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**New Private Funding Opportunities**

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**AGING****American Federation for Aging Research (AFAR)**

- Hevolution/AFAR New Investigator Awards in Aging Biology and Geroscience Research; for faculty; MD and/or PhD; Be an independent investigator with independent research space for at least 3 years as of 7/15/24; \$125K/yr x 3yrs; 18 awards; <https://www.afar.org/funding-opportunities>; 7/15/2024 LOI

**CARDIOLOGY****The Children's Heart Foundation**

- The Mend a Heart Foundation Award (partnered with The Children's Heart Foundation); \$100K/yr x 2yrs; <https://www.childrensheartfoundation.org/for-researchers/>; 6/5/2024 LOI

**ENDOCRINOLOGY****American Diabetes Association (ADA)**

- Postdoctoral Fellowship (PDFPM); MD, PhD, DMD, DO, PharmD, DVM; Most recent doctoral degree should have been received no more than five (5) years before the submission of this application; \$84,008/yr x 3yrs; <https://professional.diabetes.org/research-grants/current-funding-opportunities>; 7/23/2024

**GASTROENTEROLOGY****American College of Gastroenterology (ACG)**

- ACG/ASGE Epidemiologic Research Award in Gastrointestinal Endoscopy; for faculty; MD, DO, PhD; ACG or ASGE member at time of application; \$50K/yr x 1yr; <https://gi.org/acg-institute/research-awards/>; 12/6/2024
- Clinical Research Award; for faculty; MD, PhD or equivalent (MD, DO, MBBS, PhD); ACG member at time of application; \$50K/yr x 1yr; <https://gi.org/acg-institute/research-awards/>; 12/2/2024; **UMass Chan Recipients:** 2021 Meil Marya, MD
- Established Investigator Bridge Funding Award; for faculty; mid; MD, DO, MBBS; Less than 8 years out of fellowship or terminal training program, ACG member at time of application; \$150K/yr x 2yrs; <https://gi.org/acg-institute/research-awards/>; 11/4/2024 LOI
- Junior Faculty Development Award; for faculty; Instructor, Assistant Professor; early; MD, MBBS, DO; Less than 7 years out of fellowship training, ACG member at time of application; \$150K/yr x 3yrs; <https://gi.org/acg-institute/research-awards/>; 12/2/2024
- Leonidas Berry Health Equity Research Award; for faculty; MD, DO; ACG member at time of application; \$37,500/yr x 2yrs; <https://gi.org/acg-institute/research-awards/>; 12/2/2024

**HEALTH CARE****The Greenwall Foundation**

- Making a Difference in Real-World Bioethics Dilemmas Program; PhD, JD, MD; \$ unspecified/yr x 1yr; <https://greenwall.org/making-a-difference-grants>; 6/17/2024 LOI

## HEPATOLOGY

### American Liver Foundation

- Pilot Research Awards Program **\*\*Deadline Extended\*\***; early to established; \$50K/yr x 1yr; <https://liverfoundation.org/medical-professionals/research-awards-program/>; 6/14/2024 LOI

## NEUROLOGY

### The Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease (CJD) Foundation

- Fellowships; for post-doctoral, healthcare professionals; early; PhD and/or MD, MPH, advanced nursing degree; PhD and/or MD have a doctoral degree for less than 5 years; \$100K/yr x 1yr; 1 award/yr; <https://cjd.foundation.org/researchers/>; 11/5/2024 LOI
- Research Grants; \$50K/yr x 2yrs; <https://cjd.foundation.org/researchers/>; 7/18/2024 LOI

### Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research (MJFF)

- Edmond J. Safra Fellowship in Movement Disorders; early; MD, MD/PhD; \$90K/yr x 2yrs; 8 awards/yr; <https://www.michaeljfox.org/funding-opportunities/>; 12/5/2024

### National Multiple Sclerosis Society

- Barancik Prize for Innovation in MS Research; early to mid; Nominees should have no more than 20 years of experience as an independent investigator or team leader to be eligible, self-nominations are not permitted; \$100K/yr x 1yr; 1 award/yr; <https://www.nationalmssociety.org/for-professionals/for-researchers/research-funding-opportunities/awards-prizes/>; 8/12/2024
- Multiple Sclerosis Clinical Care Physician Fellowship - Adult Care and Pediatric Care; MD, DO; \$75K/yr x 1yr; <https://www.nationalmssociety.org/For-Professionals/Clinical-Care/Resources-for-You-and-Your-Practice/Clinical-Fellowships-and-Grants/MS-Clinical-Care-Physician-Fellowship/>; 8/7/2024 LOI

