

Funding Opportunities & Announcements

ALERTS

NIH Standard Due Dates

Cycle 2 will begin on **May 25, 2017** and standard due dates for common mechanisms are as follows:

- R01 (new) - June 5
- K Series (new) - June 12
- R03, R21, R33, R34, R36 (new) - June 16
- R15 (all) - June 26
- R01 (renewals, resubmissions, revisions) - July 5
- K Series (renewals, resubmissions, revisions) - July 12
- R03, R21, R33, R34, R36 (renewals, resubmissions, revisions) - July 17
- F Series (all) - August 8

Help us help you! The sooner you let us know of your intent to submit a proposal for extramural funding (30 days is recommended), the sooner we can help you navigate the paths to a successful submission. All proposal elements are due to our office ten (10) business days in advance so we can secure all COM approvals and help you assemble the complete proposal by the University's three (3) business days deadline for institutional approval. [More Information.](#)

Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute - Streamlining the Application Process

The Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI) has made a number of enhancements to ensure a more productive application experience. Some of the major changes include reorganizing PCORI'S merit review criteria to better align with NIH's review criteria and identifying and addressing inconsistencies in the application materials. PCORI now provides more clarity regarding stakeholder engagement and offers more specific examples of its place and role in PCORI-funded research. They have reduced and restructured the resources that are provided for applicants and have updated website content to make it easier to find what you need, when you need it. PCORI has also taken a critical look at their internal processes and developed a strong change management process to reduce the frequency of changes to the application process. [More Information.](#)

New NIH "FORMS-E" Grant Application Forms and Instructions for Due Dates On or After January 25, 2018

The National Institutes of Health (NIH) have issued a notice to inform the biomedical and health services research communities of changes to grant application form and application guide instructions for due dates on or after **January 25, 2018**. Changes include: 1) consolidation of human subjects, inclusion enrollment, and clinical trial information, 2) expansion and use of discrete form fields for clinical trial information, and 3) incorporation of recent Grants.gov changes to R&R Budget and SBIR/STTR Information forms. Applicants must use FORMS-E application packages for due dates on or after **January 25, 2018** and must use FORMS-D application packages for due dates on or before **January 24, 2018**. Applications submitted using the wrong forms for their intended due date will not be reviewed. All active FOAs with due dates both before and after **January 25, 2018** will be updated to add FORMS-E application packages between **October 25, 2017** and **November 25, 2017**. [NOT-OD-17-062.](#)

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GRANTSMANSHIP (Cont.)

AAMC Webinar Series Highlights Future Research Funding Opportunities

The Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC) is hosting a series of webinars highlighting research efforts and related funding opportunities by the National Cancer Institute, the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, and the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ). The next webinar in the series will be held on **May 9, 2017** with AHRQ, and will include a discussion by organization leaders and a participant Q&A. [Registration and More Information.](#)

Spring 2017 National Science Foundation Grants Conference

Semi-annual National Science Foundation (NSF) Grants Conferences are essential learning opportunities for new faculty, researchers and administrators who want to gain key insights into a wide range of current issues at NSF. NSF program officers representing each NSF directorate will be on hand to provide up-to-date information about specific funding opportunities and to answer attendee questions. The Spring 2017 NSF Grants Conference will be held in Louisville, Kentucky, **June 5-6, 2017.** [Registration and More Information.](#)

FEATURED FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs Anticipated Funding for Fiscal Year 2017

Due to the current Continuing Resolution, the Fiscal Year 2017 (FY17) Defense Appropriations bill has not been passed. Although research funds have not been appropriated for the peer reviewed programs managed by the Department of Defense (DOD) office of Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs (CDMRP), information is being provided in pre-announcements to allow investigators time to plan and develop ideas for submission to the anticipated FY17 funding opportunities. Pre-announcements for the following programs have been released:

