UCSF May Submit 2 Applications – one to each track

Internal Deadline: 11:59 PM, Monday, June 27th, 2022

PLEASE FORWARD THIS ANNOUNCEMENT TO ALL APPROPRIATE FACULTY AND RESEARCH ADMINISTRATORS

WHAT: Gabrielle's Angel Foundation for Cancer Research Medical Research Awards (https://gabriellesangels.org/what-we-do/grant-info-awards/)

Please note there are two separate tracks described below: Mainstream/Conventional Research and Integrative Medicine Research

PURPOSE:

Mainstream/Conventional Research Track:

• To provide support for projects related to prevention, detection and treatment of leukemia, lymphoma, and related blood cancers, which are most likely to be translated into clinical trials within a 3-5 year period.

Integrative Medicine Research Track:

- To support integrative research projects that explore evidence-based complementary interventions, optimize the manner in which mainstream care is delivered and improve the lives of those living with leukemia, lymphoma, and other blood cancers.
 - Such integrative (complementary) therapies may include: acupuncture, integrative mind-body interventions, manipulative and body-based therapies, meditation, music therapy, nutrition, physical fitness, yoga, or use of biologically-based agents in other than "conventional" ways.
- To support clinical trials and/or pre-clinical research that addresses reducing patients' physical and emotional distress during or after cancer therapy. Examples include:
 - Neurophysiologic, neuroendocrine, and biochemical pathways triggered by massage therapy, including animal studies or instrument-based approaches such as imaging techniques.
 - Mechanistic studies of herbs, nutritional supplements, or natural products to enhance cognitive function or treat depression or anxiety.
 - Herb-drug interactions.
 - Basic biological mechanisms and processes that underlie acupuncture, meditation or yoga including studies in human or animal models or those employing imaging.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Have an MD or PhD.
- Hold the designation of Assistant Professor (Associate Professors may apply for <u>Integrative</u> projects only).
- Have institutional support in form of tenure track OR be an independent junior faculty member.
- Have held their current position no longer than five years (for <u>Conventional projects only</u>).
- Clearly state that they have both independent research projects and independent resources.
- Have preliminary results and/or publications from their independent laboratory.

BUDGET AND PROJECT PERIOD:

- Award Budget: \$75,000 total costs per year
 - Overhead costs cannot exceed 10%
- Project Period: 3 years

NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS UCSF MAY SUBMIT: 2 – one Mainstream/Conventional Research and one Integrative Medicine Research

DUE DATES:

- Internal: 11:59 PM, Monday, June 27th, 2022
- PIs submit directly to the LSP; RMS does not get involved unless and until you are nominated.
- Sponsor: Friday, August 26th, 2022

Submit the following in ONE PDF file by 11:59 PM, June 27th, to: limitedsubmissions@ucsf.edu

- 1. Limited Submission Pre-proposal Cover Sheet with signatures (form attached to email)
- 2. Project Summary (1-pg. max, excluding references)
- NIH Bio-sketch (5-pg. max., including publications) (https://grants.nih.gov/grants/forms/biosketch-blankformat_exp%2002-28-2023.docx)

To qualify for UCSF Limited Submission Program opportunities, applicants must have a paid UCSF appointment either at the time of application or anticipated by the time of award.

The LSP is a selection process, not an award process. As the LSP is under significant time constraints, all reviewer feedback is optional. We encourage you to seek other avenues for proposal feedback.

For information on all current LSOs, please visit: <u>http://rdo.ucsf.edu/limited-submission-program-lsp</u>

Sent by Avity Norman on behalf of the Research Development Office (RDO), Limited Submissions Program (LSP).