

Check out the [OHSU Funding Opportunities Database](#) for funding opportunities, primarily from non-governmental sources, of particular relevance to OHSU researchers. The database is also used to track all [limited submission](#) opportunities and their corresponding internal deadlines, including federal opportunities. If you have any questions or would like us to demonstrate this tool for you, contact funding@ohsu.edu.

WEEKLY FUNDING ALERTS

Week of 12.04.14

Featured Funding Opportunities

[OHSU Center for Women's Health-Circle of Giving 2015 RFP](#)

Description: The OHSU Center for Women's Health Circle of Giving is now accepting submissions for its 2015 Women's Health Research Funding Opportunity. Circle of Giving funding is intended to support new or established investigators interested in developing innovative directions in women's health research. Applications may be in basic science, clinical investigation, population health or behavioral research. The pilot project conducted using these seed funds is expected to lead to additional research fundable by federal and non-federal sources; the proposed research must be intended to produce a tangible improvement in women's health.

Email or Letter of Intent Deadline: Friday, January 2, 2015

Application Deadline: Friday, January 16, 2015

Amount: \$125,000 over one year. Possibility that an additional \$125,000 grant will be awarded to a researcher submitting an application specific to cancer research

Eligibility: Applications will be accepted from faculty at the rank of Lecturer, Assistant, Associate or Full Professor.

[Department of Defense-Neurosensory & Rehabilitation Research Award](#)

Description: The goal of the Defense Medical Research and Development Program (under the DoD) is to advance the state of medical science in those areas of most pressing need and relevance to today's battlefield experience. The FY14/15 CDMRP Neurosensory and Rehabilitation Research Award (NSRRA) is intended to support both applied (preclinical) research and clinical trials **addressing TBI** within specific Focus Areas of pain management, hearing loss/dysfunction, balance disorders, tinnitus, vision, or physical rehabilitation. Applications proposing research outside of the Focus Areas listed in the RFP should not be submitted in response to this Program Announcement.

Pre-application deadline: December 10, 2014

Application deadline: February 11, 2015

Amount: \$1.5 million over a three year period.

Eligibility: Independent investigators at all academic levels (or equivalent) are eligible to submit applications. Eligible investigators must apply through an organization. Applications from investigators within the military services are highly encouraged, as are applications involving multidisciplinary collaborations among academia, industry, the military services, the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), and other Federal Government agencies.

Non-Federal, Foundation and Corporate Opportunities

Applying to a corporation or foundation on the [President's List](#)? Be sure to fill out a [Notice of Intent Form](#).

Sponsor	Opportunity, Amount, Research Focus	Deadline	Eligibility
Sarnoff Cardiovascular Research Foundation	Research Training for Medical Students \$30,000 stipend plus \$4,850 for travel and other expenses over one year The Sarnoff Fellowship Program offers medical students enrolled in accredited U.S. medical schools the opportunity to spend a year conducting intensive work in a biomedical research facility in the United States, other than the medical school in which they are enrolled. Fellows are selected on the basis of a national competition. Sarnoff seeks individuals with demonstrated intellectual and academic achievement, as well as leadership ability.	January 7, 2015	Applications are encouraged from second and third year medical students. Fourth year medical students are required to submit an official letter from their medical schools granting graduation deferment. There are no citizenship requirements for application, but those who are not U.S. citizens must have and maintain an appropriate visa. Applicants enrolled in an MD/PhD program will not be eligible for a Sarnoff Fellowship.

