

UCSF May Submit 1 Application per School

Internal Deadline: 11:59 PM, Wednesday, March 30th, 2022

PLEASE FORWARD THIS ANNOUNCEMENT TO ALL APPROPRIATE FACULTY AND RESEARCH ADMINISTRATORS

WHAT: William T. Grant Scholars Program (<http://wtgrantfoundation.org/grants/william-t-grant-scholars-program>)

PURPOSE:

- To support career development for promising early-career researchers.
- To fund five-year research and mentoring plans that significantly expand junior researchers' expertise in new disciplines, methods, and content area.
- Applicants must select one of the following focus areas:
 - Reducing Inequality
 - To build, test, and increase understanding of approaches to reducing inequality in youth outcomes, especially on the basis of race, ethnicity, economic standing, language minority status, or immigrant origins. The Foundation is interested in research on programs, policies, and practices to reduce inequality in academic, social, behavioral, and economic outcomes. The Foundation does **not** fund research on the causes and consequences of inequality.
 - Improving the Use of Research Evidence
 - To research strategies to improve the use of research evidence in ways that benefit young people ages 5-25 in the United States. The Foundation welcomes descriptive studies that reveal the strategies, mechanisms, or conditions for improving research use, as well as evaluations of deliberate efforts to increase routine and beneficial uses of research in decision-making.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Applicants must be in a tenure-track or other position in which there is a pathway to advancement in a research career at the applicant organization.
- Award may not be used as a post-doctoral fellowship.
- Applicants must have received terminal degree within 7 years of submitting application to sponsor.
 - For PhDs: 7 years calculated from date doctoral degree conferred.
 - For MDs: 7 years calculated from date of completion of first residency.

BUDGET AND PROJECT PERIOD:

- Award Budget: \$350,000 total costs
 - The William T. Grant Foundation allows up to 7.5% indirect costs.
 - UCSF indirect cost policy will apply except for non-federal entities.
- Project Period: 5 years

NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS UCSF MAY SUBMIT: 4 (1 per School)

DUE DATES:

- **Internal: 11:59 PM**, Wednesday, March 30th, 2022
- **Pls submit directly to the LSP; RMS does not get involved unless and until you are nominated.**
- Mentor and Reference Letter: Wednesday, June 15th, 2022
- Sponsor Application: Wednesday, July 6th, 2022

Submit the following in ONE PDF file by 11:59 PM, Wednesday, March 30th, 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_exp%2002-28-2023.docx)

To qualify for UCSF Limited Submissions 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 Avity Norman on behalf of the Limited Submissions Program (LSP) within the Research Development Office (RDO).