### Pfizer

- American Headache Society & Pfizer Quality Improvement Competitive Grant Program; Must be a member of the American Headache Society in order to be eligible; \$187,500/yr x 2yrs; <https://cdn.pfizer.com/pfizercom/2024-05/2024%20AHS%20Pfizer%20QI%20RFP%20FINAL.pdf?VersionId=jmy71ejGgCtib1NVpvfoB2cZtx0PgdWy>; 8/5/2024 LOI

### Simons Foundation

- Linking Early Neurodevelopment to Neural Circuit Outcomes; for faculty; PhD, MD; \$300K/yr x 3yrs; <https://www.sfari.org/funding-opportunities/>; 9/12/2024

## ONCOLOGY

### American Association for Cancer Research (AACR)

- AACR Distinguished Lectureship in Breast Cancer Research; Self-nominations are prohibited; <https://www.aacr.org/professionals/research-funding/current-funding-opportunities/>; 6/17/2024
- AACR Distinguished Lectureship on the Science of Cancer Health Disparities; Self-nominations are prohibited; <https://www.aacr.org/professionals/research-funding/current-funding-opportunities/>; 6/17/2024
- AACR Outstanding Investigator Award for Breast Cancer Research **\*\*Deadline Extended\*\***; Nominations may be submitted by any individual, whether an AACR member or nonmember, candidates must have not yet reached 50 years of age at the time of the award presentation; 1 award/yr; <https://www.aacr.org/professionals/research/scientific-achievement-awards-and-lecturships/awards-and-lectureships/>; 6/17/2024

### Appendix Cancer Pseudomyxoma Peritonei Research Foundation

- Catalyst Research Grant; for faculty; Assistant Professor or higher; PhD, MD, MD/PhD; \$25K/yr x 2yrs; <https://acpmp.org/research/research-grant-program/>; 8/30/2024

### Cures Within Reach

- Impacting Blood Cancers through Clinical Repurposing Trials 2024; \$75K/yr x 1yr; <https://www.cureswithinreach.org/programs/funding-opportunities-rfps/>; 7/29/2024 LOI

### Damon Runyon Cancer Research Foundation

- Damon Runyon-St. Jude Pediatric Cancer Research Fellowship Award; for faculty; Postdoctoral Fellow, Clinical Fellow, Clinical Instructor; MD, PhD, MD/PhD, DDS, DVM, DO; Level 1 applicants: Basic and physician-scientists must have received their degrees no more than 18 months prior to the application deadline date - Applicants must not have been in their Sponsors' labs for more than one year prior to the application deadline date, Level 2 applicants: Physician-scientist applicants (MD, MD/PhD, DDS, DVM, DO or the equivalent) must have completed their residencies and clinical training, must be board eligible in the

United States at the start date of the Damon Runyon-St. Jude Pediatric Cancer Research Fellowship Award; \$75K/yr x 4yrs; <https://www.damonrunyon.org/scientists/application-guidelines/st-jude-fellowship>; 8/15/2024

### **Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (LLS)**

- Building Evidence for Effective Interventions to Increase Therapeutic Cancer Clinical Trial Accrual: Promoting Access for Patients from Underrepresented Groups; early to established; PhD, MD, DO, ScD, JD; \$500K/yr x 5yrs; <https://www.lls.org/research/equity-access-research-grants>; 9/12/2024 LOI

### **Pablove Foundation**

- Powered by Pablove OMS Grants Focusing on Opsoclonus Myoclonus Syndrome; for faculty, post-doctoral; early; MD, PhD; Researchers currently towards the end of their clinical fellowship or postdoctoral training or within five (5) years of completion of training; \$50K/yr x 2yrs; <https://www.pablove.org/grants/apply-for-a-pablove-seed-grant/>; 7/1/2024 LOI
- Powered by Pablove Seed Grants for Research in Childhood Cancer; for faculty, post-doctoral; early; MD, PhD; Researchers currently towards the end of their clinical fellowship or postdoctoral training or within five (5) years of completion of training; \$50K/yr x 1yr; <https://www.pablove.org/grants/apply-for-a-pablove-seed-grant/>; 7/1/2024 LOI

