**NEW PROGRAM ANNOUNCEMENT**

**Rapid Response: Canada 2019**

**Alzheimer’s & Related Diseases**

**SEED FUNDING** for novel, high-risk, high-reward translational research on neurodegenerative diseases of aging

Up to $200,000 over up to 18 months

**NEW FOR 2018/2019**

- Accepting applications on diet, physical activity, sleep & nutritional supplements.
- Encouraging applications with significant expertise or approaches from adjacent fields such as computer science and engineering.

**INSTITUTE DEFINITION OF NEURODEGENERATIVE DISEASES OF AGING**

- Alzheimer’s disease
- Frontotemporal dementia
- Parkinson’s disease
- Dementia with Lewy bodies
- Progressive supranuclear palsy
- Multiple system atrophy
- Vascular contributions to the above diseases
- Prodromes to the above diseases

**AD-RELATED diseases:**

- Alzheimer’s disease
- Frontotemporal dementia
- Mild cognitive impairment

**PROJECT must be:**

- Development of a therapeutic and/or tool
- Translational research that helps accelerate the development of therapeutics for neurodegenerative diseases of aging

- Vascular contributions to the listed
- Prodromes to the above diseases

**IMPORTANT DATES**

- **Information Webinar:** October 16, 2018 at 1pm EDT
- **Application Deadline:** December 3, 2018 at 2pm EST
- **Award Announcement:** May 2019

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA**

**APPLICANT must be:**

- At or above the level of postdoctoral researcher
- At a CRA qualified donee institution located in Canada

**FOR MORE INFORMATION**

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