The 2021 Carole May Yates Memorial Endowment for Cancer Research

PURPOSE: The Cumming School of Medicine (CSM) welcomes applications for the Carole May Yates Memorial Endowment for Cancer Research. The fund will support and facilitate cancer research, with preference given to research related to:

- Basic or clinical research related to the detection, prevention or treatment of pre-menopausal breast cancer
- Basic or clinical research in the area of tumor immunology
- Equipment to be used for cancer research
- A visiting professorship or lectureship program in the areas of medical or surgical oncology

CANDIDATE ELIGIBILITY: This competition is open to all faculty members with primary appointments in the Cumming School of Medicine.

DEADLINE: Wednesday, June 30th, 2021

AMOUNT: up to $20,800

ELIGIBLE USE OF FUNDS:

- Expenses related to research project
- Equipment for cancer research
- Provide funding (travel, accommodation, honoraria) to support visiting scientists and other researchers to Calgary in the areas of medical or surgical oncology

LENGTH OF AWARD: One year

AWARD CRITERIA - Application will be judged based on:

- How well the goals of the applications are aligned with the goals of this award
- Scientific merit, when applicable (is the hypothesis clearly stated, are the methods adequate? etc...)
- Feasibility of the project given the proposed budget and background of the applicant
- Overall quality of the proposal

REPORTING: The Award recipient will have to provide the Office of the Associate Dean Research CSM with a brief report (2 pages max) to include: summary of the research activities for the reporting period; HQP – was anyone trained or supported by this award; publications/presentations resulting from research; how were the funds used, was other funding obtained based on leveraging this award. This report should be submitted to medendow@ucalgary.ca no later than three (3) months after completion of the project or when required.

HOW TO APPLY: Complete the application available at: https://cumming.ucalgary.ca/research-institutes/funding-opportunities/endowment-competitions and forward an electronic (PDF) copy, including supporting documents to medendow@ucalgary.ca the Office of the Associate Dean Research, Cumming School of Medicine.

QUESTIONS? Contact Patty Beug-Jang at medendow@ucalgary.ca