

UCSF May Submit 1 Application

Internal Deadline: NOON, Wednesday, October 16, 2024

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WHAT: The Vallee Scholars

(<https://rdo.ucsf.edu/sites/rdo.ucsf.edu/files/2025%20Vallee%20Scholars%20RFA.pdf>)

PURPOSE:

- To fund outstanding, early career, independent investigator in the biomedical sciences and provide flexible funding for basic research.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Candidate must have received a PhD, MD, or other professional degree within 12 years of the application deadline. Rare exceptions may be made. Please see [FAQs](#) for details.
- By the application date, candidate should have been in an independent research position for 6 years or fewer.
- The Vallee Foundation has no restrictions on nominees having received other grant funding. The Selection Committee may consider the levels and other sources of funding when comparing closely ranked candidates.
- The Vallee Foundation welcomes nominations for outstanding scientists regardless of race, gender, or disability, but is mindful of the lack of diversity within the scientific research community as a whole and is committed to furthering the careers of historically under-represented minorities.

BUDGET AND PROJECT PERIOD:

- Award Budget: \$340,000
 - No more than 10% of the grant can be used for institutional indirect costs.
 - Use of award funds for salary support of the applicant is not permitted. Salary for others, such as postdoctoral fellows, graduate students and research assistants is allowed, as are expenditures for supplies, equipment, research travel, and dependent care while attending scientific conferences.
 - Graduate student tuition payments cannot exceed \$10,000 per year.
- Project Period: up to 4 years

NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS UCSF MAY SUBMIT: 1

DUE DATES:

- **Internal: NOON**, Wednesday, October 16, 2024
- **Pls submit directly to the LSP; RMS does not get involved unless and until you are nominated.**
- Sponsor Nomination Deadline: Sunday, December 01, 2024
- Sponsor Application Deadline: Saturday, February 01, 2025

Submit the following in ONE PDF file by **NOON** October 16, 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)
3. NIH Bio-sketch (5-pg. max., including publications)
(<https://grants.nih.gov/grants/forms/biosketch-blankformat.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: <http://rdo.ucsf.edu/limited-submission-program-lsp>.

Sent by Amanda Yu on behalf of the Research Development Office (RDO), Limited Submission Program (LSP).