- [Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Research Program](#)
- [Bone Marrow Failure Research Program](#)
- [Breast Cancer Research Program](#)
- [Gulf War Illness Research Program](#)
- [Lung Cancer Research Program](#)
- [Military Burn Research Program](#)
- [Multiple Sclerosis Research Program](#)
- [Muscular Dystrophy Research Program](#)
- [Neurofibromatosis Research Program](#)
- [Ovarian Cancer Research Program](#)
- [Peer Reviewed Cancer Research Program](#)
- [Peer Reviewed Orthopaedic Research Program](#)
- [Prostate Cancer Research Program](#)
- [Psychological Health and Traumatic Brain Injury \(PH/TBI\) Research Program](#)
- [Spinal Cord Injury Research Program](#)
- [Tick-Borne Disease Research Program](#)
- [Tuberous Sclerosis Complex Research Program](#)
- [Vision Research Program](#)

Dravet Syndrome Foundation 2017 Funding Cycle Research Grants

Dravet Syndrome Foundation's Research Grant Program offers funding for research directly related to Dravet syndrome and associated disorders. These grants fund initial research hypotheses that have not been fully explored. The results extracted from this type of research will help bring untested research to the point that it can qualify for larger governmental funding. Research applications are judged principally on novelty of the hypotheses, innovative approaches with a direct relevance and application to Dravet syndrome and related epilepsies, scientific quality, strength of approach, and likelihood of success. Research Grant requests may be made for up to \$75,000 per year for two years. The letter of intent deadline is **May 19, 2017.** Full applications, with or without a letter of intent, are due by **September 5, 2017.** [More Information.](#)

FEATURED FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES (Cont.)

Alzheimer's Drug Discovery Foundation Core Requests for Proposals

The Alzheimer's Drug Discovery Foundation (ADDF) offers funding to researchers in both nonprofit and for-profit organizations for Alzheimer's drug discovery and preclinical development, clinical trials, and biomarker development research. The ADDF is currently accepting letters of intent through their Core Requests for Proposals (RFPs): the Preclinical Drug Discovery RFP, the Program to Accelerate Clinical Trials (PACT) RFP, the Biomarkers Development RFP, and the Prevention Beyond the Pipeline RFP. The letter of intent deadline for all Core RFPs is **May 19, 2017**. [More Information.](#)

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Health Data for Action 2017 Call for Proposals

The Health Data for Action (HD4A) program will fund innovative research that uses the available data to answer important research questions. Applicants under this Call for Proposals (CFP) will write a proposal for a research study using data from either the Health Care Cost Institute (HCCI) or athenahealth. The HCCI and athenahealth data provide a wealth of private claims data and rich detail on care delivery and patient obesity-related measures, respectively. The proposed studies should enable relevant, innovative, and actionable research that uses the available data to answer important, policy-relevant questions. Recommended project funding is up to \$150,000 per project to accommodate studies of up to 12 months. No funds will be needed to acquire the HCCI or athenahealth data. The deadline for brief proposals is **May 24, 2017**. [More Information.](#)

Doris Duke Charitable Foundation Award Opportunity - Sickle Cell Disease/Advancing Cures

The Doris Duke Sickle Cell Disease/Advancing Cures award provides grants to advance curative approaches for sickle cell disease including gene modification and drug therapies to restore hemoglobin function. The foundation seeks to support about eight, three-year research projects through Sickle Cell Disease/Advancing Cures awards. Flexible, annual direct-cost amounts of \$150,000 to \$300,000 will be considered. This program aims to support clinical research that will: 1) Advance gene therapies for sickle cell disease into the clinic, including gene addition and genome editing, and 2) Build on globin regulatory mechanisms to restore red blood cell function. The application deadline is **May 25, 2017**. [More Information.](#)

The Michael J. Fox Foundation For Parkinson's Research Grant Opportunity

The Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research seeks to support research that will develop new or improve upon existing biomarker tools for neuroinflammation/peripheral inflammation in Parkinson's disease (PD). The specific goals of this initiative are to: 1) facilitate the development of biomarker measures that can be utilized for novel target validation, 2) assess pathological progression or phenoconversion, or 3) identify inflammation paradigms unique to PD. Proposed biomarkers should facilitate objective decisions to validate a particular target or target efficacy marker (downstream readouts of successful target modification), improve the ability to enrich subject populations in clinical trials and/or determine whether experimental treatments are modifying the course of the disease, its symptoms or its progression. 1-2 year grants up to \$300,000 are available. The pre-proposal deadline is **May 31, 2017**. [More Information.](#)

