

FUNDING FOCUS March 2011

Internal Funding Opportunities at OHSU

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Funding Resources:

OHSU Funding Database

Your best source for up-to-date and complete information about internal and external funding opportunities.

(<http://ozone.ohsu.edu/research/rda/funding/report.shell.php>)

OHSU Funding Alerts

A weekly newsletter publicizing upcoming funding opportunities. Email funding@ohsu.edu and request to be added to the list.

Research News

An OHSU blog covering funding opportunities, scientific discoveries, research seminars, and university & federal policy changes.

View at www.ohsu.edu/researchnews

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Upcoming Internal Opportunity Deadlines

March 14:	Oregon Tax Checkoff Alzheimer's Research Fund
March 14:	Oregon National Primate Research Center (ONPRC) – Pilot Research
March 25:	School of Medicine (SOM) – Faculty Senate Award for Research
April 1:	Kuni Foundation Scholars Program
April 19:	Collins Medical Trust (<i>Please see funding announcement.</i>)
May 11:	Medical Research Foundation – Emergency Interim Support
May 15:	Medical Research Foundation – Early Clinical Investigator
May 15:	Medical Research Foundation – New Investigator
May 1:	(ONPRC) – Supplemental Nonhuman Primate (NHP) Pilot Program
May 16:	Presidential Bridge Funding

Recurring Funding Opportunities at OHSU

January	Building Interdisciplinary Careers in Women's Health Fellowships Circle of Giving – Women's Health Research Program
February	Friends of Doernbecher Medical Research Foundation – Early Clinical Investigator Medical Research Foundation – New Investigator Tartar Trust
March	Oregon Tax Checkoff Alzheimer's Research Fund
April	Collins Medical Trust Methamphetamine Abuse Research Center
May	Medical Research Foundation – Emergency Interim Support Medical Research Foundation – Early Clinical Investigator Medical Research Foundation – New Investigator Presidential Bridge Funding
June	
July	
August	Medical Research Foundation – Early Clinical Investigator Medical Research Foundation – New Investigator Collins Medical Trust
September	
October	
November	Medical Research Foundation – Early Clinical Investigator Medical Research Foundation – New Investigator
December	Collins Medical Trust

Information on Upcoming Opportunities

For full details, please access the funding announcement in the OHSU Funding Database: <http://ozone.ohsu.edu/research/rda/funding/report.shell.php>

Collins Medical Trust

Due: Spring, Fall, and Winter annually – Up to \$30,000 Local foundation that provides funds to faculty and postdoctoral fellows for research related to the cause, cure, and treatment of human diseases. The Trust typically provides seed funding for projects that will be eligible for NIH or other substantial funding. NEW! There is a limit of 15 applications per deadline that can be submitted from OHSU. See full announcement for application instructions.

Kuni Foundation Scholars Program

Due: April 1, 2011 - \$100,000 per year for two years A new program designed to identify, retain and further the careers of talented young investigators in the field of translational clinical research. The focus should be on research with a clear vision of how results will contribute to the prevention, diagnosis, or treatment of cancer.

Medical Research Foundation (MRF) – Early Clinical Investigator

Due: Feb 15, May 15, Aug 15, Nov 15 annually - \$20,000 To encourage the development of research careers in clinical investigation, small grants will be offered to qualified applicants interested in developing preliminary data in support of a NIH (or similar) career development application. PIs must be a post-doctoral trainee or clinical fellow with specific plans for a career in clinical research.

Medical Research Foundation (MRF) New Investigator Support

Due: Feb 15, May 15, Aug 15, Nov 15 annually - \$40,000 New investigator support for promising biomedical exploration and development of research careers in Oregon. Grants are intended for physicians and scientists who are new to research and are currently without major funding resources. Applicants must be independent investigators at the rank of Assistant Professor or above with institutional commitment.

Medical Research Foundation (MRF) Emergency Interim Support

Due: Feb 15, May 15, Aug 15, Nov 15 annually - \$40,000 Emergency interim support for established investigators faced with a fiscal emergency that may jeopardize their existing program. The grant provides funding for research programs that have lost national grant funding, enabling investigators to develop data to support renewals.

Oregon National Primate Research Center – Pilot Research

Letter of intent due: March 14, 2011 – Up to \$75,000 for one year Annual pilot research program to encourage activities related to the use of nonhuman primates (NHPs) for biomedical research or for studies enhancing welfare or husbandry of NHPs. Research should be developmental or high risk and should generate preliminary data for further funding. Pilot grant applicants need not be ONPRC core scientists; however, a core scientist must be involved.

Oregon National Primate Research Center – Supplemental Non-human Primate (NHP) Pilot Program

Due: May 1, 2011; August 1, 2011 - \$200,000 per year For pilot research related to the use of NHPs for biomedical research or for studies enhancing the welfare or husbandry of NHPs. Research should be developmental or high risk and should be used to generate preliminary data or results necessary to apply for support from sources of funding such as NIH R01 grants. Please note: This program is distinct from the regular ONPRC pilot program. This supplemental program provides funds to supplement animal costs only.

Oregon Tax Check-off Alzheimer's Research Fund

Due: March 14, 2011 - Up to \$25,000 for one year Funds grants for clinical, biological, behavioral, or health systems research that will advance the understanding, treatment, and prevention of Alzheimer's disease. Applicants may be new investigators, established researchers exploring new areas, or doctoral level students with mentoring. Special attention will be given to projects that foster collaboration across disciplines or institutions.

Presidential Bridge Funding

Due: Annually in May - Up to \$50,000 Program to support established investigators threatened by an imminent lapse in research support. It is expected that in most cases attempts to secure re-funding have not been successful, but that additional attempts are planned and are likely to succeed. Two tracks are available: "Traditional Bridge Funding" & "Retooling Funding." Awards will be made only to OHSU investigators. The Principal Investigator must be an independent scientist. Post-doctoral fellows and similar trainees are not eligible to apply.

School of Medicine (SOM) – Faculty Senate Award for Research

Due: March 25, 2011 - \$500 to \$3,000 Recognizes a faculty member for his or her excellence based upon sustained research productivity spanning a period of at least five years, and upon the quality and impact of research as judged by its influence on the field or on public policy, and by its perceived benefits to the community and/or to industry. The awardee must have evidence of local, national or (preferably) international recognition of excellence in research. Nominees must be faculty members in OHSU's School of Medicine.