

Leukemia & Lymphoma Society's Career Development Program

Grantor: Leukemia & Lymphoma Society

Closes: 9/15/2010

Maximum: \$550,000.00

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The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society's (LLS's) Career Development Program (CDP) provides awards intended to meet the specific needs of investigators at different states in their research careers. The awards - Scholar, Scholar in Clinical Research, Special Fellow, Special Fellow in Clinical Research and Fellow - provide stipends to investigators, allowing them to devote themselves to research bearing on leukemia, lymphoma and myeloma.

The CDP supports fundamental research in genetics, molecular and cell biology, molecular pharmacology, molecular virology and immunology. The program also encompasses translational research directly relevant to the improved treatment or diagnosis of leukemia, lymphoma, myeloma and, where applicable, to prevention.

Effective Award Year 2011

Scholar

Scholars are highly qualified investigators who have shown a capacity for independent, sustained original investigation in the field of leukemia, lymphoma, and myeloma. These Scholars are expected to hold independent faculty-level or equivalent positions and have obtained substantial support for their research from a national agency. Scholar awards are for up to \$110,000 per year for five years. Annual renewals are based on a non-competitive progress report review.

Scholar in Clinical Research

Scholars in Clinical Research are highly qualified investigators who are expected to hold independent faculty-level appointments and who are conducting original, independent applied research, often involving early-stage clinical trials which will advance the prevention, diagnosis or treatment of hematologic malignancies. These Scholars are expected to have concomitant support for their research from another source or agency. Scholar in Clinical Research awards are for up to \$110,000 per year for five years. Annual renewals are based on a non-competitive progress report review.

Special Fellow

Special Fellows are qualified investigators who have completed a minimum of two years of postdoctoral research training and are continuing their research under the direction of a research Sponsor. The Special Fellowship should permit the scientist to begin to transition to an independent research program. Special Fellow awards are for up to \$65,000 per year for three years. Annual renewals are based on a non-competitive progress report review.

Special Fellow in Clinical Research (SFCR)

Special Fellows are researchers who hold a Ph.D., M.D. or equivalent degree and have completed a minimum of two years of clinical hematology, oncology, hematology/oncology or hematopathology training or postdoctoral research

training in a clinical discipline (e.g., cytogenetics, molecular pathology). These grantees should provide evidence that their career focus will be on the prevention, diagnosis, or treatment of leukemia, lymphoma, or myeloma. SFCR awards are for up to \$65,000 per year for three years. Annual renewals are based on a non-competitive progress report review.

Fellow

Fellows are promising investigators with less than two years of postdoctoral research training. These grantees are encouraged to embark on an academic career involving clinical or fundamental research in, or related to, leukemia, lymphoma or myeloma under the direction of a research sponsor. Fellow awards are for up to \$55,000 per year for three years. Annual renewals are based on a non-competitive progress report review.

Deadlines

A letter of intent is mandatory for those applying for a Career Development Program grant and must be completed online via proposalCentral by 3 p.m. ET, Sept. 15.

Full applications must be received electronically via proposalCentral by 3 p.m. ET, Oct. 1.

Our program is now open. Please apply via proposalCENTRAL.

For more program information, contact:

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Categories: Blood, Blood Disorders, Cancer, Cancer Control, Cancer Prevention, Career Development, Chronic Diseases, Disease-Specific Research, Hematology, Leukemia , Lymphatic Disease, Lymphoma , Multiple Myeloma

Audience: Hematologist, Junior Investigator, Junior Researcher, Junior Scientist, New Investigator, New Researcher, Oncologist, Physician Researcher, Postdoctoral Fellow, Young Investigator, Young Scientist