### **Pfizer**

- Evolving Treatment Options in First-line Metastatic Urothelial Carcinoma (mUC) and Muscle Invasive Bladder Cancer (MIBC); \$250K-\$500K/yr x 1yr; [https://cdn.pfizer.com/pfizercom/2024-05/GMG-2024-ONC-mUCandMIBC\\_0.pdf?VersionId=t.566V.B\\_KrTw0qSCCunQjms4Vhq50ig](https://cdn.pfizer.com/pfizercom/2024-05/GMG-2024-ONC-mUCandMIBC_0.pdf?VersionId=t.566V.B_KrTw0qSCCunQjms4Vhq50ig); 7/19/2024

### **St. Baldrick's Foundation**

- Infrastructure Grants \*\*Limited Submission\*\*; MD/DO, PhD; \$50K/yr x 1yr; See email dated 5/22/24 from the Office of Research or <https://umcms.infoready4.com/> for more information; Contact CFR if interested in applying; <http://www.stbaldricks.org/researchers>; Internal deadline 6/10/2024 LOI; **UMass Chan Recipients:** 2017 Peter Newburger, MD; 2014 Thomas J. FitzGerald, MD
- St. Baldrick's Fellowship \*\*Limited Submission\*\*; MD, DO; Applicant should be in their 2nd or 3rd year of pediatric oncology fellowship at the LOI due date; \$97,500/yr x 2yrs; See email dated 5/21/24 from the Office of Research or <https://umcms.infoready4.com/> for more information; Contact CFR if interested in applying; <https://www.stbaldricks.org/researchers>; Internal deadline 6/10/2024 LOI

## **ORTHOPEDICS**

### **Orthopaedic Trauma Association**

- OTA Member Full Research Grant (Basic Research); Either the principal investigator or co-principal investigator must be an OTA Active, Clinical or Research member in good standing; \$25K/yr x 2yrs; [https://ota.org/research/opportunities/grants#/+0/score,date\\_na\\_dt/desc/](https://ota.org/research/opportunities/grants#/+0/score,date_na_dt/desc/); 7/15/2024
- OTA Member Full Research Grant (Clinical Research); Either the principal investigator or co-principal investigator must be an OTA Active, Clinical or Research member in good standing; \$40K/yr x 2yrs; [https://ota.org/research/opportunities/grants#/+0/score,date\\_na\\_dt/desc/](https://ota.org/research/opportunities/grants#/+0/score,date_na_dt/desc/); 7/15/2024
- OTA Resident Research Grant; Either the principal investigator or co-principal investigator must be an OTA member in good standing; \$20K/yr x 1yr; [https://ota.org/research/opportunities/grants#/+0/score,date\\_na\\_dt/desc/](https://ota.org/research/opportunities/grants#/+0/score,date_na_dt/desc/); 7/15/2024
- OTA Young Investigator Research Grant; Must be an orthopedic trauma surgeon within 5 years of orthopedic trauma fellowship completion, OTA member; \$17,500/yr x 2yrs; [https://ota.org/research/opportunities/grants#/+0/score,date\\_na\\_dt/desc/](https://ota.org/research/opportunities/grants#/+0/score,date_na_dt/desc/); 7/15/2024

## **OTOLARYNGOLOGY**

### **American Hearing Research Foundation**

- AHRF Discovery Grants; MD, PhD, AuD; \$50K/yr x 1yr; <https://www.american-hearing.org/research-grants/grant-process/>; 8/15/2024
- Discretionary Grants; \$65K-\$75K/yr x 1yr; <https://www.american-hearing.org/research-grants/grant-process/>; rolling

## **PATHOLOGY**

### **Society of Toxicology (SOT)**

- Colgate-Palmolive Grant for Alternative Research; Applicants do not have to be a current member of the Society of Toxicology (although if the applicant is selected to receive the award and is not a member, the awardee will apply); \$40K/yr x 1yr; 2 awards/yr; [https://sotapply.toxicology.org/prog/colgate-palmolive\\_grant\\_for\\_alternative\\_research/](https://sotapply.toxicology.org/prog/colgate-palmolive_grant_for_alternative_research/); 10/9/2024

