appointment
- Society of Gynecologic Oncology (SGO) member, a co-investigator is an SGO member, or an SGO member agrees to sponsor
- Up to three (3) grants may be awarded per institution per research cycle - This number may increase or decrease based on the number of research grants being offered during a calendar year and may be modified based on the Research Grants Committee's discretion
- Only one (1) application per applicant will be accepted each year
- All grant applications will be considered for all eligible grants of a similar amount
- \$50K over 1 year
- 10/27/2025 LOI
- **Website**

The Harold and Barbara Rosenbaum Family Foundation Cervical Cancer Diversity in Prevention & Clinical Research Grant

- Faculty
- Instructor, Assistant Professor, Associate Professor
- Early career
- Within 7 years of first faculty appointment
- Society of Gynecologic Oncology (SGO) member, a co-investigator is an SGO member, or an SGO member agrees to sponsor
- Up to three (3) grants may be awarded per institution per research cycle - This number may increase or decrease based on the number of research grants being offered during a calendar year and may be modified based on the Research Grants Committee's discretion
- Only one (1) application per applicant will be accepted each year
- All grant applications will be considered for all eligible grants of a similar amount
- \$50K over 1 year

- 10/27/2025 LOI
- **Website**

The St. Louis Ovarian Cancer Awareness Research Grant for Ovarian Cancer

- Faculty
- Instructor, Assistant Professor, Associate Professor
- Early career
- Within 7 years of first faculty appointment
- Society of Gynecologic Oncology (SGO) member, a co-investigator is an SGO member, or an SGO member agrees to sponsor
- Up to three (3) grants may be awarded per institution per research cycle - This number may increase or decrease based on the number of research grants being offered during a calendar year and may be modified based on the Research Grants Committee's discretion
- Only one (1) application per applicant will be accepted each year
- All grant applications will be considered for all eligible grants of a similar amount
- \$50K over 1 year
- 10/27/2025 LOI
- **Website**

Wendy R. Brewster MD, PhD Early Career Grant

- Faculty
- Instructor, Assistant Professor, Associate Professor
- Early career
- Within 7 years of first faculty appointment
- Society of Gynecologic Oncology (SGO) member, a co-investigator is an SGO member, or an SGO member agrees to sponsor
- Up to three (3) grants may be awarded per institution per research cycle - This number may increase or decrease based on the number of research grants being offered during a calendar year and may be modified based on the Research Grants Committee's discretion
- Only one (1) application per applicant will be accepted each year
- All grant applications will be considered for all eligible grants of a similar amount
- \$25K over 1 year
- 10/27/2025 LOI
- **Website**

Wilma Williams Education and Clinical Research Grant for Endometrial Cancer

- Faculty
- Instructor, Assistant Professor, Associate Professor
- Early career
- Within 7 years of first faculty appointment
- Society of Gynecologic Oncology (SGO) member, a co-investigator is an SGO member, or an SGO member agrees to sponsor
- Up to three (3) grants may be awarded per institution per research cycle - This number may increase or decrease based on the number of research grants being offered during a calendar year and may be modified based on the Research Grants Committee's discretion
- Only one (1) application per applicant will be accepted each year
- All grant applications will be considered for all eligible grants of a similar amount
- \$25K over 1 year
- 10/27/2025 LOI
- **Website**

Winter Meeting SGO Early Career Professional Research Grant

- Faculty
- Instructor, Assistant Professor, Associate Professor
- Early career
- Within 7 years of first faculty appointment
- Society of Gynecologic Oncology (SGO) member, a co-investigator is an SGO member, or an SGO member agrees to sponsor
- Up to three (3) grants may be awarded per institution per research cycle - This number may increase or decrease based on the number of research grants being offered during a calendar year and may be modified based on the Research Grants Committee's discretion
- Only one (1) application per applicant will be accepted each year
- All grant applications will be considered for all eligible grants of a similar amount
- \$50K over 1 year
- 10/27/2025 LOI
- **Website**

Ovarian Cancer Research Alliance (OCRA)

Rosalind Franklin Prize for Excellence in Ovarian Cancer Research

- Faculty
- MD, PhD, ScD
- \$10K over 1 year; 1 award

- 10/28/2025
- **Website**

Pfizer

Unmet Need and Emerging Data in Muscle Invasive Bladder Cancer (MIBC)

- \$10K-\$220K over 18-24 months; 2-5 awards
- 11/12/2025
- **Website**

Rising Tide Foundation

Early Career in Supportive Care Program

- Full-time Faculty
- First to third year of a full-time, primary faculty appointment in a clinical department at an academic medical institution worldwide
- \$245K over 4 years; 2 awards
- 10/30/2025 LOI
- **Website**

SebastianStrong Foundation

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- \$500K over 1-3 years; 1+ awards
- Internal deadline 11/3/2025 LOI
- **Website**

ORTHOPEDICS

American Orthopaedic Foot & Ankle Society (AOFAS)

