Overview

- Popular internal funding opportunities
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Pilot Funding

Most pilot funding at OHSU has a specific focus:

- Pediatrics: [Friends of Doernbecher](#) (grad students, too)
- Clinical/translational research: [OCTRI pilot funding](#)
- Cancer: [Knight cancer research development awards](#)
- Alzheimer’s: [Oregon Tax Check-off Alzheimer’s Research Fund](#), [Layton Alzheimer Disease Center Pilot Projects](#)
- Aging: [Oregon Center for Aging and Technology Funds](#)
- Alcohol: [Portland Alcohol Research Center](#)
- Engineering: [OCSSB](#)
- Nonhuman primates: [ONPRC Pilot Funding](#)
Pilot Funding

Collins Medical Trust

- Local, family foundation that provides up to $30,000
- OHSU Foundation submits on your behalf
- Due 3x per year, but only 15 investigators may submit per deadline.
- Reviewed by non-expert scientific professionals
- Funds a wide variety of research, open to postdocs.

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Career Development Awards

**Medical Research Foundation of Oregon**
- Early Clinical Investigator (due 4x per year)
- New Investigator (due 4x per year)

**Institutional K & T Awards**
- Comparative Effectiveness Research
- OCTRI Scholars
- Emergency Medicine
- Interdisciplinary Women’s Health
- Heart Research Center
- Anesthesiology
Emergency Funding

Presidential Bridge Funding

- Faculty who have previously had an R01, will have lapse in funding
- Address why you need emergency funding in your application
- $50,000; can budget salary
- Due annually in May

Medical Research Foundation Interim Support

- $40,000, no PI salary
- Due 4x per year
Other Internal Funding

- **Tartar Trust**
  - $2,000 for travel, supplies, etc.
  - Must be in SOM, open to grad students
  - Due April 19, 2013 (annually in the spring)

- **Emerging Technology Fund**
  - Funds cutting-edge instrumentation
  - $400,000 and above
  - Next deadline in FY14
Where to find internal funding

http://www.ohsu.edu/funding
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http://www.ohsu.edu/researchnews

Fall deadline for Medical Research Foundation grants – Nov 15

Four times a year, the Medical Research Foundation (MRF), part of the OHSU Foundation, offers grants for promising biomedical exploration and the development of research careers in clinical investigation. The following awards have a deadline of November 15, 2019:

- New Investigator Grant – Provides up to $40,000 to support promising new investigators in biomedical research. Grants are intended for physicians and scientists who are new to research and are currently without major funding resources. To be eligible, PIs must be at the beginning of an independent career with a faculty position at one of Oregon’s colleges or universities. A letter of support from the department chair or division head must accompany each application describing the independence of the PI and the commitment of the unit to that investigator and their research program.

- Early Clinical Investigator Grant – Provides up to $20,000 in support of biomedical exploration and the development of young clinical researchers in Oregon. To be eligible, PIs must be post-doctoral trainees or clinical fellows with specific plans for a career in clinical research. A letter of support from the department chair or division head and the director of the training program must accompany each application. A letter from the applicant’s mentor should also be included.

- Emergency interim Support Grant – Provides up to $10,000 of support for established investigators who are in need of bridge funding. The grant provides funding for research programs that have lost national grant funding, enabling investigators to develop data.
Proposal writing help

Vollum Writing Program

Teaches grad students, postdocs and faculty the basic elements of good science writing (6 weekly sessions, offered 4x per year)

Advanced Grant Writing

Writing-intensive professional development course for faculty (4 weekly sessions, offered 4x per year)
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