PCORI Engagement Award: Knowledge, Training and Development, and Dissemination Awards

The Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI) plans to award \$20.5 million in FY 2016 as part of the Eugene Washington PCORI Engagement Awards program. These awards support projects that encourage active integration of patients, caregivers, clinicians, and other healthcare stakeholders as integral members of the patient-centered outcomes research/clinical effectiveness research (PCOR/CER) enterprise. The maximum project period is 2 years and award total costs may not exceed \$250,000. The letter of intent deadline is **June 1, 2017**. [More Information.](#)

The Muscular Dystrophy Association Research Grants - Fall 2017 Cycle

Finding treatments and cures is at the heart of the Muscular Dystrophy Association's mission to free individuals — and the families who love them — from the harmful effects of neuromuscular disease. MDA is accelerating their urgency and commitment to their research program to advance therapy development. Applications will be accepted by MDA twice yearly for Investigator-Initiated Research Grants and Young Investigator Development Grants. The letter of intent deadline for both grant opportunities is **June 15, 2017** for the Fall 2017 cycle. [More Information.](#)

FEATURED FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES (Cont.)

Howard Hughes Medical Institute 2018 Investigator Program

The Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI) has announced that it seeks to appoint up to 20 new biomedical researchers through a national open competition. The HHMI investigator competition is open to basic researchers and physician scientists who bring innovative approaches to the study of biological problems in biomedical disciplines, plant biology, evolutionary biology, biophysics, chemical biology, biomedical engineering, and computational biology. Those selected in this competition will receive a seven-year appointment to HHMI, which is renewable pending favorable scientific review. The application deadline is **June 27, 2017**. [More Information.](#)

Lupus Research Institute New Research Grants for Novel Approaches to Lupus

The Lupus Research Institute (LRI) invites applications for idea-driven, novel research projects relevant to basic, translational or clinical investigation in lupus. Novel Research Grants provide early stage support for exceptionally creative and innovative approaches to major challenges in lupus research. Successful proposals will advance novel hypotheses and/or technologies that have the potential to stimulate new research directions and propel the field forward. The program goals are to stimulate investigation of underexplored pathways and initiate transformative discoveries in lupus that can drive the development of safer and more effective treatments. Investigations into the fundamental mechanisms of lupus and its complications, explorations of novel targets and pathways, and applications involving novel technologies and interdisciplinary approaches are particularly encouraged. The application deadline is **July 1, 2017**. [More Information.](#)

Burroughs Wellcome Fund Investigators in the Pathogenesis of Infectious Disease (PATH) Award

The Investigators in the Pathogenesis of Infectious Disease (PATH) award provides \$500,000 over five years to support accomplished investigators at the assistant professor level to study pathogenesis, with a focus on the interplay between human and microbial biology, shedding light on how human and microbial systems are affected by their encounters. The awards are intended to give recipients the freedom and flexibility to pursue new avenues of inquiry, stimulating higher risk research projects that hold potential for significantly advancing understanding of how infectious diseases work and how health is maintained. The deadline for pre-proposals is **July 14, 2017**. [More Information.](#)

National Ataxia Foundation Research Grants

The National Ataxia Foundation (NAF) is committed to funding the best science relevant to hereditary and sporadic types of ataxia in both basic and translational research. NAF invites research applications from U.S.A. and International non-profit and for-profit institutions. Funding for Ataxia-Telangiectasia research proposals will receive a lower priority unless they lend themselves to an overall better understanding of the ataxia disease process. One-year seed money grants of up to \$15,000 are available, but promising proposals up to a maximum of \$30,000 will be considered for early or pilot phases of studies and ongoing investigations. The deadline for the required letter of intent is **July 17, 2017**. [More Information.](#)