<p>Ewing Marion Kauffman Foundation</p>	<p>Junior Faculty Fellowship in Entrepreneurship Research \$35,000 over two years Intended to support the research activities of tenured or tenure-track junior faculty members at accredited U.S. universities who are beginning to establish a record of scholarship and exhibit the potential to make significant contributions to the body of research in the field of entrepreneurship. This initiative will help to launch world-class scholars into a young and exciting field of research, thus laying a foundation for future scientific advancement. The findings generated by this effort will be translated into knowledge with significant applications for policymakers, educators, service providers, and entrepreneurs as well as high-quality academic research.</p>	<p>Nomination: January 20, 2015 Full application: March 16, 2015</p>	<p>Tenured or tenure-track junior faculty members at accredited U.S. institutions of higher education. Must have received a Ph.D. or equivalent doctoral degree between January 1, 2010 and December 31, 2013 and be currently researching issues of theoretical and practical importance to the domain of entrepreneurship. Institution must nominate but nominations are not limited.</p>
<p>William T. Grant Foundation</p>	<p>Research Grants Focused on youth ages 5 to 25 in the U.S., the Foundation funds research that increases understanding of two focus areas: -programs, policies, and practices that reduce inequality in youth outcomes. Studies may address a key dilemma that practitioners or policymakers face in addressing unequal youth outcomes, or challenge assumptions that underlie current approaches. -the use of research evidence in policy and practice. Supports empirical, theory-building studies of what affects policymakers' and practitioners' acquisition, interpretation, and use of research evidence.</p>	<p>Letter of Inquiry: January 6, 2015 Full proposals by invitation only</p>	<p>Grants are made to institutions so candidates must meet OHSU PI eligibility requirements. Graduate students can be listed as Co-PIs.</p>
<p>American Society of Hematology</p>	<p>Minority Medical Student Award An 8- to 12-week research experience for students from the U.S. and Canada in their early years of medical school. Students collaborate with an ASH member who serves as their research mentor. Participants are also paired with an ASH member who serves as a career-development mentor throughout the participants' medical schooling and residency. At the end of the research experience, students present their findings at the Promoting Minorities in Hematology Presentations at the ASH annual meeting. After the research year, the students remain involved with ASH throughout medical school and residency to keep them engaged in the study of hematology and to help them gain valuable knowledge in the field. In addition, students who participate in this program may apply to the program for a second summer research experience.</p>	<p>Letter of Intent: January 2, 2015 Full Application: March 10, 2015</p>	<p>For the purposes of this program, minority is defined as individuals from racial and ethnic groups that have been shown to be underrepresented in health-related sciences in the United States and Canada. Thus, applicants must self-identify, and participants are drawn from this pool. Must be within first or second year of medical school, enrolled in a MD, DO, or MD/PhD medical school programs and be citizens or permanent residents of the United States or Canada.</p>
<p>Doris Duke Charitable Foundation</p>	<p>International Clinical Research Fellowship Students participating in the ICRF program will take a year out from medical school to conduct clinical research abroad under the direction of a mentor working in global health, as well as complete related coursework. Fellows receive a stipend, health insurance, and financial support to attend a year-end meeting as well as</p>	<p>January 13, 2015</p>	<p>Second or third year medical students in good standing. Students must be matriculated at a U.S.-based medical school to be eligible. NOTE: Students do not need to be matriculated at one of the six schools administering</p>

	<p>supplementary funds for research and training. Accepted students spend a year out from medical school to conduct mentored clinical research in developing countries coordinated through one of six hosting schools. Medical students wishing to apply for an international fellowship must complete A) the Doris Duke Common Application and B) the DDCF supplemental application for the host institution. For additional information on participating institutions, contact funding@ohsu.edu.</p>		<p>the program to be eligible to apply. <i>In keeping with the wishes expressed in Doris Duke's will, the Medical Research Program does not fund research that uses animals.</i></p>
<p>Foundation for Physical Therapy</p>	<p>New Investigator Fellowship Training Initiative Designed to fund physical therapists and physical therapist assistants as developing researchers and to improve their competitiveness in securing external funding for their future research. Intended to develop the fellow's research skills needed to conduct high quality, independent research to advance his or her capacity to examine optimal health services delivery outcomes in physical therapy, including cost analysis of various rehabilitation interventions.</p>	<p>January 21, 2015</p>	<p>Must possess a license to practice physical therapy in the U.S.; have completed a research experience as part of post-professional doctoral education; have received the required post-professional doctoral degree or professional education degree in physical therapy no earlier than five years prior to the year of application and no later than June 28 of the year of application; commit 50% of his or her time to the project; demonstrate a strong relationship with his or her mentor with a documented commitment of support; and be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident.</p>
<p>National Multiple Sclerosis Society</p>	<p>Pilot Research Grants Up to \$40,000 for one year The Society funds high-risk pilot grants to quickly test novel ideas. Funding is provided for one year to test innovative, cutting-edge ideas or untested methods, and to gather sufficient preliminary data to apply for longer-term funding. We welcome applications for studies related to multiple sclerosis that may serve to advance our mission of stopping MS progression, restoring function and improving quality of life, and preventing MS. The Society supports fundamental as well as applied studies, non-clinical or clinical in nature, including projects in patient management, care and rehabilitation.</p>	<p>January 7, 2015 April 1, 2015 July 1, 2015 October 7, 2015</p>	<p>Researchers who have completed their post-doctoral training are invited to apply. Individuals who are currently postdoctoral fellows or the equivalent, or who are graduate/medical students are not eligible for support under this program. Investigators who are faculty-level or equivalent at an established research institution may apply. The PI does not need to be a U.S. citizen. Cannot have existing Society pilot award support.</p>
<p>American Society of Hematology</p>	<p>Research Training Award for Fellows \$55,000 over one year The ASH Research Training Award for Fellows will grant \$55,000 for a one-year period to two groups of fellows. The Junior Investigator RTAF is for second- and third-year fellows (at the time of the award), and the Senior Investigator RTAF is for fourth- or fifth-year fellows (at the time of the award) who are not yet eligible for the ASH Scholar Awards (fellow category) in the U.S. or Canada. Eligibility will begin on the first day of</p>	<p>January 15, 2015</p>	<p>Must possess a MD or DO. MD-PhDs, DO-PhDs and PhDs are not eligible unless the PhD is in a non-biomedical field. National Institute of Health employees are not eligible for this award. Must maintain ASH membership and remain members in good standing of ASH for the duration of the</p>

	fellowship and go until five years from that date, with exceptions made for leaves of absence. Assistant professors are not eligible to apply.		RTAF award term. See sponsor announcement for complete eligibility details.
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NIH Federal Opportunities

