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[Brain Tumour Foundation of Canada Research Studentships](#)

Deadline: January 25, 2013; Note that applications must be mailed

Brain Tumour Foundation of Canada is pleased to announce the launch of a new research studentship program that is open to both **second-year undergraduate science students** pursuing an Honours Bachelor of Science degree and to **first-year medical students** interested in becoming more familiar with the Brain Tumour Research Field and its research methods. Applications are considered for brain tumour research that is Basic, Clinical or Translational in nature. All research focuses will be given serious consideration, including projects that focus on pediatric brain tumours. For application instructions and eligibility information please visit the website ([hyperlinked above](#)).

[SCN Undergraduate Research Training Award](#)

Deadline: March 1, 2013

The intent of this award is to provide **undergraduate students** (non-MD) and co-op students the opportunity to obtain significant hands-on experience in stem cell research through work placements in the laboratories of Stem Cell Network (SCN) Researchers. The SCN Undergraduate Research

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Training/Co-op awards provides \$10,000 in salary support for an undergraduate/ co-op student to work on a stem cell-focused research project in the lab of a SCN PI over two four-month work terms (which may be contiguous). In addition, the SCN Undergraduate Research Training/Co-op awards also covers the travel and accommodation costs for the student to present their research at a subsequent Till & McCulloch Meeting (TMM) that overlaps or immediately follows the term of this award. Applicants must be working towards their undergraduate degree at a Canadian university enrolled in either an undergraduate or co-operative education program for the entire duration of their first work term. Awardees cannot be enrolled in a graduate program at any point while holding this award. Candidates' proposed supervisors for the work term placement must be SCN Principal Investigators (PIs) – a list of current SCN PIs is available on the website (hyperlinked above) Note: An SCN PI can host an undergraduate/co-op student from a different institution other than his/her own.

Funding Reminders

[CHEC-CESC Virtual Patient Challenge 2012](#) – Letter of Intent Dec 5, 2012; Application Jan 9, 2013

[Kloshe Tillicum CIHR-IAPH Aboriginal Health Research Awards](#) – Jan 2, 2013

[Parkinson's Disease Foundation Summer Student Fellowship](#) – Jan 28, 2013

[Canadian Association of Gastroenterology Summer Studentships](#) – Jan 31, 2013

[AANS Medical Student Summer Research Fellowship](#) – Feb 1, 2013

[AMS Hannah Studentship](#) – Feb 1, 2013

[Vanderbilt International Scholar Program](#) – Feb 1, 2013

[American Physiological Society \(APS\) Undergraduate Summer Research Fellowships](#) – Feb 2, 2013

[American Physiological Society Undergraduate Research Excellence Fellowships](#) – Feb 2, 2013

[Canadian Blood Services \(CBS\) Summer Internship Program](#) – Feb 15, 2013

[William B. Bean Student Research Award](#) – March 1, 2013

[BC Clinical Genomics Travel Awards](#) – ongoing

For additional funding opportunities visit: http://med.ubc.ca/research/md_undergrad/

Upcoming Events

[U Vic Café Scientifique: Carbs: not just something you eat](#)

Date: December 11, 2012; 6:30 pm

Location: Herman's Jazz Club (753 View St., Victoria)

Sometimes science at a university happens in a way that is isolated from the general public. Café Scientifique is an informal seminar series hosted by the U. Victoria Faculty of Science that provides insight into health-related issues and general science topics of popular interest to the general public.

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These seminars are opportunities for the public to meet local researchers and discuss some of the most interesting and sometimes contentious research currently underway in Canada.

Speaker: Dr. Alisdair Boraston, University of Victoria Dept. of Biochemistry and Microbiology.

Event Reminders

CONFERENCE: [PHC Interprofessional Research, Education, & Practice](#) – December 3, 2012; 8 am – 4 pm

CONFERENCE: [E-Mental Health](#) – December 10-11, 2012

[UBC Animal Care Committee – Drop-in sessions](#)

Date: December 14, 2012; 9:00-11:00 am

CONFERENCE: [Western Society for Pediatric Research \(WSPR\)](#) – January 24-26, 2013.

CONFERENCE: [BC Patient Safety & Quality Council](#) – February 28-March 1, 2012

CONFERENCE: [Canadian Conference on Medical Education](#) – April 20-23, 2012

For additional event listing visit: http://med.ubc.ca/research/md_undergrad/events/

Ongoing Seminar Series

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

[MD/PhD Building Bridges Seminar Series](#)

Additional Research and Scholarship Opportunities & Resources

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[This changed my practice \(online resource\)](#)

[Statistical Consulting](#) (see Nov 2, 2012 edition)

Learning Opportunity: Interprofessional Journal Club – November 26, 2012 (See October 19th edition)

Resources at UBC Library: [Simply Map](#)

[Call for Submissions – In Training \(Medical Student Online Newspaper\)](#)

Research Project seeking assistance – Drs. Goldman and Sherlock (see Sept 21st edition for details)

New Medical Resources at UBC Library: [AnatomyTV](#), [Anatomy and Physiology Online](#), [SMART Imagebase](#), [Dynamed](#): (see Sept. 7th edition for details)

Remember additional research and scholarship information and resources are available on the FoM Research Office Website: http://med.ubc.ca/research/md_undergrad/
