New Funding Opportunities - Weekly Update
(November 22, 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):

- **Team Grant : CIHR-JDRF - Accelerating Stem Cell-Based Therapies for Type 1 Diabetes**
  This call will provide grants of $600,000 per year for 5 years to support teams in developing, and translating to the clinical trial stage, a strategy for delivery and protection of a stem cell-based therapy for T1D.
  - **Registration Deadline:** January 29, 2020
  - **Application Deadline:** March 4, 2020
  - **ORS Application Deadline:** February 26, 2020 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)

- **Insight Development Grants**
  Insight Grants are valued at $7,000 to $75,000 over 1 to 2 years. For the current competition, at least 50 per cent of funds will be reserved for applications from emerging scholars.
  - Research Portal to application form can be found here.
  - **SSHRC Deadline:** February 3, 2020 – 8:00 p.m. (Eastern)
  - **ORS Deadline:** January 15, 2020 – 4:30 p.m.
  - **ORS Contact:** Barbara Hewitt, Research Grants Officer, SSHRC and miscellaneous (non-health) grants, Networks of Centres of Excellence, Genome Canada, Barbara.Hewitt@umanitoba.ca

**INTERNAL PANEL REVIEW – SEE INFORMATION BELOW**

HEALTH RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- **Health Sciences Centre Foundation – General Operating Research Grants**
  Funding to a maximum of $70,000 over two (2) years available. Click here for the guidelines.
  - **Letter of Intent Deadline:** December 16, 2019
  - **Application Deadline:** February 3, 2020
  - **ORS Deadline:** January 27, 2020 – 4:30 p.m.
  - **ORS Contact:** Michelina Violi, Research Grant Officer (Health and interim CIHR), Michelina.Violi@umanitoba.ca

- **Allied Health Grants**
  Funding to a maximum of $35,000 for one (1) year available. Click here for the guidelines.
  - **Letter of Intent Deadline:** December 16, 2019
  - **Application Deadline:** February 3, 2020
  - **ORS Deadline:** January 27, 2020 – 4:30 p.m.
  - **ORS Contact:** Michelina Violi, Research Grant Officer (Health and interim CIHR), Michelina.Violi@umanitoba.ca
Brain Canada – 2019 Future Leaders in Canadian Brain Research
Funding available up to a maximum $100,000 for up to two (2) years. Applications must be submitted through a two-stage application process: LOI and full application. For more information including guidelines, click here.
LOI Deadline: December 10, 2019
Application Deadline (Upon Invitation): March 24, 2020
ORS Deadline: March 17, 2020, 4:30 pm
ORS Contact: Michelina Violi, Research Grant Officer (Health and International), Michelina.Violi@umanitoba.ca

Canadian Donation and Transplantation Research Program (CDTRP) – CDTRP Research Innovation Grant
Funding available up to $30,000/year for up to two (2) years. More information including guidelines and application forms can be found here. Information webinars will take place on December 11, 2019 at 2:00 pm CST and January 16, 2020 at 1:00 pm CST. Webinar link: https://cdtrp.zoom.us/j/560945514
Application Deadline: February 19, 2020
ORS Deadline: February 12, 2020, 4:30 pm
ORS Contact: Michelina Violi, Research Grant Officer (Health and International), Michelina.Violi@umanitoba.ca

INTERNATIONAL FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES:

National Multiple Sclerosis Society – Research Grants
Funding available in US funds for up to five (5) years. Click here for more information including guidelines. Pre-Applications are required. Applications must be submitted here.
Pre-Application Deadline: February 5, 2020
Application Deadline (upon invitation): February 12, 2020, 5:00 pm EST
ORS Deadline: February 5, 2020, 4:30 pm
ORS Contact: Michelina Violi, Research Grant Officer (Health and International), Michelina.Violi@umanitoba.ca

Pilot Research Grants
Funding available up to $50,000 US in direct costs for one (1) year. Click here for more information including guidelines and here for submission instructions. Pre-Applications are required. Applications must be submitted here.
Pre-Application Deadline: January 6, 2020
Application Deadline (upon invitation): January 8, 2020
ORS Deadline: December 16, 2019, 4:30 pm
ORS Contact: Michelina Violi, Research Grant Officer (Health and International), Michelina.Violi@umanitoba.ca

Therapeutic Development Opportunities for Symptom Management in Multiple Sclerosis
Funding available up to $400,000 US for up to two (2) years. Click here for more information. Pre-Applications are required. Applications must be submitted here.
Pre-Application Deadline: January 8, 2020
Application Deadline (upon invitation): January 15, 2020
ORS Deadline: January 8, 2020, 4:30 pm
ORS Contact: Michelina Violi, Research Grant Officer (Health and International), Michelina.Violi@umanitoba.ca
Cystic Fibrosis Foundation – Pilot and Feasibility Award
Funding available up to $50,000 US for up to two (2) years. Application guidelines can be found here. Applications must be submitted through proposalCENTRAL.

Application Deadline: December 5, 2019, 5:00 pm EST
ORS Deadline: November 28, 2019, 4:30 pm
ORS Contact: Michielina Violi, Research Grant Officer (Health and International), Michielina.Violi@umanitoba.ca

WORKSHOPS/EVENTS/MEETINGS:

Canadian Genomics Enterprise – the following are dates of the stakeholder engagement and strategy sessions. Stakeholders from each sectors from across the country are encouraged to participate and outcomes from the meetings will be compiled and shared back to the community. The information gathered will be used to inform the design and investment strategy for Genome Canada’s upcoming LSARP competition and ensure each sector’s priority areas are reflected at the federal level.

These strategy sessions are hybrid in design. Participation can be in-person, by telephone or via web.

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The University’s SSHRC research support team offers internal panel reviews for the major
SSHRC funding competitions. These reviews are designed to help strengthen proposals
and have been proven to give applicants an added advantage in a highly competitive
funding landscape.
The next panel will provide support for the upcoming Insight Development Grant
competition.

**Panel deadline:** January 2, 2020
**Feedback to researchers by:** January 9, 2020
**ORS deadline:** January 15, 2020 – 4:30 p.m.
**SSHRC deadline:** February 3, 2020 – 8:00 p.m. (Eastern)
Send application (a complete PDF preview generated from the online portal) to Dr. Elyssa
Warkentin, Research Facilitator (Arts) at Elyssa.warkentin@umanitoba.ca or Dr. Erik
Magnusson, Research Facilitator (Education and Social Work) at erik.magnusson@umanitoba.ca by 4:30 pm on the deadline date in order to be included.

**2019/20 Workshop Series on Best Practices in Research Management**

- **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](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

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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)](url)*
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