PRIVATE FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES: JUL 20, 2018

Please contact Corporate & Foundation Relations in the Office of Development at devcfr@mgh.harvard.edu if you wish to submit a proposal in response to any of these opportunities. Note that proposals are still routed through the standard InfoEd/Research Management process.

Please be aware that any grant that brings in less than 15% in indirect costs (IDC) will need to be supplemented up to the 15% equivalent by existing investigator or departmental sundry funds. Resolution of this issue must occur prior to submitting a proposal. Training fellowships from foundations, public charity, and non-profit organizations are excluded from this minimum IDC requirement.

1. AAAAI Foundation Faculty Development Award, American Academy of Allergy, Asthma and Immunology (AAAAI)
   Mission: the American Academy of Allergy, Asthma & Immunology is dedicated to the advancement of the knowledge and practice of allergy, asthma and immunology for optimal patient care.

   The AAAAI Foundation is dedicated to support the development of junior faculty to further their careers in Allergy and Immunology, and to help create leaders and independent investigators by funding excellent research that will lead to the prevention and cure of asthma and allergic and immunologic disease.

   Citizenship: United States or Canada

   Award Amount: $240,000 paid over 3 years
   Indirect Costs: None
   LOI Deadline: Sep 4, 2018
   (Invited) Application Deadline: Nov 15, 2018
   Website: https://www.aaaai.org/professional-education-and-training/grants-awards

2. Clinical Research Training Scholarship in Multiple Sclerosis, American Academy of Neurology (AAN) New
   This award aims to recognize the importance of good clinical research and to encourage young investigators in clinical studies in multiple sclerosis.

Do you want to learn more about identifying external funding opportunities? See ECOR’s website for information on the funding opps database, COS Pivot or contact Amy Robb <arobb@mgh.harvard.edu> to schedule an individual consultation or group training session.
For the purpose of this scholarship, research is defined as "patient-oriented research conducted with human subjects, or translational research specifically designed to develop treatments or enhance diagnosis of neurologic disease. These areas of research include epidemiologic or behavioral studies, clinical trials, studies of disease mechanisms, the development of new technologies, and health services and outcomes research." Disease-related studies not directly involving humans or human tissue are also encouraged if the primary goal is the development of therapies, diagnostic tests, or other tools to prevent or mitigate neurological diseases.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Award Amount: $150,000 paid over 2 years
Indirect Costs: None
Application Deadline: Oct 1, 2018
Website: https://www.aan.com/education-and-research/research/aan-research-program/

3. McKnight Clinical Translational Research Scholarship in Cognitive Aging and Age Related Memory Loss, American Academy of Neurology (AAN)
The American Academy of Neurology in conjunction with the McKnight Brain Research Foundation and the American Brain Foundation is pleased to announce the McKnight Clinical Translational Research Scholarship in Cognitive Aging and Age-Related Memory Loss. This award aims to encourage young investigators in clinical studies relevant to age related memory loss. The award also recognizes the importance of rigorous training in clinical research, and encourages young investigators in seeking opportunities to establish future careers in the area of human cognitive aging.

For the purpose of this scholarship, research is defined as "patient-oriented research conducted with human subjects, or translational research specifically designed to develop treatments or enhance diagnosis of neurological disease associated with cognitive changes, and/or age-related memory loss. These areas of research include epidemiologic or behavioral studies, clinical trials, studies of disease mechanisms, the development of new technologies, and health services and outcomes research." Disease related studies not directly involving humans or human tissue are also encouraged if the primary goal is the development of therapies, diagnostic tests, or other tools to prevent or mitigate neurological diseases. This award is also appropriate for junior investigators interested in an academic career in translational-based research in neurology.

Citizenship: Unspecified

Award Amount: $150,000 paid over 2 years
Indirect Costs: None
Application Deadline: Oct 1, 2018
Website: https://www.aan.com/education-and-research/research/aan-research-program/
4. Clinical Research Training Fellowship in Tourette Syndrome, American Academy of Neurology (AAN)
This award aims to recognize the importance of good clinical research and to encourage young investigators in clinical studies related to Tourette Syndrome.