- Colgate-Palmolive Postdoctoral Fellowship Award in In Vitro Toxicology; for post-doctoral; early; PhD, MD, DVM; SOT member or pending member; \$44K/yr x 1yr; 1 award/yr; [https://sotapply.toxicology.org/prog/colgate-palmolive\\_postdoctoral\\_fellowship\\_award\\_in\\_in\\_vitro\\_toxicology/](https://sotapply.toxicology.org/prog/colgate-palmolive_postdoctoral_fellowship_award_in_in_vitro_toxicology/); 10/9/2024

## PEDIATRICS

### Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF)

- Addressing Childhood Obesity and Health Inequities; \$1M/yr x 1yr; <https://www.rwjf.org/en/grants/active-funding-opportunities.html?o=1&us=1>; 6/27/2024  
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## PHARMACEUTICAL

### American Society of Health-System Pharmacists Foundation (ASHP)

- Pharmacist Nutrition Support Patient-Care Impact Program \*\*Deadline Extended\*\*;  
Pharmacist; early to established; Minimum of 7 years clinical practice experience, currently precepting pharmacy residents in an accredited PGY2 residency program located in the United States; \$ unspecified/yr; <https://www.ashpfoundation.org/leadership-development/nutrition-support-program>; 6/3/2024

## PSYCH

### American Psychological Foundation

- F.J. McGuigan Early Career Investigator Research Grant on Understanding the Human Mind; \$15K/yr x 1yr; <https://apf.apa.org/funding/mcguigan-research-grant/>; 6/5/2024
- Scott and Paul Pearsall Grant; for graduate student, early career psychologist; \$10K/yr x 1yr; <https://apf.apa.org/funding/pearsall-grant/>; 10/2/2024

## PULMONOLOGY

### Cystic Fibrosis Foundation (CFF)

- Screening Improvement Program Award for Optimizing the Diagnosis of Infants; \$75K/yr x 2yrs; <https://www.cff.org/researchers/academic-funding-opportunities>; 7/16/2024

## RADIOLOGY

### American Roentgen Ray Society (ARRS)

- ARRS Scholarship; for faculty; Lecturer, Instructor, Assistant Professor; early; MD, DO; Only one candidate per department per institution is eligible to be nominated each year, so your department chair's approval is required; \$90K/yr x 2yrs; <https://arrs.org/ARRSLIVE/ARRSScholarship>; 10/7/2024

## RARE DISEASE

### Alpha-1 Foundation

- Clinical Pilot Grants; for faculty; \$75K/yr x 1yr; <https://www.alpha1.org/Investigators/Grants/Grant-Opportunities/>; 9/27/2024 LOI
- John W. Walsh Career Development Grant; for faculty; MD, DO; No more than 6 years may have elapsed since the first faculty appointment at the assistant professor level or equivalent (including instructor, research assistant professor, research scientist, staff scientist, etc.) at the time of the award; \$100K/yr x 3yrs; <https://www.alpha1.org/Investigators/Grants/Grant-Opportunities/>; 9/27/2024 LOI
- Pilot and Feasibility Grants; for faculty; \$75K/yr x 1yr; <https://www.alpha1.org/Investigators/Grants/Grant-Opportunities/>; 9/27/2024 LOI
- Postdoctoral Research Fellowship Grants; for post-doctoral; MD, PhD; \$75K/yr x 2yrs; <https://www.alpha1.org/Investigators/Grants/Grant-Opportunities/>; 9/27/2024 LOI; **UMass Chan Recipients:** 2014 Florie Borel, PhD; 2008 Terrence Flotte, MD
- Research Grants; for faculty; \$100K/yr x 2yrs; <http://www.alpha1.org/Investigators/Grants/Grant-Opportunities>; 9/27/2024 LOI; **UMass Chan Recipients:** 2016 Christian Mueller, PhD; 2009 Terrence Flotte, MD

## RHEUMATOLOGY

### Lupus Research Alliance

- Global Team Science Award; for faculty; MD, PhD, DVM; \$1M/yr x 3yrs; <https://www.lupusresearch.org/for-researchers/funding-opportunities/>; 8/15/2024 LOI

## SURGERY

### American Society of Colon and Rectal Surgeons (ASCRS), Research Foundation of ASCRS

- General Surgery Resident Research Initiation Grant; for post-doctoral; MD; \$20K/yr x 1yr; <https://fascrs.org/my-ascrs/research-foundation>; 8/15/2024

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