



## RNA Therapeutics: From Concept to Clinic

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**JUNE 22-24, 2022**  
UMass Chan Medical School, Worcester, MA

### **RNA Therapeutics Inclusivity Grant Application Form**

**All boxes on the 2<sup>nd</sup> page must be completed in full for your application to be considered.** Please note availability for the funding is limited.

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Applicant must submit an abstract as first/presenting author to RNATx2022.
- International applicants are welcome.
- Applicant must be an early career investigator: including students, postdocs, and PIs within the first 3 years of initialing their own lab.
- *Applications must be from populations that have been shown to be underrepresented in biomedical research, such as:*
  - Underrepresented racial and ethnic groups: African American/Black, Hispanic/Latino, Native American/Alaska Native, or Hawaiian Native/Natives of the U.S. Pacific Islands, or;
  - Individuals with disabilities: defined as those with a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activities, as described in the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, or;
  - Individuals from disadvantaged/underserved backgrounds: defined as individuals from an economically disadvantaged background, first generation college graduates, or individuals from challenging social, cultural or educational background, or;
  - Identify as a female in the biological workforce

#### **REQUIRED EVENT PARTICIPATION**

Award recipients are required to participate fully in the following events. Details will be provided with award notification.

- Career Workshop and Networking Reception on Wednesday, June 22, 2022
- Poster or Oral Presentation of submitted abstract during meetings, Thursday and Friday, June 23 - 24, 2022.

#### **SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS**

Required supporting documents must be mailed to [RNATherapeutics@umassmed.edu](mailto:RNATherapeutics@umassmed.edu) by **April 1, 2022, 5pm EST.**

- Inclusivity grant application form including:
  - Statement - up to 250 words describing your career goals and how/why attending the RNATx2022 will be beneficial to these goals and your current research.
  - Abstract - copy of your successfully submitted abstract as first/presenting author

**INCLUSIVITY GRANT DEADLINE: APRIL 29, 2022, 5:00PM EST**



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Statement (250 words):

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