For the purpose of this scholarship, research is defined as "patient-oriented research conducted with human subjects, or translational research specifically designed to develop treatments or enhance diagnosis of neurologic disease. These areas of research include epidemiologic or behavioral studies, clinical trials, studies of disease mechanisms, the development of new technologies, and health services and outcomes research." Disease-related studies not directly involving humans or human tissue are also encouraged if the primary goal is the development of therapies, diagnostic tests, or other tools to prevent or mitigate neurological diseases.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Award Amount: $150,000 paid over 2 years
Indirect Costs: None
Application Deadline: Oct 1, 2018
Website: https://www.aan.com/education-and-research/research/aan-research-program/

5. Clinician Scientist Development Award in Myasthenia Gravis, American Academy of Neurology (AAN)  
This award aims to recognize the importance of good clinical research and to encourage young investigators in clinical studies related to myasthenia gravis.

For the purpose of this scholarship, research is defined as "patient-oriented research conducted with human subjects, or translational research specifically designed to develop treatments or enhance diagnosis of neurologic disease. These areas of research include epidemiologic or behavioral studies, clinical trials, studies of disease mechanisms, the development of new technologies, and health services and outcomes research." Disease-related studies not directly involving humans or human tissue are also encouraged if the primary goal is the development of therapies, diagnostic tests, or other tools to prevent or mitigate neurological diseases.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Award Amount: $240,000 paid over 3 years
Indirect Costs: None
Application Deadline: Oct 1, 2018
Website: https://www.aan.com/education-and-research/research/aan-research-program/
6. Clinical Research Training Scholarship, American Academy of Neurology (AAN)
The American Academy of Neurology is pleased to support clinical research training in the neurosciences. This award aims to recognize the importance of good clinical research and to encourage young investigators in clinical studies. The AAN Research Program demonstrates the AAN Board of Directors’ dedication to promoting neurology and neuroscience research and training.

For the purpose of this scholarship, research is defined as "patient-oriented research conducted with human subjects, or translational research specifically designed to develop treatments or enhance diagnosis of neurological disease. These areas of research include epidemiologic or behavioral studies, clinical trials, studies of disease mechanisms, the development of new technologies, and health services and outcomes research." Disease-related studies not directly involving humans or human tissue are also encouraged if the primary goal is the development of therapies, diagnostic tests, or other tools to prevent or mitigate neurological diseases.

Citizenship: Unspecified

Award Amount: $150,000 paid over 2 years
Indirect Costs: None
Application Deadline: Oct 1, 2018
Website: https://www.aan.com/education-and-research/research/aan-research-program/

7. Clinical Research Training Scholarship in Parkinson's Disease, American Academy of Neurology (AAN)
This award aims to recognize the importance of good clinical research and to encourage young investigators in clinical studies in Parkinson's disease.

For the purpose of this scholarship, research is defined as "patient-oriented research conducted with human subjects, or translational research specifically designed to develop treatments or enhance diagnosis of neurological disease. These areas of research include epidemiologic or behavioral studies, clinical trials, studies of disease mechanisms, the development of new technologies, and health services and outcomes research." Disease-related studies not directly involving humans or human tissue are also encouraged if the primary goal is the development of therapies, diagnostic tests, or other tools to prevent or mitigate neurological diseases.

Citizenship: Unspecified

Award Amount: $150,000 paid over 2 years
Indirect Costs: None
Application Deadline: Oct 1, 2018
Website: https://www.aan.com/education-and-research/research/aan-research-program/
8. Susan S. Spencer Clinical Research Training Scholarship in Epilepsy, American Academy of Neurology (AAN)  
This award supports clinical research training in the field of epilepsy. It is hoped that this program, targeting fellows and new faculty, will foster the development of investigators interested in pursuing careers in patient-oriented research. The late Susan Spencer MD, an internationally renowned epileptologist, exemplified the qualities of a clinician-investigator. The award recognizes the importance of good clinical research and encourages young investigators in clinical studies in epilepsy.