New NINDS FOA: Translational Outcomes Project in Neurotrauma (TOP-NT) (UG3/UH3)

The purpose of this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is to support the development and validation of pathophysiologically based preclinical outcome measures or functional markers that align closely with practical clinical assessments in spinal cord injury (SCI) and/or traumatic brain injury (TBI). Bedside knowledge and experience will be leveraged to create better assessment tools for preclinical studies, and the resulting data will be made available to researchers. The goal is to improve the value of preclinical studies to inform clinical diagnoses and prognoses and therapeutic translation. Funds from the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS) will be made available through the UG3/UH3 phased cooperative agreement award mechanism. The optional letter of intent is due **July 22, 2017**. The application deadline is **August 21, 2017**. [RFA-NS-17-023.](#)

SELECT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES BY DEADLINE

CoM Deadline	Requests for Applications / Proposals	Sponsor Deadline
5/8/2017	NIH - Multiple Institutes Mechanisms of Disparities in Chronic Liver Diseases and Cancer (R21) <u>PAR-17-150</u>	5/22/2017
5/12/2017	National Cancer Institute (NCI) Multilevel Interventions in Cancer Care Delivery: Building from the Problem of Follow-up to Abnormal Screening Tests (U01) <u>PAR-17-146</u>	5/26/2017
5/16/2017	National Cancer Institute (NCI) Perception and Cognition Research to Inform Cancer Image Interpretation (R21) <u>PAR-17-124</u>	5/30/2017
5/18/2017	National Center for Complementary and Integrative Health (NCCIH) Innovation Award for Mechanistic Studies to Optimize Mind and Body Interventions in NCCIH High Priority Research Topics (R33) <u>PAR-17-162</u>	6/1/2017
5/19/2017	NIH - Multiple Institutes NIH Health Care Systems Research Collaboratory - Demonstration Projects for Pragmatic Clinical Trials (UG3/UH3) <u>RFA-RM-16-019</u>	6/2/2017
5/22/2017	National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK) Biomarkers for Diabetes, Digestive, Kidney and Urologic Diseases Using Biosamples from the NIDDK Repository (R01) <u>PAR-17-123</u>	6/5/2017
5/22/2017	National Cancer Institute (NCI) Reducing Overscreening for Breast, Cervical, and Colorectal Cancers among Older Adults (R01) <u>PA-17-109</u>	6/5/2017
5/22/2017	National Institute on Aging (NIA) Juvenile Protective Factors and Their Effects on Aging (R01) <u>PAR-17-126</u>	6/5/2017
5/22/2017	National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) Advancing our Understanding of the Brain Epitranscriptomics (R01) <u>PAR-17-153</u>	6/5/2017

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5/22/2017	<p>National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) Functional Genetics, Epigenetics, and Non-coding RNAs in Substance Use Disorders (R01) <u>PA-17-155</u></p>	6/5/2017
5/22/2017	<p>National Cancer Institute (NCI) Cancer Tissue Engineering Collaborative: Enabling Biomimetic Tissue-Engineered Technologies for Cancer Research (R01) <u>PAR-17-171</u></p>	6/5/2017
5/22/2017	<p>Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) Development of Appropriate Pediatric Formulations and Pediatric Drug Delivery Systems (R01) <u>PAR-17-193</u></p>	6/5/2017
5/22/2017	<p>Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) Genetic Susceptibility & Variability of Human Structural Birth Defects (R01) <u>PAR-17-236</u></p>	6/5/2017
5/22/2017	<p>National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) Marijuana, Prescription Opioid, or Prescription Benzodiazepine Drug Use Among Older Adults (R01) <u>PA-17-196</u></p>	6/5/2017
5/22/2017	<p>NIH - Multiple Institutes Secondary Analysis and Integration of Existing Data to Elucidate the Genetic Architecture of Cancer Risk and Related Outcomes (R01) <u>PA-17-239</u></p>	6/5/2017
5/22/2017	<p>National Cancer Institute (NCI) Research Projects to Enhance Applicability of Mammalian Models for Translational Research (R01) <u>PAR-17-245</u></p>	6/5/2017
5/22/2017	<p>National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) From Genomic Association to Causation: A Convergent Neuroscience Approach for Integrating Levels of Analysis to Delineate Brain Function in Neuropsychiatry (R01) <u>PAR-17-253</u></p>	6/5/2017

SELECT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES BY DEADLINE (Cont.)

