



Stay tuned next month for more exciting updates!

MED-RA UPDATES

New Proposals and Awards Spotlight

Last month CoM faculty submitted 12 sponsored funding proposals. Look to this section in October for highlights and updates related newly received awards!

News and Notes

Please join us in welcoming Shelly Herman, Med-RA's newest Grants Compliance Analyst. Shelly has worked in the FSU grants world for several years and we are excited that she has joined the COM team! Shelly will focus primarily on Biomedical Science proposals and projects. Her office is located in MSR 1313B.

Upcoming Events

September 19 - Dean's Rounds with Dean Fogarty: "Physician Well Being: Doctor, Heal Thyself"

October 11 - Research Symposium featuring presentations by select Summer Research Fellowship recipients.

DEADLINES

*All proposal elements are due to our office ten (10) business days before the sponsor's deadline. This ensures Med-RA can secure all CoM approvals and help assemble the completed proposal for submission according to the University's requirement that all proposals be submitted for approval by three (3) working days prior to the agency deadline. [**More Information.**](#)*

NIH Standard Due Dates

Cycle 3 will begin on **September 25, 2018** and standard due dates for common mechanisms are as follows:

Activity Code - NIH Deadline	Med-RA Deadline
R01 (new) - October 5th	September 21
K series (new) - October 12th	September 28
R03, R21, R33, R34, R36 (new) - October 16th	October 2
R15 (all) - October 25th	October 11
R01 (renewal, resubmissions, revisions) - November 5th	October 22
K series (renewal, resubmissions, revisions) - November 13th	October 29
R03, R21, R33, R34, R36 (renewal, resubmissions, revisions) - November 16th	November 1
F series (all) - December 10th	November 26

FEATURED FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

Improving Patient Adherence to Treatment and Prevention Regimens to Promote Health

NIH invites research grant applications that address patient adherence to treatment and prevention regimens to promote health outcomes. Applications may address healthcare regimen initiation, implementation, and/or persistence by patients. Descriptive and intervention research may address adherence determinants at one or more levels of ecologic influence, including the patient, caregiver/family, provider and/or healthcare system, and community levels.

Standard dates apply. Expires May 8, 2021. [R01 information.](#) [R21 information.](#)

Novel Approaches for Relating Genetic Variation to Function and Disease

Genome-wide association studies and other disease studies have identified many variants that are statistically associated with disease risk, disease protection, or other traits. However, such studies do not generally show which specific variants in genomic elements cause these effects, or how they result in differences in function. Similarly, genomic sequencing studies in clinical settings have identified many variants in healthy and diseased individuals. However, the pathogenicity of such variants is often unknown, leading to their classification as variants of uncertain significance (VUS), which makes clinical implementation difficult. These Program Announcements aim to support the development of novel and generalizable approaches to study how genetic variants lead to differences in function and to study how such functional differences affect human health and disease processes or how this knowledge can be used clinically.

Standard dates apply. Expires July 6, 2021. [R01 information.](#) [R21 information.](#)

Prevention Research in Mid-Life Adults

NIH seeks to stimulate research on mid-life adults (those 50 to 64 years of age) that can inform efforts to optimize health and well-being as individuals age and prevent illness and disability in later years.

Standard dates apply. Expires September 8, 2021. [R01 information.](#) [R21 information.](#)

OTHER FUNDING RESOURCES

If you are interested in seeking funding, please visit our [webpage](#) for a link to all available resources and funding opportunities. You may also reach out directly to the Office of Research Administration by sending an [email](#). Med-RA staff are available to assist you and help locate appropriate grants pertaining to your field of interest.

TERRA'S TIPS

Beginning in the next newsletter, Terra Bradley, CoM's Grant Writing Specialist will be sharing tips and tricks that are useful to all faculty members interested in submitting grant proposals. Check back each month for new hints and suggestions!

FUN STUFF

September Poll: What is your favorite dessert?*

Click [here](#) to vote!

*Results from this month's survey will be posted in next month's newsletter and will be applied to an upcoming research event!

Quote of the Month:

"Scientific research is one of the most exciting and rewarding of occupations."

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