For the purpose of this scholarship, research is defined as "patient-oriented research conducted with human subjects, or translational research specifically designed to develop treatments or enhance diagnosis of neurologic disease. These areas of research include epidemiologic or behavioral studies, clinical trials, studies of disease mechanisms, the development of new technologies, and health services and outcomes research." Disease-related studies not directly involving humans or human tissue are also encouraged if the primary goal is the development of therapies, diagnostic tests, or other tools to prevent or mitigate neurological diseases.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Award Amount: $150,000 paid over 2 years
Indirect Costs: None
Application Deadline: Oct 1, 2018
Website: https://www.aan.com/education-and-research/research/aan-research-program/

9. Practice Research Training Scholarship, American Academy of Neurology (AAN)  
The American Academy of Neurology is pleased to offer a two-year award to support practice-based research, which is defined as "clinical research that evaluates translation of evidence into best clinical practice." This may include evaluation of health services, quality of care, implementation of therapies, physician performance, or patient adherence. It is intended to create unique training opportunities previously difficult to access for neurologists. This award aims to recognize the importance of good practice-based research or comparative effectiveness research (CER) and encourage young investigators to use studies to improve health systems and services. The AAN Research Program demonstrates the AAN Board of Directors’ dedication to promoting neurology and neuroscience research and training.

Research must be directed to care in the clinical neurosciences and must meet the definition of clinical practice research. For example, clinical trials of therapies would not meet the definition of clinical practice research but trials of methods to improve physician adherence to guidelines would.

Citizenship: Unrestricted
10. **Clinical Research Training Scholarship in ALS, American Academy of Neurology (AAN)**
This award aims to recognize the importance of good clinical research and to encourage young investigators in clinical studies in ALS.

For the purpose of this scholarship, research is defined as "patient-oriented research conducted with human subjects, or translational research specifically designed to develop treatments or enhance diagnosis of neurologic disease. These areas of research include epidemiologic or behavioral studies, clinical trials, studies of disease mechanisms, the development of new technologies, and health services and outcomes research.” Disease-related studies not directly involving humans or human tissue are also encouraged if the primary goal is the development of therapies, diagnostic tests, or other tools to prevent or mitigate neurological diseases.

**Citizenship:** Unrestricted

**Award Amount:** $150,000 paid over 2 years
**Indirect Costs:** None
**Application Deadline:** Oct 1, 2018
**Website:** [https://www.aan.com/education-and-research/research/aan-research-program/](https://www.aan.com/education-and-research/research/aan-research-program/)

11. **Career Development Award, American Academy of Neurology (AAN)**
The American Academy of Neurology is pleased to announce a three-year award to support junior investigators interested in an academic research career in neurology.

This award is for junior investigators interested in an academic career in clinical, basic or translational neurological research.

**Citizenship:** Unspecified

**Award Amount:** $450,000 paid over 3 years
**Indirect Costs:** None
**Application Deadline:** Oct 1, 2018
**Website:** [https://www.aan.com/education-and-research/research/aan-research-program/](https://www.aan.com/education-and-research/research/aan-research-program/)
12. Neuroscience Research Training Scholarship, American Academy of Neurology (AAN)
The American Academy of Neurology is pleased to support a mentored award for junior investigators interested in an academic career in laboratory-based neurology research. The award aims to recognize the importance of, and encourage young investigators in, good laboratory or preclinical research.

Citizenship: Unspecified

Award Amount: $150,000 paid over 2 years
Indirect Costs: None
Application Deadline: Oct 1, 2018
Website: https://www.aan.com/research-and-awards/clinical-research-fellowships/clinical-research-training-fellowships/

13. Robert W. Katzman, MD, Clinical Research Training Scholarship in Alzheimer’s and Dementia Research, American Academy of Neurology (AAN)
This award aims to recognize the importance of good clinical research and to encourage young investigators in clinical studies related to Alzheimer’s and related dementias.