CoM Deadline	Requests for Applications / Proposals	Sponsor Deadline
5/22/2017	NIH - Multiple Institutes Advancing the Science of Geriatric Palliative Care (R01) <u>PA-17-225</u>	6/5/2017
6/2/2017	National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) Secondary Data Analyses to Explore NIMH Research Domain Criteria (R03) <u>PAR-17-158</u>	6/16/2017
6/2/2017	National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) Functional Genetics, Epigenetics, and Non-coding RNAs in Substance Use Disorders (R21) <u>PA-17-157</u>	6/16/2017
6/2/2017	National Institute of Nursing Research (NINR) Reducing Health Disparities Among Minority and Underserved Children (R21) <u>PA-17-117</u>	6/16/2017
6/2/2017	NIH - Multiple Institutes Zika Virus (ZIKV) Complications (R21) <u>PA-17-085</u>	6/16/2017
6/2/2017	National Institute on Aging (NIA) Advancing the Science of Geriatric Palliative Care (R21) <u>PA-17-226</u>	6/16/2017
6/2/2017	National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders (NIDCD) Hearing Health Care for Adults: Improving Access and Affordability (R21) <u>PA-17-227</u>	6/16/2017
6/2/2017	National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID) Exploratory/Developmental Investigations on Primary Immunodeficiency Diseases (R21) <u>PA-16-373</u>	6/16/2017
6/2/2017	National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID) Small Grants on Primary Immunodeficiency Diseases (R03) <u>PA-16-372</u>	6/16/2017

SELECT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES BY DEADLINE (Cont.)

CoM Deadline	Requests for Applications / Proposals	Sponsor Deadline
6/2/2017	Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) Biomarkers: Bridging Pediatric and Adult Therapeutics (R21) <u>PAR-17-169</u>	6/16/2017
6/2/2017	National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS) Innovation Grants to Nurture Initial Translational Efforts (IGNITE): Assay Development and Therapeutic Agent Identification and Characterization to Support Therapeutic Discovery (R21/R33) <u>PAR-15-070</u>	6/16/2017
6/2/2017	Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) Development of Appropriate Pediatric Formulations and Pediatric Drug Delivery Systems (R03) <u>PAR-17-191</u>	6/16/2017
6/2/2017	Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ) Health Information Technology (IT) to Improve Health Care Quality and Outcomes (R21) <u>PA-17-246</u>	6/16/2017
6/5/2017	National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research (NIDCR) Neoantigen-Based Therapeutic Targeting of Head and Neck Cancers (R01) <u>RFA-DE-18-004</u>	6/19/2017
6/6/2017	National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI) Sex Hormone Induced Thromboembolism in Pre-Menopausal Women (R61/R33) <u>RFA-HL-18-003</u>	6/20/2017
6/13/2017	Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) Human-Animal Interaction (HAI) Research (R01) <u>PAR-17-231</u>	6/27/2017
6/16/2017	Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) Identification of Reproductive-Tract Specific Proteins/Transcripts for the Development of Male and Female Non-Hormonal Contraceptives (R01) <u>RFA-HD-18-002</u>	6/30/2017

SELECT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES BY DEADLINE (Cont.)

