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Funding Opportunities and Awards

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Deadline: as early as November 2016 (but mainly from Jan 1-March 31st)

Most deadlines for summer research funding occur between January-March, but a few targeted opportunities may have earlier deadlines. You don't need to panic yet, but if you are hoping to participate in a research project this summer start thinking about funding sooner rather than later. If you wait until spring to start looking you may be too late. We will post upcoming funding opportunities in the SRN e-bulletin but for additional information or tips for finding your own funding opportunities visit the student research website (hyperlinked above).

Funding Reminders

[Mitacs Globalink Research Award](#) – Nov 9, 2016

[CHS Summer Studentships in Inherited Bleeding Disorders Research](#) – Nov 15, 2016

For additional funding opportunities visit: <http://med.ubc.ca/current-learners/research/funding/>.

Upcoming Events

Research in Otolaryngology Info Night (Sept 26th - 5:30pm MSAC)

Date: Sept 26, 2016; 5:30 pm

Location: Medical student Alumni Centre (2750 Heather St, Vancouver)

The UBC Division of Otolaryngology - Head & Neck Surgery would like to invite all interested **medical students** to attend to meet some ENT staff and resident physicians, and see examples of research project being performed here at UBC for diseases of the ears, nose and throat. If you are considering a career in otolaryngology, are interested in getting involved with research, or would simply like to learn more, we would love to see you there.

Please RSVP to Dr. Cathie Garnis cgarnis@bccrc.ca and Dr. Amin Javer sinusdoc@me.com.

[Don Rix Distinguished Keynote Address – The Genomic Revolution and its Impact on Human Kind](#)

Date: Oct 25, 2016; 4:00 – 7:00 pm

Location: Vancouver Convention Centre (1055 Canada Place, Vancouver)

GenomeBC will be hosting this free event featuring Richard Resnick who will take the audience on a whirlwind journey through homo sapiens' deepening understanding of the genome and its dizzying applications in medicine,

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agriculture and society. A leader in genomics and its application and commercialization, Resnick is the CEO of GQ Life Sciences, a maker of genomic software to support genomic medicine. After the talk, there will be a Q&A session with the audience followed by light refreshments. Seating is limited and early registration is recommended. Please visit the event website (hyperlinked above) to register and for more information.

[Centre for Blood Research - Annual Earl W. Davie Symposium](#)

Date: Nov 17, 2016; 8:00 am-6:00 pm

Location: Segal Building (500 Granville Street, Vancouver)

The CBR is excited to present its 10th Annual Earl W. Davie Symposium. This full day symposium features presentations by local experts in vascular biology, hemostasis-thrombosis, cardiovascular and neurologic disease. The two keynote speakers will be **Dr. John W. Weisel**, Professor of Cell and Developmental Biology, Perelman School of Medicine, and **Dr. Nigel Key**, Professor of Medicine and Pathology, Chief of the Section of Classical Hematology, and the Director of the UNC Hemophilia and Thrombosis Center.

There will be lots of time for questions and discussion and a poster session during the day, with awards at the end. Plus, a raffle draw for six separate prizes will take place at the symposium for all attendees. Early registration is only \$29 for students until October 7th. For registration details and the full program please visit the website.

Event Reminders

[SBN Building Biotech 2016: Challenges of New Entrepreneurs in Biotechnology](#) – Sept 28, 2016

CONFERENCE: [Western Student & Resident Medical Research Forum](#) – ABSTRACTS: Sept 30, 2016; EVENT: Jan 26-28, 2017

[Gairdner Symposium – The untold story of the National Microbiology Laboratory](#) – Oct 24, 2016; 4:00-6:00 pm

[Dementia: New Paths to Understanding](#) (2016 Marion Woodward Lecture) – Oct 27, 2016; 7:00-8:00 pm

CONFERENCE: [Public Health Association of BC](#) Dec 11-12, 2016

[Clinical Research Ethics Board Office Drop-In Sessions](#) – Every 2nd & 4th Monday of the month

For additional event listing visit: <http://med.ubc.ca/current-learners/research/events/>.

Follow this [link](#) for a list of **ongoing events and seminar series** that may be of interest to MD students.

Additional Research and Scholarship Opportunities & Resources

[Call for Abstracts: FLEX Activity Day and Students in Health Annual Research Conference](#)

Abstract Deadline extended to Oct 3, 2016

Event Oct 17, 2016; 1:00-6:00pm; UBC Life Sciences Centre

Do you have exciting research findings you want to share? If so, please join us for the UBC Students in Health Annual Research Conference and FLEX Activity Day. This year will be a spectacular showcase of original FLEX projects, scholarly works, and biomedical research projects undertaken by UBC medical undergraduate students. **This event will showcase all forms of scholarly work and is not limited to research projects.** Activities will include lightning talks, poster presentations, and FLEX networking.

CONTACT: research.forum@ubc.ca | www.med.ubc.ca/SHARC | www.facebook.com/UBCSHARC

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All UBC **MD undergraduate students or non-MD 2016 FoM SSRP participants** are encouraged to submit an abstract for either a poster presentation, a lightning talk, or both. Those interested have the choice to enter the competition category, where participants can win a distinguished top presentation award! Videoconference connections have been established across the province to facilitate participation at the sites.

Detailed abstract submission instructions are available on the [website](#).

Volunteer Registration

If you would like to help out as an event day volunteer for SHARC, please fill out the Google form below. Food will be provided, and there are 3 shifts to choose from to fit your schedule. <https://goo.gl/forms/OkKHvJqR6lxR4gEd2>

Getting assistance with your poster/presentation

Linda Herbert, FoM Student Research Coordinator will be holding two lunch hour drop-in sessions where you can get feedback on your posters and presentations: Friday Sept 30th and Thursday Oct 6th at the LSC. Please RSVP to research.forum@ubc.ca and indicate which date you wish to attend. If you are unable to make the drop-in sessions please email us and we can make other arrangements to provide you with mentorship.

University of Toronto Medical Journal – Call for Submissions

Deadline Oct 1, 2016

The University of Toronto Medical Journal (UTMJ), Canada's oldest student-run scientific publication, is looking for submissions for our upcoming issue on Paediatric Health. We publish several themed issues yearly and serve as a place for students, residents and faculty to publish their primary work, reviews and commentaries. A description of the theme, details for submission and relevant deadlines can be found on our website.

The deadline for submission is **October 1, 2016** for our print issue. However, we do accept articles on a rolling-basis beyond this deadline and submissions are not restricted to theme-related topics in order to be published.

Canadian Journal of Undergraduate Research – Call for submissions

Deadline: Oct 15, 2016

Are you looking to publish your summer research project? The Canadian Journal of Undergraduate Research (CJUR) is currently accepting submissions for our next issue. CJUR is a student-led publication based out of UBC. We aim to provide an accessible platform for undergraduate students to gain experience publishing academic articles of various formats (primary research, reviews, commentaries etc.). Please visit our website for full submission instructions or connect with us on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/cjuresearch/>.

Reminders

[UBC Medical Journal call for submissions](#) – Oct 14, 2016

[Canadian Journal of Undergraduate Research – seeking reviewers](#)

Additional research and scholarship information and resources are available on the Student Research website:

<http://med.ubc.ca/current-learners/research/>.
