

## Research Module

**Award/Professorship Applying For:** \_\_\_\_\_

### Principal Applicant / Candidate

Surname \_\_\_\_\_ Given Names \_\_\_\_\_

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Degrees/Appointment

Degrees Held    PhD            MD            MD/PhD            Other(specify) \_\_\_\_\_

As of this competition deadline, for how long have you held an appointment as an independent investigator:

Less than 24 months                      24 months, but less than 60 months  
60 months but less than 7 years            7 years or more

Project Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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Primary location where research will be conducted: \_\_\_\_\_

Department \_\_\_\_\_ Faculty \_\_\_\_\_

Is this a multi-centre study    Yes            No

### Certification Requirements

If this research will involve any of the following, check the box(es). If funding is awarded, the necessary certification requirements must be met in accordance with policies on ethical conduct of research.

Human Subjects    Human Stem Cells    Animals    Biohazards    Environmental Assessment

A requirement for containment    Level    1    2    3    4

Does this application include a Randomized, Controlled Trial?    Yes    No

### Signatures

Signature of Applicant

Print Name:

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Department Head

Print Name:

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Dean of Faculty

Print Name:

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Lay Title of Research:**

**Abstract** (suitable for preparation of a press release)

**Descriptors:**

Provide keywords to describe research project, the techniques and the methodologies to be employed, and the diseases or conditions the research addresses. No additional pages may be added.

**List Collaborators**

Surname

Given Name

Department/Faculty

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**Grant Funding Held by Applicant in the last 7 years** (please list with most recent first)

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**List the Names of Individuals Providing Letters**

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Salary Award Application Package should include:

1. Up-to-date CV
2. Research Module (pages 1-3) along with the following :
  - a. Summary of Research Proposal – One page. Summarize the objective(s), hypothesis and research plan. Provide a clear concise description of their research proposal.
  - b. Summary of Progress – One page. Do not include references, tables, charts, figures or photographs. Describe research undertaken as a trainee, and if applicable, as an independent investigator.
  - c. Research Proposal – The research proposal should be clear and concise and not more than 10 pages in length (page limit does not include tables, charts, figures and photographs). Legends should be succinct. Detailed descriptions of methods and discussion of results should be included in the body of the proposal. They should not be in the legends nor included as an Appendix.

In the research proposal applicants must explain:

1. What they want to do (central hypothesis, research question, specific objectives)
  2. Why this work is a reasonable thing to do (review of previous work done on the subject matter, rationale)
  3. Why this is important (new knowledge to be obtained, improvements to health which will result)
  4. How they are going to do it (work plan, timelines, analysis and interpretation of results, pitfalls, ways around the pitfalls, alternatives)
  5. Why they should do it (relevant prior experience and skills, collaborators or technical gaps, preliminary data showing feasibility).
- d. Attach a clear, concise description of how the project described in the Research Proposal section of the application fits within the applicant's planned program of research for the next five (5) years.
3. Attachments
    - a. Letters of collaboration and support
      - i) Letters of collaboration, along with a signed statement from each collaborator confirming his or her willingness to participate in the manner indicated.
      - ii) Three sponsor's letters (in an envelope, sealed at the source and included with this application)
      - iii) Letter from Dean of the Faculty or the Associate Dean (Academic)
    - b. Other responsibilities of the candidate (attach one page completed and signed by the applicant's Department Head):
      - i) Teaching
      - ii) Clinical work
      - iii) Administrative duties
      - iv) Corporate involvement (involvement on boards or advisory committees)