For the purpose of this scholarship, research is defined as "patient-oriented research conducted with human subjects, or translational research specifically designed to develop treatments or enhance diagnosis of neurologic disease. These areas of research include epidemiologic or behavioral studies, clinical trials, studies of disease mechanisms, the development of new technologies, and health services and outcomes research.” Disease-related studies not directly involving humans or human tissue are also encouraged if the primary goal is the development of therapies, diagnostic tests, or other tools to prevent or mitigate neurological diseases.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Award Amount: $150,000 paid over 2 years
Indirect Costs: None
Application Deadline: Oct 1, 2018
Website: https://www.aan.com/education-and-research/research/aan-research-program/

This award aims to recognize the importance of good clinical research and to encourage young investigators in clinical studies in headache.

For the purpose of this scholarship, research is defined as "patient-oriented research conducted with human subjects, or translational research specifically designed to develop treatments or
enhance diagnosis of neurologic disease. These areas of research include epidemiologic or behavioral studies, clinical trials, studies of disease mechanisms, the development of new technologies, and health services and outcomes research.” Disease-related studies not directly involving humans or human tissue are also encouraged if the primary goal is the development of therapies, diagnostic tests, or other tools to prevent or mitigate neurological diseases.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Award Amount: $130,000 paid over 2 years
Indirect Costs: None
Application Deadline: Oct 1, 2018
Website: https://www.aan.com/education-and-research/research/aan-research-program/

15. Richard Olney Clinician Scientist Development Award in ALS, American Academy of Neurology (AAN)
This award aims to recognize the importance of good clinical research and to encourage young investigators in clinical studies in ALS.

For the purpose of this scholarship, research is defined as "patient-oriented research conducted with human subjects, or translational research specifically designed to develop treatments or enhance diagnosis of neurologic disease. These areas of research include epidemiologic or behavioral studies, clinical trials, studies of disease mechanisms, the development of new technologies, and health services and outcomes research.” Disease-related studies not directly involving humans or human tissue are also encouraged if the primary goal is the development of therapies, diagnostic tests, or other tools to prevent or mitigate neurological diseases.

Citizenship: $240,000 paid over 3 years
Indirect Costs: None
Application Deadline: Oct 1, 2018
Website: https://www.aan.com/education-and-research/research/aan-research-program/

16. Clinical Research Training Fellowship in Muscular Dystrophy, American Academy of Neurology (AAN)
This award aims to recognize the importance of good clinical research and to encourage young investigators in clinical studies in muscular dystrophy:

- Becker muscular dystrophy (BMD)
- Congenital muscular dystrophies (CMD)
- Duchenne muscular dystrophy (DMD)
- Emery-Dreifuss muscular dystrophy (EDMD)
- Facioscapulohumeral muscular dystrophy (FSHD)
- Limb-girdle muscular dystrophies (LGMD)
• Myotonic dystrophy (DM)
• Oculopharyngeal muscular dystrophy (OPMD)

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Award Amount: $150,000 paid over 2 years
Indirect Costs: None
Application Deadline: Oct 1, 2018
Website: https://www.aan.com/education-and-research/research/aan-research-program/

17. Steven P. Arnoczky Young Investigator Grant, American Orthopaedic Society for Sports Medicine (AOSSM)
The Steven P. Arnoczky Young Investigator Grant provides awards aimed at providing "seed money," or start-up funds, for pilot projects.

Citizenship: United States

Award Amount: $50,000 paid over 2 years
Indirect Costs: None
(Required) Pre-Review Deadline: Aug 15, 2018
Application Deadline: Dec 1, 2018
Website: http://www.sportsmed.org/AOSSMIMIS/Members/Members/Research/Young_Investigator_Grant.aspx

18. AUA Research Scholar Awards, American Urological Association (AUA)
The Urology Care Foundation, the official foundation of the American Urological Association (AUA), works to ensure the future of urologic health by supporting and improving the prevention, detection, and treatment of urologic diseases through research and patient education. The Urology Care Foundation has recognized a major need to encourage bright, young physician-scientists and researchers to dedicate their careers to improving patients' lives through better understanding of the development and management of urologic diseases and conditions.

