2018
Permian Basin Research Forum

Please, check TTUHCS at the Permian Basin publication list
July-December 2017


If you have a publication that is not included above and was published between July and December 2017 with a TTUHSC affiliation, please send the information to Melissa.waggoner@ttuhsc.edu.

Reminder about listing correct author affiliation

When listing your affiliation for scholarly publications, please use Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center at the Permian Basin. Using this name will allow for others to more accurately search for your publications through databases such as PubMed. Please do not use names such as: Texas Tech Health Sciences, Texas Tech University, or TTUHSC.

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AMENDED Scholarly Publications book


TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
School of Medicine

Collaborative Research Seed Grant Program 2018

Deadline for grant applications: May 1, 2018

Nature of Projects:
- Any area of research.
- This grant program is available to faculty on all SOM campuses.
- Projects must demonstrate a collaborative research initiative between one or more basic scientist and one or more clinical scientist in the SOM.

Amount: Up to 8 grants will be approved with funding up to $20,000 each for a one-year project to support the preliminary or pilot phase of scientific projects, not to supplement funding already secured. (No salary support for the principal investigators will be provided. Additionally, funding may not be used for travel, renovations, society membership dues, large capital purchases, computers/software, entertainment costs, office supplies/furniture/equipment.)

Eligibility:
- Seed grant submissions will be due May 1, 2018.
- Seed grant submissions should include the following:
  - Abstract - 1 page
  - Specific Aims - 1 page
  - Introduction, background, research design and methods - up to 4 pages
  - Specific role for each principal investigator - 1 page
  - NIH Bio-sketch for each principal investigator - up to 5 pages
  - A detailed budget with brief justification - 1 page (allowable items: research supplies, animal costs, part-time personnel, etc.)
  - Other support: list all current and pending extramural support for the last three years, include results from previous SOM seed grants – no limit
- Seed grant submissions that demonstrate a preliminary or pilot phase of scientific projects will be given priority.
- Seed grant submissions that demonstrate a strong possibility for extramural funding will be given priority.

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Clinical Research Methods Session

Registration fee on or before January 7, 2018: $500.00 (33% off)
Register and pay online at: https://www.bcm.edu/departments/family-and-community-medicine/courses/clinical-research-methods/registration-form

Visit our webpage: https://www.bcm.edu/departments/family-and-community-medicine/courses/clinical-research-methods

View feedback from previous sessions: https://www.bcm.edu/departments/family-and-community-medicine/courses/cme-quotes

New Journal

Looking for a journal for your case report?

The journal, *Southwest Respiratory and Critical Care Chronicles* is seeking original articles with data, pilot studies with data, review articles and possibly short articles outlining hypotheses. The journal is available at www.pulmonarychronicles.com. If you are interested in publishing with this journal or have questions, please contact Kenneth.nugent@ttuhsc.edu

Funding Available

Community Access to Child Health Seeks Applications for Community Health Programs

**SOURCE:** American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP)

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:** 1/31/18

**AVAILABLE:** Please see PURPOSE Section.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Please see PURPOSE Section.

**PURPOSE:** Community Access to Child Health (CATCH), a program of the American Academy of Pediatrics, provides support to pediatricians eager to collaborate within their community so that all children have access to needed health services. To that end, CATCH is accepting applications for its CATCH Planning and Implementation Grants program and CATCH Resident Grants program.

1. **Planning and Implementation Grants:** Grants of up to $10,000 will be awarded to individual pediatricians and fellowship trainees for the planning of innovative community-based child health initiatives that ensure all children in the community have access to healthcare services not otherwise available. Priority will be given to projects that serve communities with the greatest health disparities. Outreach must be to the community at large, not to practice or clinic patients only, and all initiatives should incorporate screening for or connecting children to medical homes and available insurance programs.

   All pediatricians are eligible to apply regardless of employment setting or retirement status.

2. **Resident Grants:** Grants of up to $2,000 will be awarded to pediatric residents for the planning and/or implementation of community-based child health initiatives. Projects must include planning activities or demonstrate completed planning activities, and may include implementation activities.

**CONTACT:** Please see URL for contact information. For more information see https://www.aap.org/en-us/advocacy-and-policy/aap-health-initiatives/commpeds/Pages/Grants.aspx?

From The Foundation Center's Philanthropy News Digest web site, accessed 12/7/17

Subject(s) children's health, health care services

Innovative Project Award

Application Deadline: Jan. 11, 2018

Funds ideas that may introduce new paradigms, challenge current paradigms, look at existing problems from new perspectives, or exhibit other uniquely creative qualities. Preliminary data is not required and not accepted as part of the proposal. However, a solid rationale for the work must be provided.

Transformational Project Award

Application Deadline: Jan. 23, 2018

Represents the second phase of a new idea that is the next logical step of previous work, and should already be revealing a high probability of revealing new avenues of investigation, if successful. Proposals should include preliminary data.

2018 Student Research Week

**FUNDING**

American Cancer Society

*Save the Date*

**March 20th – 23rd, 2018**

770 HSIC Lubbock Campus

Includes a vendor show, poster competition, and keynote addresses from:

Dr. Jane Richardson & Dr. Francisco Bezanilla
NEW: Extramural Research and Training Program Director

Dr. Natalia Schlabritz-Lutsevich,
TTUHSC—Permian Basin
701 4th St.
Odessa, TX 79761

Dear Dr. Schlabritz-Lutsevich,

I hope all is well with your research department. I have been able to do some of my own research on resources that will hopefully be beneficial for your group to more successfully obtain funding from the American Cancer Society.

First, I wanted to provide you the important dates as they pertain to funding applications:
- Application Deadline: April 15th / October 15th
- Peer Review: June / January
- Consultants to Applicant: August 1st / March 1st
- Grant Meeting: Mid-September / Mid-March
- Grant Notification: Final September / Final March
- Announcement: “Newly Awarded Grants and Pay-If-Applicants” - October 1st / April 1st
- Grant Certificate: November 1st / May 1st
- Grant Activation: January 1st / July 1st

Second, the American Cancer Society’s Health Systems Staff is now equipped with an Extramural Research and Training Department Program Director assigned to our team that can provide scientific expertise and relevance of potential funding.

Last, the evaluation of our research program has gone from focusing on launching the careers of the most innovative young cancer research scientists to both providing support for projects that fit the goals and objectives of the Society and accelerating the most promising cancer research projects. This will allow a longer qualifying time for many cancer researches.

I have included in this packet a copy of the 2017 Cancer Facts & Figures that provides nationwide and state-specific estimates of new cancer cases and deaths for the current year. This annual report provides the most current information about cancer. The widely cited projections are the report same as a basis for research. If you would like an electronic version to share with your colleagues, please let me know.

I will work to ensure my team is able to increase the number of cancer researchers in making the right connections with the American Cancer Society’s extramural research staff to better your chances of receiving the funds needed to continue cancer research in your facility.

Best Wishes,

Jennifer Purser
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**GENERATION NANO**

Questions? E-mail Gen-Nano Team at gennano@nsf.gov
Where: Learn more & enter at nsf.gov/gennano

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**Who:** 6-12 graders — individuals or teams of 2-3

**What:** Create a superhero using science, tell their story in a short comic or video

**When:** Enter Sept. 18, 2017-Jan. 8, 2018, 11:59 p.m. EST

**Where:** Learn more & enter at nsf.gov/gennano

**Why:** To promote early interest in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics.

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**Information about identifying predatory journals**

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**Online**

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