Grant Development "Micro"-Tip

Your project summary sets the stage for your proposal. Most reviewers read the summary first. Other committee members may only read your summary. Your summary will be used to assign your grant to a peer review committee and to identify appropriate reviewers. Write your summary so it will attract the best reviewers and excite the entire committee.

Funding Opportunities

CIHR: Team Grant - E-Rare-6 Joint Transnational Call (2022)

CIHR-IG is pleased to be partnering with the Fonds de recherche du Québec – Santé (FRQS), Ataxia Canada and approximately 26 international funding organizations in the context of this European Joint Programme on Rare Diseases (EJP RD) call for
proposals 2022. CIHR-IG is committed to expanding and improving the diagnosis and treatment of rare diseases by creating the conditions needed to bring together creative, dynamic, interdisciplinary teams of researchers from across Canada and the European Community (EC) to collaborate for better health outcomes for rare disease patient community.

The topic of the call is the development of new analytic tools and pathways to accelerate diagnosis and facilitate diagnostic monitoring of rare diseases. Pre-proposal is due to EJP RD on February 16, 2022. Research Services’ final internal deadline for the full application is noon on Friday, June 10, 2022.

**CIHR: Operating Grant - 14th JPIAMR transnational call for research projects (2022)**

This call, developed under the ERA-Net JPIAMR-ACTION, is the 14th JPIAMR transnational call for research projects. The declining effectiveness of existing antimicrobials together with the low and insufficient number of promising new antimicrobials in the pipeline stresses the urgency to develop new protocols and innovative approaches for effective delivery and use of the already existing antimicrobials.

This call will support research into therapeutic/agricultural interventions based on the improvement of the efficacy, specificity, delivery, combinations and/or repurposing of drugs and plant protection agents to treat bacterial or fungal infections in One Health settings. Pre-proposal is due to JPIAMR on March 8, 2022. Research Services’ final internal deadline for the full application is noon on Thursday, June 30, 2022.

** CIHR: Operating Grant - Healthy Cities Research Initiative: Data Analysis Using Existing Databases and Cohorts**

The Healthy Cities Research Initiative (HCRI), a multi-Institute initiative, will help us understand which solutions will work best to achieve these outcomes – as well as how cities can put these solutions into action – in ways that will be impactful, sustainable and equitable. This funding opportunity will support projects relevant to the following research areas: Healthy Cities Intervention Research General Pool and Healthy Cities Intervention Research Urban Indigenous Health Pool. Research Services’ final internal deadline for the full application is noon on Thursday, April 7, 2022.

**CIHR: Team Grant - Pediatric Cancer Consortium**
This funding will build on previous investments in pediatric cancer research by establishing a foundation for coordinated research and knowledge mobilization within this area in Canada through the creation of a Pediatric Cancer Consortium. The Consortium will advance a shared vision to collaborate and produce research that will influence policy and practice predicated on better science, better access and better coordination to improve the lives of pediatric cancer patients and their families/caregivers. An interconnected Consortium will bring together the ecosystem of pediatric cancer research platforms, networks, research teams, policy makers and people with lived/living experience (PWLE), Indigenous communities and organizations, healthcare providers, and other entities. Research Services’ final internal deadline for the full application is noon on Thursday, April 21, 2022.

**CIHR: Catalyst Grant - CPHO’s Report 2021: Future of Public Health**

This funding opportunity will support research on the population and public health priorities identified in the 2021 CPHO Annual Report, with a portion of the funding reserved for Early Career Researchers (ECRs). It builds on previous Institute of Population and Public Health (IPPH) funding focused on building an evidence base to inform the organization and delivery of public health services. Most recently, in 2019, IPPH and the Institute of Health Services and Policy Research (IHSPR) launched a funding opportunity to support research on the positive, negative and/or unintended impacts of recent and ongoing changes to the financing, governance, and delivery of public health services and responsibilities in Canada. The funding opportunity also aligns with the mission of the CIHR Centre for Research on Pandemic Preparedness and Health Emergencies (CRPPHE) to protect the health of all Canadians by developing and mobilizing research for pandemic and health emergency preparedness, prevention, response, and recovery that contributes meaningfully to timely, equitable and effective responses and recovery. Research Services’ final internal deadline for the full application is noon on Friday, April 29, 2022.