NIH grants to be submitted to Pre-Award Office three business days prior to their due date: You must submit your final NIH applications to the [Pre-Award Office](#) (formerly Research Grants & Contracts) three business days before the sponsor deadline. This enforcement is being implemented because the NIH, AHRQ, and NIOSH have eliminated their "error correction window." View the [NIH notice](#) for more information.

Institute	Opportunity	Deadline	Amount
Multiple Institutes	Administrative Supplements for Research on Sex/Gender Differences (Admin Supp)	January 12, 2015	Up to \$100,000 over one year.
Department of Health and Human Services	Human Cellular Models for Predicting Individual Responses to Cystic Fibrosis Transmembrane Conductance Regulator- Directed Therapeutics (R41)/(R43/R44)	Letter of Intent: January 9, 2015 Full Application: February 9, 2015	R41: Up to \$350,000 per year for Phase I may be requested. R43/R44: \$8,150,000 total to fund up to nine awards. Up to \$350,000 total costs per year for Phase I and up to \$800,000 total cost per year for Phase II may be requested.
Department of Health and Human Services	Alcohol Education Project Grants (R25)	Open January 6, 2015 Deadline: February 6, 2015 after which standard dates apply.	Direct costs limited to \$250,000 per year. Number of awards TBD.
National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI)	Training Program for Institutions That Promote Diversity (T32)	February 18, 2015	Budgets are not limited but must reflect the actual needs of the proposed project. The maximum project duration is five years.
National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID)	Non-Traditional Therapeutics that Limit Antibacterial Resistance (R21/R33)	February 23, 2015	Amount and duration vary by project phase.
National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID)	Investigator Initiated Extended Clinical Trial (R01)	March 6, 2015	Budgets are not limited but must reflect the actual needs of the proposed project. The maximum project duration is seven years.
National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases	Innovative Measures of Oral Medication Adherence for HIV Treatment and Prevention (R01)	Letter of Intent: February 25, 2015 Full Application: March 25, 2015	Estimated total of \$7million to fund 6-8 awards.
Department of Health and Human Services	Lab to Marketplace: Tools for Biomedical and Behavioral Research (R43/R44)	Standard dates	Total funding may not exceed \$150,000 for Phase I awards and \$1,000,000 for Phase II awards
Multiple Institutes	BRAIN Initiative: Development and Validation of Novel Tools to Analyze Cell-Specific and Circuit-Specific Processes in the Brain (U01)	March 18, 2015	Budgets are not limited but must reflect the actual needs of the proposed project. The maximum project duration is three

			years.
National Cancer Institute (NCI)	Cancer Prevention, Control, Behavioral Sciences, and Population Sciences Career Development Award (K07)	Standard dates	Up to \$ 100,000 per year toward the salary of the career award recipient.
National Institute on Aging (NIA)	Diabetes and Cardiovascular Disease in Older Adults (R01 / R03 / R21)	Standard dates	Amount and duration vary by award type.
Multiple Institutes	Research Aimed at Novel Behavioral Targets to Improve Adolescent Substance Abuse Treatment and Prevention Interventions (R01)	Standard dates	Budgets are not limited but must reflect the actual needs of the proposed project. The maximum project duration is five years.
Multiple Institutes	Research Aimed at Novel Behavioral Targets to Improve Adolescent Substance Abuse Treatment and Prevention Interventions (R34)	Standard dates	Up to \$450,000 total over a maximum of three years with no more than \$225,000 allotted in any single year.

Non-NIH Federal Opportunities

Sponsor	Title, Amount, Research Focus	Deadline	Eligibility
National Science Foundation (NSF)	Algorithms in the Field (AitF) Up to \$800,000 per award. Algorithms in the Field encourages closer collaboration between two groups of researchers: (i) theoretical computer science researchers, who focus on the design and analysis of provably efficient and provably accurate algorithms for various computational models; and (ii) applied researchers including a combination of systems and domain experts (very broadly construed – including but not limited to researchers in computer architecture, programming languages and systems, computer networks, cyber-physical systems, cyber-human systems, machine learning, database and data analytics, etc.) who focus on the particular design constraints of applications and/or computing devices. Each proposal must have at least one co-PI interested in theoretical computer science and one interested in any of the other areas typically supported by CISE. Proposals are expected to address the dissemination of the algorithmic contributions and resulting applications, tools, languages, compilers, libraries, architectures, systems, data, etc.	February 09, 2015	Each proposal must have at least one co-PI focusing on theoretical computer science and one focusing on application to an area such as networking, data mining, human-computer interaction, cyber-physical systems, and so forth.