CoM Deadline	Requests for Applications / Proposals	Sponsor Deadline
6/21/2017	National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) PsychENCODE: Non-coding Functional Elements in the Human Brain and their Role in the Development of Psychiatric Disorders (U01) <u>PAR-17-257</u>	7/6/2017
6/21/2017	National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI) Center for the Investigation of Factor VIII (FVIII) Immune Response in Patients with Hemophilia A (U54) <u>RFA-HL-18-014</u>	7/6/2017
6/26/2017	NIH - Multiple Institutes Mechanisms and Consequences of Sleep Disparities in the U.S. (R01) <u>PAR-17-234</u>	7/11/2017
6/26/2017	NIH - Multiple Institutes Mechanisms and Consequences of Sleep Disparities in the U.S. (R21) <u>PAR-17-235</u>	7/11/2017
7/6/2017	National Institute on Aging (NIA) Alzheimer's-related Resource Centers for Minority Aging Research (AD-RCMAR) (P30) <u>RFA-AG-18-002</u>	7/20/2017
7/6/2017	National Institute on Aging (NIA) Resource Centers for Minority Aging (RCMAR) Coordinating Center (R24) <u>RFA-AG-18-004</u>	7/20/2017
7/18/2017	National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID) Innovation for HIV Vaccine Discovery (R01) <u>PAR-17-263</u>	8/1/2017
7/24/2017	Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) Translational Research in Pediatric and Obstetric Pharmacology and Therapeutics (R21) <u>PAR-17-187</u>	8/7/2017
7/26/2017	National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI) Sleep Health and Circadian Biology in HIV-Related Comorbidities (R01) <u>RFA-HL-18-005</u>	8/9/2017

OTHER FUNDING RESOURCES

Pivot

From any on-campus computer, go to <http://pivot.cos.com>. FSU's IP addresses will be recognized by Pivot, so you can start searching for funding opportunities right away. Creating a Pivot account is easy—at the website, click “Sign up” in the upper right corner. Once registered, you can log in with a Pivot username and password anytime, anywhere. Logging in allows you to manage active or tracked funding opportunities, save searches, share opportunities, and search for potential collaborators. Username and password access is necessary when you are off-campus or when you want to save a funding record or funding search.

FSU Foundation Search Tool and Corporate Development Assistance

For grant funding assistance related to your programmatic research and academic initiatives, the Office of Corporate & Foundation Development is happy to provide institution-wide access to the Foundation Center Online database accessible through FSU IP. [Click here](#) to begin your search of over 100,000 private foundations and charities.

The FSU Foundation can also assist researchers by establishing relationships with corporations and private foundations. Corporate Development staff members will work with you on proposal and concept development, private foundation or corporation research, and the submission process of grant proposals. [More Information](#).

National Institutes of Health Resources

[NIH Funding Opportunities and Notices Search Engine](#)

[NIH Standard Due Dates for Competing Applications](#)

[All About Grants Podcasts](#) - Conversations with NIH staff members providing inside information for successful grantsmanship.

[NIH Extramural Nexus & Rock Talk Blog](#) - News, updates and blog posts on extramural grant policies, processes, events and resources.

FSU Office of Research

Office of Proposal Development - The office provides a variety of services including proposal development assistance, faculty partnership identification, as well as training opportunities for faculty who are new to grant seeking and grant writing. Additionally, they offer copyediting services for researchers who speak English as a second language. [More Information](#).

SRA Listserv Administration - Subscribe to keep up with notices of important news and events related to contracts and grants, including limited submission opportunities. [More Information](#).

Office of Research Newsletter - Online access to Sponsored Research's monthly newsletter pertaining to research activities and important announcements. [More Information](#).

Research Development and Grant Writing News - FSU has a subscription to this newsletter containing both articles and links to funding news. All FSU faculty, staff and students have access to current and back issues. To be added to the monthly distribution list, email [Beth Hodges](#). You will also be provided with a username and password for the archives found at [Research Development and Grant Writing News](#).

Limited Submission Opportunities - Funding Opportunities requiring an internal competition before submission to an external sponsor. [More Information](#).

Internal Competitions - Funding Opportunities available only to FSU faculty. [More Information](#).

OTHER FUNDING RESOURCES (Cont.)

Postdoc and Student Resources

UCLA Graduate & Postdoctoral Extramural Support (GRAPES) Database

This database catalogs extramural funding opportunities of interest to students and postdoctoral scholars. It contains information on over 500 private and publicly funded awards, fellowships, and internships. Access the database through the [GRAPES Search Form](#).