Established Project Research Grants

- Early to established career
- Either the principal investigator or co-investigator on an application must be an AOFAS member in good standing in one of the following membership categories: Active Member, Candidate Member or International Member
- \$50K over 1 year
- 11/24/2025
- **Website**

Small Project Research Grants

- Early career
- Less than 10 years out of fellowship
- Either the principal investigator or co-investigator on an application must be an AOFAS member in good standing in one of the following membership categories: Active Member, Candidate Member or International Member
- \$20K over 1 year
- 11/24/2025
- **Website**

OTOLARYNGOLOGY

American Academy of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery

2026 Centralized Otolaryngology Research Efforts (CORE) Program *(supported by American Academy of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery Foundation (AAO-HNSF), American Head and Neck Society (AHNS), Association of Migraine Disorders (AMD), American Neurotology Society (ANS), American Rhinologic Society (ARS), American Society of Pediatric Otolaryngology (ASPO), International Surgical Sleep Society (ISSS), Eli Lilly and Company, Endowments: Herbert Silverstein, MD, Rande H. Lazar, Bobby R. Alford, Percy Memorial Research Award)*

- Multiple opportunities available
- Over 1 year
- 12/15/2025 LOI
- **Website**

PALLIATIVE CARE

The Cuniff Dixon Foundation *(in partnership with The Hastings Center for Bioethics)*

Richard Payne Senior Leadership Award

- Senior Physician
- With 15-plus years of practice who is recognized for outstanding contributions to palliative care and dedicated service to underserved communities
- \$25K over 1 year; 1 award
- 1/31/2026
- **Website**

PEDIATRICS

Deborah Munroe Noonan Memorial Research Fund

Grants to Improve the Lives of Children and Adolescents with Disabilities

- \$160K over 2 years
- 12/4/2025 LOI
- UMass Recipients: 2016 Linda Bandini, PhD; 2013 Elaine M. Gabovitch, MPA
- **Website**

PHARMACEUTICAL

American Society of Health-System Pharmacists Foundation (ASHP)

Pharmacy Residency Expansion Grant Program PGY1 *(supported by Merck & Co., Inc.)*

- Pharmacist
- \$25K over 1 year
- 11/17/2025 **Deadline Update**
- **Website**

Pharmacy Residency Expansion Grant Program PGY2 *(supported by Merck & Co., Inc.)*

- Pharmacist
- \$25K over 1 year
- 11/17/2025 **Deadline Update**
- **Website**

RADIOLOGY

American Association of Physicists in Medicine

2026 ASTRO-AAPM Physics Resident/Post-Doctoral Fellow Seed Grant

- Physics Resident, Postdoctoral Fellow
- Must be a current and active ASTRO and AAPM member at the time of application
- \$50K over 1 year; 2 awards
- 3/11/2026
- **Website**

Focused Ultrasound Foundation

Andrew J. Lockhart Postdoctoral Fellowship in Focused Ultrasound and Immuno-Oncology

- Early career
- PhD, MD, DMD, DVM, or equivalent
- Those at an early stage of their career who have not yet established their own laboratory
- Ideally, the most recent doctoral degree (PhD, MD, DMD, DVM, or equivalent) will have been received no more than five years before the application is submitted
- \$75K over 1 year
- 11/14/2025
- **Website**

Radiological Society of North America (RSNA)

Education Grants—Derek Harwood-Nash International Education Scholar Grant

- RSNA member
- \$75K over 1 year
- 1/16/2026
- **Website**

Education Grants—Project Award

- RSNA member
- \$20K over 1 year
- 1/16/2026
- **Website**

Research Grants–Research Scholar Grant

- Full-time Junior Faculty
- Instructor, Assistant Professor, or equivalent title
- Early career
- You must have been hired within the last 8 years with an academic rank of instructor, assistant professor or an equivalent title
- RSNA member
- \$200K over 2 years
- 1/23/2026
- UMass Recipients: 2025 Ningcheng Li, MD, MS
- **Website**

Research Grants–Research Seed Grant

- Full-time Faculty
- Early to established career
- You must have completed advanced training and be certified by the American Board of Radiology (ABR) or The Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, or are on track for certification
- RSNA member
- \$60K over 1 year
- 1/23/2026
- **Website**

Research Grants–Resident/Fellow Research Grant

- Resident, Fellow
- Early career
- You must be a resident or fellow in a department of radiology, radiation oncology, nuclear medicine or medical physics
- Resident grant: If you're a radiology, radiation oncology or nuclear medicine resident, you must complete your internship year and at least six months of specialty training in radiologic sciences
- Resident grant: If you're a medical physics resident, you must have completed at least six months of residency training
- Fellow grant: You must be in the last year of, or have completed, residency training
- RSNA member
- \$50K-\$75K over 1 year
- 1/23/2026
- **Website**

Society of Nuclear Medicine and Molecular Imaging (SNMMI)

Alavi Mars Shot Research Awards

- \$110K over 1 year; 5 awards
- 10/30/2025
- **Website**

Mitzi & William Blahd, MD, Pilot Research Grant

- Faculty, Postdoctoral
- Early career
- MD, PhD, or equivalent
- Must be no more than five years post training (most recent training; training includes residency, MD/PhD training, professional school, graduate school, post doc, or fellowship)
- Must be a member of SNMMI at the time of award
- \$25K over 1 year
- 1/30/2026
- **Website**