Limited Submission Grants with Upcoming Deadlines

The sponsors of these awards have limited the number of candidates that can apply from a single institution; thereby requiring internal coordination. Opportunities noted at Limited Submission Review require institutional review through the Office of the Vice President for Research. Opportunities noted as Limited Submission at School/Department level require coordination through your department chair, division head or dean. See each opportunity for specific details. Please direct any questions to funding@ohsu.edu.

Sponsor	Title, Amount, Research focus	Deadline	Internal Coordination
American Society of Hematology	Clinical Research Training Institute The ASH Clinical Research Training Institute is a unique year-long education and	Internal deadline: December 15, 2014 Sponsor deadline	Limited at the Department/School level

	mentoring program for hematology fellows and junior faculty at academic medical centers and offers a broad education about clinical research methods, research collaborations, statistical analysis, and managing the demands of family and career. The CRTI is geared toward trainees and early career faculty members in adult and pediatric hematology, hematology/oncology and hematology-related programs at academic medical centers.	(letter of intent): January 8, 2015 (full application): March 27, 2015	A single sponsoring institution may submit up to one application per distinct department within each institutional training site. If you intend to apply, please contact your department chair. See sponsor announcement for full eligibility details
National Institutes of Health (NIH)	NIH Director's Early Independence Awards (DP5) Up to \$250,000 per year for up to five years. Career development.	Internal deadline: December 5, 2014 Sponsor deadline: January 30, 2015	Limited Submission Review
National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS)	Neuroscience Development for Advancing the Careers of a Diverse Research Workforce (R25) Up to \$250,000 per year for up to five years. Career development.	Internal deadline: December 12, 2014 Sponsor deadline: January 25, 2015	Limited Submission Review
Mary Kay Ash Foundation	Innovative/Translational Cancer Research Award Up to \$100,000 over two years. Research grant.	Internal deadline: December 19, 2014 Sponsor deadline: February 2, 2015	Limited Submission Review
Damon Runyon Cancer Research Foundation	Clinical Investigator Award \$150,000 per year for three years. Career development.	Internal deadline: December 19, 2014 Sponsor deadline: February 17, 2015	Limited Submission Review
The Klingenstein Third Generation Foundation	The Fellowship in Child and Adolescent ADHD and Depression \$30,000 per year for two years. Fellowship.	Letter of Intent: January 9, 2015 Full application: March 12, 2015	Limited at the Department/School level
Research to Prevent Blindness	Multiple Opportunities Amount and duration vary. Research and career development.	January 10, 2015	Limited at the Department/School level
Radiological Society of North America	Research Scholar Grant \$75,000 per year for two years. Research grant.	January 15, 2015	Limited at the Department/School level
Radiological Society of North America	Research Resident/Fellow Grant \$30,000 or \$50,000 over one year. Fellowship.	January 15, 2015	Limited at the Department/School level
Collins Medical Trust	Collins Medial Trust \$30,000 over one year. Clinical and basic research.	Notice of Intent Window: February 6 – 13, 2015 Sponsor deadline: May 1, 2015	Special coordination required
National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (NIEHS)	Outstanding New Environmental Scientist (ONES) Award (R01) Up to \$400,000 per year for up to five years. Research grant.	February 27, 2015	Limited at the Department/School level

Planning Ahead: Anticipated Funding Opportunities

Sponsor	Opportunity
Department of Health and Human Services	Targeting Persistent HIV Reservoirs (TaPHIR) (R21/R33)
National Cancer Institute (NCI)	Oncology Co-Clinical Imaging Research Resources (U24)

National Human Genome Research Institute (NHGRI)	Centers for the Genomics of Common Disease (UM1)
National Human Genome Research Institute (NHGRI)	Centers for Mendelian Genomics (UM1)
National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS)	Human Biomarkers Biospecimen Repository (U2C)
Multiple Institutes	Testing of Multi-Level Interventions to Improve Blood Pressure Control in Racial/Ethnic Minority, Low Socioeconomic Status, and/or Rural Populations (UH2/UH3)
National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS)	Human Cell Resource and Repository (U42)
National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS)	Morris K. Udall Centers of Excellence for Parkinson's Disease Research (P50)
Multiple Institutes	Coordinating Center for the Breast Cancer and the Environment Research Program (U01)

Stay tuned for more specific information. We will post details as they are released by the funding agency.