FSU Office of Postdoctoral Affairs

Part of The Florida State University's Graduate School, the Office of Postdoctoral Affairs (OPA) serves as a central resource and information conduit for all postdoctoral researchers as well as faculty and staff who work with postdoctoral researchers at FSU. The OPA publishes a weekly digest. Additionally, FSU is a sustaining member of the National Postdoctoral Association, giving all postdocs at FSU Affiliate Membership in the NPA. [More Information](#).

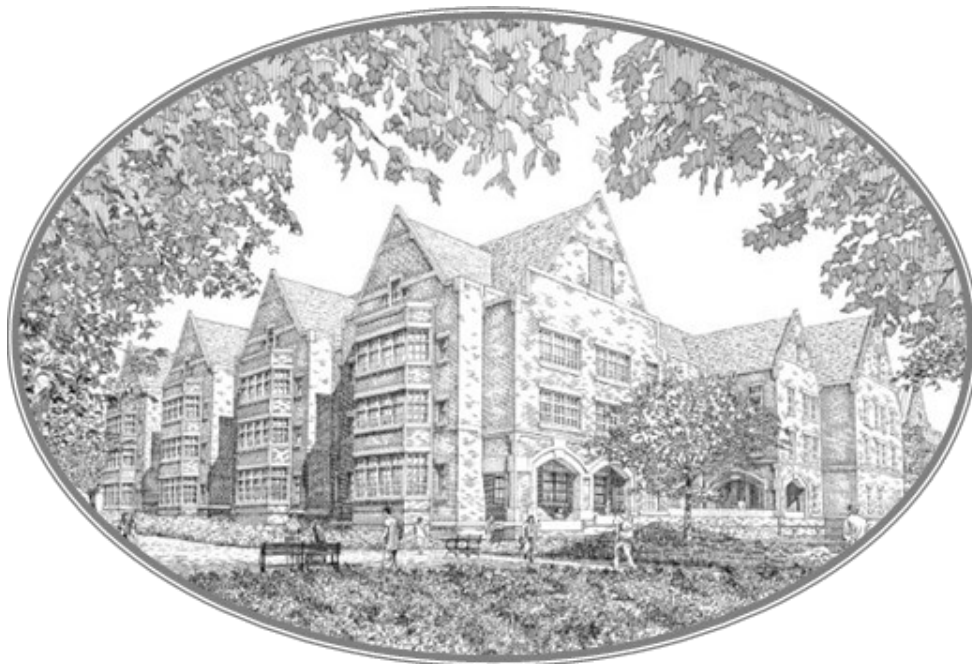
Research Fellowships for Medical Students

Many medical schools and institutions offer programs for medical students who are interested in exploring research as part of their career. Fellowships and scholarly programs are offered in summers or as year-long programs. Fourth and fifth year medical students can also participate in research electives. [More Information](#).

Other

[Morganonscience.com](#)

Morgan on Science is a free resource for grant writing tips and secrets by Morgan Giddings, Ph.D.



SUBMITTING PROPOSALS FOR GRANTS AND CONTRACTS

College of Medicine, Office of Research Administration (Med-RA)

Help us help you! The sooner you let us know of your intent to submit a proposal for extramural funding, the **sooner we can help you navigate** the paths to a successful submission. Our goals are to assist you with the CoM requirements and those of FSU Sponsored Research Administration (SRA), or in the case of private funding, the FSU Research Foundation (FSURF); minimize the administrative burden; and meet sponsor guidelines in a seamless, integrated fashion.

SRA/FSURF requires "complete" proposals three (3) business days in advance of the sponsor's deadline. *Please note that generally our office works on a first in, first out basis.* If you contact us at least 30 days in advance, together we can identify, gather, or create the elements/components, then assemble the application by the SRA/FSURF deadline for institutional approval. The goal is to have all the elements needed to assemble a complete proposal for SRA/FSURF no later than 10 business days before the sponsor's deadline.

10-Day Advance Proposal Preparation Guidelines

Contact Med-RA at research@med.fsu.edu for proposal preparation assistance.

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[Med-RA Website.](#)

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