New Funding Opportunities - Weekly Update
(November 1, 2019)

Please search for all CURRENT funding opportunities at:
http://pasweb.cc.umanitoba.ca/extapp/ors/pubapp/umfo.php

TRI-COUNCIL AGENCIES:

CANADIAN INSTITUTES OF HEALTH RESEARCH (CIHR):

- **Catalyst Grant** : Impacts of financial and organizational restructuring of public health
  This call will provide 1-year grants of up to $200,000 to support projects that further our understanding of the impacts of changes to the financing, governance and delivery of public health services and responsibilities in Canada.
  - **Registration Deadline**: December 3, 2019
  - **Application Deadline**: January 7, 2020
  - **ORS Application Deadline**: December 19, 2019 at 4:30 p.m.
  - **ORS Contact**: Jackie Cooney-Birch, Research Grants Officer (CIHR), Jackie.Cooney-Birch@umanitoba.ca

SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES RESEARCH COUNCIL OF CANADA (SSHRC):

- **Partnership Development Grants**
  Partnership Development Grants provide support to foster new research and/or related activities with new or existing partners; and to design and test new partnership approaches for research and/or related activities. These grants are valued at $75,000 to $200,000 over one to three years.
  - **SSHRC Deadline**: November 15, 2019, 8:00 pm (eastern)
  - **ORS Deadline**: November 4, 2019, 4:30 pm
  - **ORS Contact**: Barbara Hewitt, Research Grants Officer SSHRC and miscellaneous (non-health) grants, Networks of Centres of Excellence, Genome Canada
    Barbara.Hewitt@umanitoba.ca

HEALTH RESEARCH FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES:

- **amfAR HIV Cure Research – Magnet Grants**: Attracting new expertise to HIV cure research
  Available Assistance: $150,000 USD; Period of Performance: One year starting March 1, 2020.
  Data scientists, including modelers, systems biologists and network analysts from outside the field of HIV needed to address questions vital to finding a cure for HIV.
  - **Registration Deadline**: November 26, 2019, 3:00 PM Eastern Time
  - **Application Submission Deadline**: December 11, 2019, 3:00 PM Eastern Time
  - **ORS Application Deadline**: December 4, 2019 at 4:30pm (CST)
  - **ORS Contracts Coordinator**: Michelle Olivson (michelle.olivson@umanitoba.ca)

INTERNATIONAL FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES:

- **Canada-Brazil Awards – Joint Research Projects, 2020-2022**
  Global Affairs Canada and the Federal Agency for Support and Evaluation of Graduate Education (CAPES) of Brazil are offering scholarships to support team-oriented research projects, between Canadian and Brazilian universities, in mutually beneficial research fields.
  - **Target audiences**: Canadian and Brazilian professors and graduate students
  - **Duration**: 2 years
  - **Inclusions**: Visa, airfare, health insurance, living expenses, ground transportation expenses, books and supplies
Information regarding the Brazilian participants can be accessed on the CAPES website (Portuguese only). Inquiries regarding this program should be directed to: scholarships-bourses@cbie.ca.

The International Centre is available to assist with proposal development.

International Centre Deadline: November 12, 2019 – 4:30 pm
International Centre Contact: Cameron Zywina, International Partnership Officer, Cameron.Zywina@umanitoba.ca

Application Deadline at the Canadian Bureau for International Education (CBIE): November 26, 2019
ORS Deadline: November 19, 2019 – 4:30 pm
ORS Contact: Michelle Olivson, Contracts Coordinator, Michelle.Olivson@umanitoba.ca

MITACS:

- The Mitacs Accelerate industrial postdoc provides up to 3 years of funding valued at $55,000/year for research with a company or not-for-profit, as well as access to professional skills training courses. Questions or more information - accelerate@mitacs.ca. This limited-time offering closes on December 6, 2019. Contact: Dr. Darren Fast, Technology Transfer Office, Darren.Fast@umanitoba.ca

- Mitacs Elevate provides two years of postdoc funding valued at $60,000/year plus extensive customized professional development training ($7,500/year non-cash value). Questions or more information - elevate@mitacs.ca. Intent to apply and conflict of interest declaration deadline: January 8, 2020 Final application deadline: February 19, 2020 Contact: Dr. Darren Fast, Technology Transfer Office, Darren.Fast@umanitoba.ca

WORKSHOPS/EVENTS/MEETINGS:

- The new CIHR Application Administration Guide (replacing the Grants and Awards Guide) will be launched on November 15th. CIHR will be hosting webinars to provide an overview of the new guide, as follows:

  English Sessions
  Duration: 60 minutes
  When: Friday, November 15, 2019 at 11:00 CST
  When: Thursday, November 21, 2019 at 11:00 CST

  French Sessions
  Duration: 60 minutes
  When: Monday, November 18, 2019 at 11:00 CST
  When: Friday, November 22, 2019 at 11:00 CST

  - Core 1 – Research Integrity Online Course – Self Register through UMLearn This session can be completed at any time by registering through UMLearn https://universityofmanitoba.desire2learn.com/d2l/login
  - Core 3 – Understanding Legal Terms of Research Contracts and Ensuring Compliance November 22, 2019, 1:00 – 3:00 pm, 100 Administration, Fort Garry Campus
with videoconference connection to A474 Chown, Bannatyne Campus

- **Core 4 – Converting Research into Innovation – Intellectual Property and Partnering with Industry**
  January 17, 2020, 1:00 – 3:00 pm, 100 Administration, Fort Garry Campus
  with videoconference connection to A474 Chown, Bannatyne Campus

**Optional Sessions**

- **Option 1 – The International Centre: Comprehensive Support & Services for International Activities**
  February 7, 2020, 1:00 – 3:00 pm, 100 Administration, Fort Garry Campus
  with videoconference connection to A474 Chown, Bannatyne Campus

- **Option 2 – Understanding Research Ethics and Privacy Legislation**
  February 28, 2020, 1:00 – 3:00 pm, A474 Chown, Bannatyne Campus
  March 13, 2020, 1:00 – 3:00 pm, 100 Administration, Fort Garry Campus

- **Option 3 – Navigating Clinical Trial and Data Sharing Agreements with Affiliate Health Institutions**
  April 3, 2020, 1:00 – 3:00 pm, A474 Chown, Bannatyne Campus

**SSHRC** will be holding a series of webinars for applicants and research administrators on upcoming Partnership and Connection grants’ funding opportunities.

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**Researchers must follow their unit’s new electronic grant submission process.**

All proposals applied for must be accompanied by a [Funding Application Approval Form (FAAF)](https://sshrcvideo.webex.com/sshrcvideo/onstage/g.php?MTID=ed17c56aa5510bb9eabb78164883da837) and must follow the deadlines (unless otherwise posted).

As a reminder, below are the ORS deadlines for submitting research proposals and FAAFs.

For large, complex grant applications (e.g., Tri-agency major programs, NIH, US Department of Defense and those that require matching funds and/or additional institutional support, etc.)
- 10 working days in advance of agency deadline

For other regular and/or ‘rolling’ and one-time grants:
- 5 working days in advance of agency deadline

Also as a reminder, researchers should work with the University’s Research Facilitators early in the proposal development stage, for assistance in strategic research planning and proposal review.

For more information on ORS procedures and who to contact, please visit the ORS Website at [http://www.umanitoba.ca/research/ors](http://www.umanitoba.ca/research/ors)