Heart and Stoke Foundation Canada - Grant in Aid 2017-2018

The Heart and Stroke Foundation Grant-in-Aid program provides operating funds to support important, pertinent, novel research in the areas of heart disease and stroke. This funding promotes and supports research discovery, exploration and innovation across the four health research themes: Basic biomedical, clinical, health services/systems and social, cultural, environmental and population health. **Internal deadline: August 25, 2016.**

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NSERC Discovery Grants 2017

The Discovery Grants Program supports on-going programs of research (with long-term goals) rather than short-term goals or a collection of unrelated projects. These grants recognize the creativity and innovation that are at the heart of all research advances. Researchers are free to work in the mode most appropriate for the research area. **Updated Notice of Intent deadline to sponsor directly: August 3, 2016.**

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Ontario Centre for Workforce call for proposals

The objective of the Ontario Centre for Workforce Innovation (OCWI) Research and Innovation Fund is to support research, evaluation and innovation projects to improve opportunities for Ontarians to obtain, retain, or advance in terms of employment, become more productive participants in the labour force and improve well-being. This is the first in a series of call for proposals to be issued by the OCWI over the next year. This particular phase focuses on research on a particular issue or evaluation of a program/service delivery approach in Ontario which has the potential for impact. **Internal deadline: August 8, 2016.**

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CIHR planning and dissemination grants

Planning and dissemination grants provide support for planning and/or dissemination activities consistent with the mandate of CIHR and relevant to CIHR institutes, or initiatives. **Internal Deadline: August 9, 2016.**

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IDRC global call innovations in livestock vaccines

This call aims to support the use of the latest cutting-edge innovations to accelerate the development of new vaccines against livestock diseases. IDRC is seeking proposals that are adopting highly innovative biotechnologies to generate rapid vaccine development and testing platforms. Innovations proposed for the research will significantly accelerate the research and development of vaccines for livestock smallholders. **Internal deadline: August 29, 2016.**

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Kidney Foundation of Canada 2017 biomedical research grant

Biomedical research grants provide financial support to medical researchers to assist in defraying the operating costs of research including the purchase of materials, supplies and equipment and the payment of laboratory assistants. **Registration required – deadline: September 1, 2016.**

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Gartshore memorial sheep research fund

The Gartshore Memorial Sheep Research Fund supports research in sheep health, care and diseases or related fields of study. Selection criteria include the importance of the project to the Ontario sheep industry, the quality of the proposal and the research record or potential of the faculty member. **Internal deadline September 19, 2016.**

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Research support from the library

*Research synthesis reviews*

The library provides support for research synthesis reviews including systematic, scoping, rapid, and literature. Meeting with staff at the library can help researchers formulate a research question, select appropriate/relevant databases, develop a search strategy and manage citations. They can also provide tips and best practices for conducting the search. Meeting prior to starting your review ensures that your search is reproducible, adheres to standards and best practices, and is as efficient and effective as possible. To set up a one-on-one consultation, contact: lib.research@uoguelph.ca

Notices

**CIHR Project Grant and Foundation Grant deadlines update**

On July 5, CIHR announced its intention to maintain the original application deadline dates for the Project Grant and Foundation Grant competitions. In order to give the Peer Review Working Group adequate time to meet, however, and given the changes to the peer review process outlined in the Outcomes Statement these dates will be changed and CIHR will share additional details concerning the revised launch dates and deadlines as soon as possible. It is confirmed, however, that registration will not open before September 1, 2016 for either competition. Read more.

**Post migration for Office 365**

Migration from Zimbra to Office 365 is now complete. CCS recognizes this is a big transition, and is available to provide as much training and support as possible both online and in person with a post-migration checklist and Information Kiosks on campus. You can also register for hands-on training sessions, and find online support on the Office 365 website. Find out what you need to know at uoguelph.ca/office365.

**Research Matters Instagram "Takeover Tuesday"**

Research Matters has launched an Instagram campaign called “Takeover Tuesdays” giving Ontario researchers an opportunity to show Ontarians what they’re working on. Undergraduate, graduate, postdoc and faculty researchers from all fields can share five photos that show a day in the life of a researcher. The photos could include your workspace, your lunch, an artifact, an experiment, your work-outfit, a selfie with colleagues, the U of G campus, or anything else you think will showcase your research day. To get your takeover underway, email yourontarioresearch@cou.on.ca.
Workshops and information sessions

71st International Conference on Diseases in Nature Communicable to Man
The annual International Conference on Diseases in Nature Communicable to Man (INCDNCM) seeks to increase knowledge and awareness of zoonotic disease within the medical and public health communities. INCDNCM conferences are multidisciplinary, including presentations on viral, rickettsial, bacterial, parasitic, and prion-related diseases acquired from natural sources, including animals (wild or domestic), contaminated water or food supplies, arthropod vectors and other sources. This conference will be hosted at the University of Guelph from August 7 – 9, 2016. Read more.

Ethics discussion and information
Ethics clearance is required before any research is conducted involving human participants. Applications to involve humans in research are reviewed by the Research Ethics Board. The Director of Research Ethics offers weekly brown bag lunches and monthly information sessions to help guide faculty and students through the process. The next monthly session is Wednesday, August 10, 2016 at 1:30 p.m. in UC 008.

NSERC hosting webinars on how to complete an RTI application
In preparation for the submission of Research Tools and Instruments (RTI) applications, NSERC will host webinars to assist the research community on "How to complete an application" using the Research Portal and the NSERC Common CV (CCV) for potential RTI applicants and co-applicants. The next webinar takes place Wednesday, September 14, 2016 at 1 p.m. Read more.

Reminders
These granting council newsletters are now available:
NSERC Contact
CIHR funding news
SSHRC Dialogue
CFI Innovation Now

Check the Office of Research website, the Office of Research Facebook page and the Office of Research Twitter feed (@UofGResearch) for other current funding opportunities, updates and important deadlines in between editions of the INSIDER.

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