Urology Care Foundation Research Scholar Awards support future research leaders and ensure they receive the necessary training and guidance for a successful research career. Initiated in 1975, these awards provide funding for one- and two-year mentored research training for clinical and postdoctoral fellows or early-career faculty.

Citizenship: Unrestricted
19. Postdoctoral Research Fellowships, Cystic Fibrosis Foundation (CFF)
Postdoctoral research fellowship awards are offered for support of postdoctoral research training related to cystic fibrosis. Preference will be given to recent graduates and those just beginning their research careers.

The majority of morbidity and mortality associated with CF today is due to lung disease. In CF, innate defenses are compromised and inhaled or aspirated pathogens are able to establish chronic infections. CF is unique in that only a small subset of pathogens have been linked to disease progression, and the infection remains, for the most part, compartmentalized. Unfortunately, the neutrophil dominant inflammatory response causes tissue destruction and compromised organ-level function. Both the host and pathogen adapt and evolve into an indolent, chronic infection punctuated by acute CFF Postdoctoral Research Fellowship Award Policies and Guidelines 3 March 2018 exacerbations. Research into these areas, as it relates to disease pathogenesis and new treatments will be priorities for funding.

Citizenship: United States

20. OREF/ASES/ROCKWOOD Clinical Research Grant in Shoulder Care, Orthopaedic Research and Education Foundation (OREF)
Focus is clinical research. Clinical relevance must be clearly noted in the abstract and specific aims and be obvious from the title and study design.

Citizenship: United States
21. Laura Crandall Brown Foundation Ovarian Cancer Early Detection Research Grant, Society of Gynecologic Oncology (SGO)/Foundation for Women’s Cancer (FWC)
The Foundation gratefully acknowledges the Laura Crandall Brown Foundation for support of this grant. Laura Crandall Brown Foundation offers hope through research for early detection of ovarian cancer, empowering communities through gynecologic cancer awareness, and enriching lives through support. This is the third research grant supported by the Laura Crandall Brown Foundation.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Award Amount: $50,000 for 1 year
Indirect Costs: Unspecified
Abstract Deadline: Aug 27, 2018
Website: https://fwc.secure-platform.com/a/page/prizes-copy2018/awardofferings

22. St. Louis Ovarian Cancer Awareness Research Grant, Society of Gynecologic Oncology (SGO)/Foundation for Women’s Cancer (FWC)
The Foundation gratefully acknowledges St. Louis Ovarian Cancer Awareness (SLOCA) for the support of this grant. St. Louis Ovarian Cancer Awareness is committed to impacting ovarian cancer survivorship by promoting awareness of early warning signs and standards of care, funding ovarian cancer research, and supporting survivors. This is the fourteenth research grant supported by SLOCA.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Award Amount: $50,000 for 1 year
Indirect Costs: Unspecified
Abstract Deadline: Aug 27, 2018
Website: https://fwc.secure-platform.com/a/page/prizes-copy2018/awardofferings

23. Ovarian Cancer Research Grant in Honor of Liza D. Chance, Society of Gynecologic Oncology (SGO)/Foundation for Women’s Cancer (FWC) New
The Foundation gratefully acknowledges Pippa Calland, and the friends and family of Liza D. Chance for the support of this grant. This is the first year this research grant is being offered.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Award Amount: $50,000 for 1 year
Indirect Costs: Unspecified
Abstract Deadline: Aug 27, 2018
Website: https://fwc.secure-platform.com/a/page/prizes-copy2018/awardofferings
24. Myriad Genetics Ovarian Cancer Research Grant, Society of Gynealogic Oncology (SGO)/Foundation for Women's Cancer (FWC) New
This grant is focused on addressing barriers to germline testing in hereditary Ovarian Cancer. The Foundation gratefully acknowledges Myriad Genetics for the support of this grant. This is the first year this research grant is being offered.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Award Amount: $50,000 for 1 year
Indirect Costs: Unspecified
Abstract Deadline: Aug 27, 2018
Website: https://fwc.secure-platform.com/a/page/prizes-copy2018/awardofferings