OPEN Grant (*in collaboration with SNMMI Mars Shot Research Fund and Prostate Cancer Foundation*)

- \$300K over 3 years
- 12/1/2025
- **Website**

SNMMI Clinical Nuclear Oncology Fellowship

- \$75K over 1 year
- 1/15/2026
- **Website**

RARE DISEASE

Kidneeds

Research Grants for C3 GLOMERULOPATHY (C3G)

- Early to established career
- \$75K over 1 year
- 12/31/2025
- **Website**

TSC Alliance

Biosample Seed Grants

- Tenure-track Faculty or equivalent, Non-tenure-track Faculty, and Postdoctoral (PhD or MD) Fellows
- PhD, MD
- \$20K over 1 year
- 11/7/2025 LOI
- **Website**

RESEARCH

American Association of Physicists in Medicine

2026 Global Health Research Seed Funding Grant

- Ten years or less since receipt of a terminal research degree or medical physics residency, whichever is later
- AAPM member
- \$25K over 1 year
- 4/15/2026
- **Website**

2026 Research Seed Funding Grant

- Ten years or less since receipt of a terminal research degree or medical physics residency, whichever is later
- AAPM member
- \$25K over 1 year
- 3/16/2026 LOI
- **Website**

SURGERY

American College of Surgeons (ACS)

C. James Carrico, M.D., FACS, Faculty Research Fellowship for the Study of Trauma and Critical Care

- Full-time Faculty
- The applicant must be a Fellow or Associate Fellow of the ACS who has completed an accredited residency training program in surgery in the United States or Canada within the preceding five years, not including time off for parental leave, military deployment, or medical leave
- \$80K over 2 years
- 10/20/2025
- **Website**

Franklin H. Martin, MD, FACS, Faculty Research Fellowship of the American College of Surgeons

- Full-time Faculty
- The applicant must be a Fellow or Associate Fellow of the ACS who has completed an accredited residency training program in surgery in the United States or Canada within the preceding five years, not including time off for parental leave, military deployment, or medical leave
- \$80K over 2 years
- 10/20/2025
- **Website**

American Society of Plastic Surgeons (ASPS)

Aesthetic Plastic Surgery Research Grant

- MD, DO, PhD
- Hold a full or part-time clinical or research position where the research will be conducted
- Be an Active, Candidate, International, or Associate member of ASPS or obtain sponsorship from an Active ASPS member at your institution
- \$25K over 1 year
- 12/2/2025
- **Website**

Directed Research Grant - Breast Implant Safety

- MD, DO, PhD
- Hold a full-time clinical or research position where the research will be conducted
- Be an Active, Candidate, International, or Associate member of ASPS or obtain sponsorship from an Active ASPS member at your institution
- \$50K over 2 years
- 12/2/2025
- **Website**

National Endowment for Plastic Surgery

- MD, DO, PhD
- Hold a full-time clinical or research position where the research will be conducted
- If you are a resident, you must have a year of dedicated research time to serve as the PI, which should be noted within the application
- Be an Active, Candidate, International, or Associate member of ASPS or obtain sponsorship from an Active ASPS member at your institution
- \$50K over 2 years
- 12/2/2025
- **Website**

Intuitive Foundation

Bronchoscopy Research Grant

- \$75K over 1 year
- 1/5/2026 LOI
- **Website**

Clinical Research Grants for Robotic-assisted Surgery

- \$75K over 1 year
- 1/5/2026 LOI
- **Website**

WOMEN'S HEALTH

Nuttall Women's Health

D³: Drivers, Diagnostics and Drug Development in Endometriosis

- Faculty position or equivalent
- Early to established career
- PhD, MD, or equivalent
- Multidisciplinary and cross-sector collaborations are highly encouraged
- \$500K-\$5M over 1-3 years
- 12/15/2025 LOI
- **Website**

Franklin Factor: Catalyzing Innovation in Women's Health

- Faculty position or equivalent
- Early to established career
- PhD, MD, or equivalent
- Multidisciplinary and cross-sector collaborations are highly encouraged
- \$500K-\$5M over 1-3 years
- 12/15/2025 LOI
- **Website**

Odessa: Ovarian Determinants of Sex-Specific Aging

- Faculty position or equivalent
- Early to established career
- PhD, MD, or equivalent
- Multidisciplinary and cross-sector collaborations are highly encouraged
- \$500K-\$5M over 1-3 years
- 12/15/2025 LOI
- **Website**

XXcelerate: Turning Existing Research Into Impact for Women

- Faculty position or equivalent
- Early to established career
- PhD, MD, or equivalent
- Multidisciplinary and cross-sector collaborations are highly encouraged
- Amount and/or duration vary and are unpublicized
- Contact CFR to consult prior to submission
- Over 3 years
- Rolling LOI
- **Website**

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