

UCSF May Submit 2 Applications per Department

Internal Deadline: **NOON**, Thursday, August 15, 2024

PLEASE FORWARD THIS ANNOUNCEMENT TO ALL APPROPRIATE FACULTY AND RESEARCH ADMINISTRATORS

WHAT: Parker B. Francis Fellowship Program (<http://www.francisfellowships.org>)

PURPOSE:

- To support clinical and basic scientists embarking on careers in clinical, laboratory or translational science related to Pulmonary, Critical Care and Sleep Medicine.
- A broad array of approaches to pulmonary and critical care medicine, ranging from cell and molecular studies, to those involving epidemiologic and clinical aspects of human subjects are appropriate. We also encourage applications from pulmonary medicine specialists interested in pursuing research in bioethical aspects of pulmonary medicine or critical care. Potential topics include, but are not limited to, the ethics of clinical trials in critical care, end-of-life decisions and resource allocation. The context of all these topics should be pulmonary biology and lung disease.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Hold a relevant doctoral degree (e.g., M.D., Ph.D., Sc.D., D.V.M., Dr. P.H.) and be embarking on a career in clinical, laboratory or translational science related to Pulmonary, Critical Care and Sleep Medicine.
- Be a citizen or permanent resident of the U.S. or Canada or holder of a Visa that spans the entire project period of the grant.
- Applicants must be approved by their department to apply for the PBF Fellowship.
- Be no more than seven years beyond completion of a doctoral degree (for non-MDs) or no more than seven years beyond clinical training (for MDs) at the time of application.
- Individuals are **not** eligible for a PBF Fellowship if, at the time of application, they are or have been principal investigator on an NIH K or R series research award or other nationally competitive research award at the comparable level. If a PBF Fellow receives an NIH K or Research Award or any nationally competitive grant at a similar level, at any point after the start date of the PBF award, the amount of the award will be changed per the Allowable Cost policy.
- PBF Fellows are required to have at least 75 percent of their time available for research. Most successful candidates have two-to-five years of research experience and a minimum of two or three research publications at the time of fellowship application.

BUDGET AND PROJECT PERIOD:

- Award Budget: \$75,000 direct costs per year
 - Allowable costs are restricted to the PBF Fellow's salary plus fringe benefits and may include travel to a maximum of \$2,000 per year.
 - Mentorship of the fellow by an established investigator is required. Direct research project costs should be supported by the mentor's research grants.
 - UCSF indirect cost policy will apply except for non-federal entities.
- Project Period: 3 years

NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS UCSF MAY SUBMIT: 2 per department

DUE DATES:

- **Internal:** **NOON**, Thursday, August 15, 2024.
- **Pls submit directly to the LSP; RMS does not get involved unless and until you are nominated.**
- Sponsor: Thursday, October 10, 2024.

Submit the attached Cover Sheet by **NOON, August 15, to: limitedsubmissions@ucsf.edu**

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: <http://rdo.ucsf.edu/limited-submission-program-lsp>

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