

Foundation RFP Deadlines: Dec-Jan-Feb 2020-2021

Foundation/ Organization	AWARD (US\$)	Deadline	Notes	Tag
American Federation for Aging Research (AFAR) Grants for Junior Faculty	\$100,000	12/15/20	Examples of potentially fundable areas of research include, but are not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aging and immune function • Stem cell aging • Inflammation • Genetic control of longevity • Neurobiology and neuropathology of aging • Invertebrate or vertebrate animal models • Cardiovascular aging • Aging and cellular stress response • Metabolic and endocrine changes 	Biomedical
National Science Foundation NSF Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Program (S-STEM)	\$1,000,000- \$5,000,000	12/15/20	Eligible disciplines include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biological sciences (except medicine and other clinical fields) • Physical sciences (including physics, chemistry, astronomy, and materials science) • Mathematical sciences • Computer and information sciences • Geosciences • Engineering • Technology fields associated with the disciplines above 	S-STEM
Ono Pharma Foundation Breakthrough Science Initiative in Chemical Biology	\$900,000	01/05/21	Ono Pharma Foundation will be considering research proposals that exhibit the potential to transform human health. Applicants/PIs are expected to propose meaningfully novel research in the field of Chemical Biology. Chemical Biology is defined as research that deals with the interface between chemistry and biology. The criteria for this field are deliberately broad so as not to disqualify potentially innovative and groundbreaking projects. Applications comprising laboratory investigation will be considered.	Biological Sciences/Health Sciences
Burroughs Wellcome Fund (BWF) Career Awards at the Scientific Interface	\$500,000	01/08/21	These grants are intended to foster the early career development of researchers who have transitioned or are transitioning from undergraduate and/or graduate work in the physical/mathematical/computational sciences or engineering into postdoctoral work in the biological sciences, and who are dedicated to pursuing a career in academic research.	Biological Sciences
Whitehall Foundation Research Grants and Grants-in-Aid at Asst. Prof. Level	\$30,000- \$75,000	01/15/21	(Research Grants) Applications will be judged on the scientific merit and the innovative aspects of the proposal as well as on the competence of the applicant. Research grants of up to three years will be provided. A renewal grant with a maximum of two years is possible, but it will be awarded on a competitive basis. The (Grants-in-Aid) program is designed for researchers at	Life Sciences

			the assistant professor level who experience difficulty in competing for research funds because they have not yet become firmly established. Grants-in-Aid can also be made to senior scientists. All applications will be judged on the scientific merit and innovative aspects of the proposal, as well as on past performance and evidence of the applicant's continued productivity. Grants-in-Aid are awarded for a one-year period and do not exceed \$30,000.	
Burroughs Wellcome Fund (BWF) Innovation in Regulatory Science	\$500,000	02/12/21	The program provides support for academic researchers developing new methodologies or innovative approaches in regulatory science that will ultimately inform the regulatory decisions FDA and others make. This would necessarily draw upon the talents of individuals trained in mathematics, computer science, applied physics, medicine, engineering, toxicology, epidemiology, biostatistics, and systems pharmacology, to name a few.	Biomedical
New York Stem Cell Foundation Innovator Awards for Stem Cell Research	\$1,500,000	02/17/21	NYSCF is soliciting applications from early career investigators for Innovator Awards to be used for exploring the basic biology and translational potential of stem cells. The goal of this initiative is to foster bold and innovative scientists with the potential to transform the field of stem cell research, and advance understanding and use of stem cells in the development of treatments for human disease. In addition to providing funding, NYSCF partners with investigators to advance and translate their research.	Biomedical
Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Pioneering Ideas: Exploring the Future to Build a Culture of Health	Varies	Ongoing	We want to hear from scientists, anthropologists, artists, urban planners, community leaders—anyone, anywhere who has a new or unconventional idea that could alter the trajectory of health, and improve health equity and well-being for generations to come. The changes we seek require diverse perspectives and cannot be accomplished by any one person, organization or sector.	Biomedical/Health Equity

If you have any questions or need any support submitting your application, please contact Development Assistant, Maura Southwell, at msouthwell@ucsd.edu to connect with a Scripps Development Fundraising Officer.