**CIHR: Pre-announcement - Mental Health in the Early Years Implementation Science Team Grants**

The goal of the Mental Health in the Early Years (MHITEY) Implementation Science Team Grants funding opportunity is to fund implementation science research that enhances our understanding of how to improve the systematic and equitable implementation of evidence-based interventions for young children (i.e., girls, boys and gender diverse children ages 0-5) and their caregivers. Given the critical
role that caregivers play in early childhood, interventions that include a perinatal and/or caregiver focus will be eligible, as long as the outcomes of the intervention include enhanced mental health and wellbeing of children ages zero to five (0-5).

**Anticipated Timeline:**

- Program launch: **March 2022**
- Application Deadline: **June 2022**

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**Government of Canada: The Skills for Success Program – Research and Innovation Stream**

The objective of this Call for Proposals under the Skills for Success program is to fund organizations that will help Canadians at all skill levels improve their foundational and transferable skills to better prepare for, get and keep a job, and adapt and succeed at work. **Organizations can only submit a single application for the Research and Innovation Stream.** Please note that community organizations are an eligible organization for this call. Given the tight timelines and application limits permitted by the university, **faculty members may consider applying through their partner organizations.**

For applications wishing to be made through the University rather than through partner community organizations, an internal Notice of Intent (iNOI) is due to Research Services by **noon on February 11th, 2022.** Send the following details to **asamuels@ucalgary.ca** by this date: Principal Investigator's name, Faculty and Department, Project Title.

This submission to Research Services is required since the application is made by the institution, and an internal Letter of Intent (LOI) stage may be required if multiple applications are seeking to go forward.

**Please note:** Submission of an iNOI is mandatory. Applications submitted to the funding agency without having undergone this stage will be rejected.

To see other active funding opportunities, visit the Research Services Office (RSO) funding calendar.
Spring 2022 Competition – Deadlines Extended!

The Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) Project Grant program is designed to capture ideas with the greatest potential to advance health-related knowledge, health research, health care, health systems, and/or health outcomes. It supports projects with a specific purpose and a defined endpoint. The best ideas may stem from new, incremental, innovative, and/or high-risk lines of inquiry or knowledge translation approaches.

In light of the disruptions caused by the Omicron variant of COVID-19, CIHR has extended the registration and application deadlines for the Spring 2022 Project Grant Competition.

- The deadline to register via ResearchNet is now Wednesday, February 16, 2022.
- Research Services’ final internal deadline for the full application is now 9:00 am on Monday, March 14, 2022.

Contact: Brandi Povitz

Resources

A Guide for Registering and a Guide for Applying are now available on the Internal Peer Review (IPR) site along with many other resources to help you develop your grant application:

- A place to register for your IPR committee, please take advantage of this so that your faculty and institute can best support your application development
- A library of successful applications
- A recording and slides from our first faculty information session
- A list of review committee mandates and the names of individuals who recently reviewed for each committee
- Past webinars: The Black Box of CIHR Peer Review Committees, Planning the Best Response to an Unsuccessful Grant, and many more

Project Grant Spring 2022 Faculty Info Sessions

In an effort to assist applicants (and teams) prepare for the Spring CIHR Project Grant competition the Grant Development team will be providing a second opportunity to learn more about the competition requirements. Please encourage any staff or trainees
that will be assisting with your application to attend. This session will focus on the application stage but members of the OADR Grant Development team will be available to answer questions about registration following the webinar. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

**Session 2**

Date: **Monday, February 14, 2022**  
Time: **2:00 pm – 3:00 pm**  
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