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Funding Opportunities and Awards

Summer Student Research Scholarships in Psoriatic Diseases

Deadline: Feb 23, 2018

The Canadian Association of Psoriasis Patients (CAPP) is offering funding for **medical students** to encourage the research of psoriatic diseases with established investigators in an environment that encourages strong mentorship. A stipend of \$5,000 will be awarded for four months of research during the summer. Students may also submit a 3-minute video describing their research for an opportunity to win a \$2,000 travel award to present their research at an international conference. For more information, visit the website above

Canadian Society for the History of Medicine Hannah Summer Studentship

Deadline: Feb 23, 2018

The Canadian Society for the History of Medicine offers the Hannah Summer Studentship for a project related to the history of medicine. This award is open **to MD and non-MD undergraduate students** registered at a Canadian university. Students must identify a supervisor in their application. A stipend up to \$5,500 will be awarded for a period of three consecutive months during the summer between May to August. Visit the website for information on application guidelines.

BC Children's Hospital Research Institute Summer Student Research Program

Deadline: Mar 1, 2018

The BC Children's Hospital Research Institute (BCCHR) Summer Student Research Program encourages **MD** and non-**MD** undergraduate students to conduct research in improving the health of children and families. **Note that** students not returning to undergraduate or medical studies in the following fall semester are not eligible.

Successful applicants will receive a stipend of \$4,725 for a 12-week research project conducted between May and August. Applicants who receive a Summer Studentship are also automatically enrolled in the <u>Summer Student</u> <u>Research Education Program</u> in June and July, in which participation is expected. Please visit the website for more information. Note that the online application form is best viewed using Internet Explorer.

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Cystic Fibrosis Canada Summer Studentships

Deadline: Mar 1, 2018

Cystic Fibrosis Canada's Summer Studentship awards provide funding to support **undergraduate students** engaged in summer research projects in areas relevant to cystic fibrosis. The award supports projects for the three-month period from June to August. Applicants must identify a supervisor who will then submit the application on behalf of the student. **Please note the application must be submitted through proposalCENTRAL.**

American Osler Society William B. Bean Student Research Award

Deadline: Mar 1, 2018

The William B. Bean Student Research Award supports research in medical history and/or medical humanities for **medical students** registered at an accredited US or Canadian school of medicine. Students must identify a supervisor in their application. A stipend of \$1,500 will be offered to the student, with an additional up to \$750 to support travel to the annual meeting to present their research. Visit the website for more information on application guidelines.

Funding Reminders

Canadian Foundation for Infectious Diseases AMMI Canada Medical Student Research Award - Jan 29, 2018

Canadian Foundation for Infectious Diseases Undergraduate Summer Research Award - Jan 29, 2018

3M National Student Fellowship - Jan 31, 2018

CurePSP Urso Summer Student Fellowship - Jan 31, 2018

Canadian Association of Gastroenterology Summer Studentship Award - Jan 31, 2018

Dr. J.A. Campbell Young Investigator Award - Jan 31, 2018

Neurosurgery Research and Education Foundation Medical Student Summer Research Fellowship - Feb 1, 2018

Society of Interventional Radiology Dr. and Mrs. W.C. Culp Student Research Grant - Feb 1, 2018 at 5pm EST

Radiological Society of North America (RSNA) Medical Student Grant - Feb 1, 2018

Society for Vascular Surgery (SVS) Student Research Fellowship - Feb 1, 2018

Gerstner Sloan-Kettering Summer Undergraduate Research Program - Feb 1, 2018

American Physiological Society (APS) Undergraduate Summer Research Fellowships - Feb 1, 2018

American Physiological Society (APS) Undergraduate Summer Research Excellence Fellowships - Feb 1, 2018

The Eye Foundation of Canada Summer Scholarship - Feb 2, 2018

UBC FoM Summer Student Research Program – Feb 15, 2018

UBC Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences Summer Student Research Program - Feb 15, 2018

CSNS/CNS Medical Student Summer Fellowship in Socioeconomic Research - Feb 15, 2018 11pm CST

Society of Hospital Medicine: Student Hospitalist Scholar Grant - Feb 15, 2018

Canadian Frailty Network Summer Studentship - Intent: Jan 29. 2018 at 12pm ET; Application: Feb 12, 2018 12pm ET

American Society of Hematology (ASH) Hematology Opportunities for the Next Generation of Research Scientists - Feb 1, 2018

HIV Medicine Association Student Program - Feb 15, 2018

American Society for Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics Summer Undergraduate Research Fellow – Mar 1, 2018

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

Upcoming Events

The Great Hatch 2018

Date: Application - Jan 22-Feb 10, 2018; Event - Mar 2-4, 2018

Location: (Event) UBC Engineering Design Centre

The Great Hatch medical innovation event is a 24hr hackathon which focuses on the collaboration of medical professionals, health-care workers, designers, engineers, and other related fields towards solutions related to the health and medical field. During the hatching weekend, participants will engage in networking, mentorship, brainstorming, problem-solving, prototyping, and have the chance to make an impact in the healthcare field. This is

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an opportunity to get to meet like-minded people, make connections, and build lasting projects with the potential to be carried forward post-hatch. If you enjoy a good challenge, love putting your skills to the test, or have a problem you would like to work towards solving please do apply!

Can Immune Cells Really Cure Cancer

Date: Jan 31, 2018 7:00-8:00pm

Location: Room L, UBC Life Sciences Centre

A public lecture by Dr. Denis Claude Roy, a professor from University of Montreal. Dr. Roy's research interests focus on cellular and immunological approaches to fight such blood cancers as leukemia and lymphoma, including the treatment of stem cell grafts to eliminate risks of graft rejection and optimize their anti-cancer activity. He has chaired 15 Phase I-II clinical trials at the national and international level, and significantly contributed to the development of all ATIR™ blood cancer products, Reviroc™ and Rhitol™. Registration required on Eventbrite.

Biotech Expo 2018

Date: Feb 22, 2018 5:30-9:00pm

Location: Jack Poole Hall, Robert H. Lee Alumni Centre

Meet professionals from the top companies in the biotech industry, ask questions about the careers that interest you, and start building connections to help you land a job! This year's expo will feature exhibitions from STEMCELL Technologies, KPMG, CDRD, Precision NanoSystems, and AbCellera.

The keynote speaker is Dr. Jennifer Gardy, who will share her personal career journey and tips for success. Dr. Gardy is a Senior Scientist at the BC Centre for Disease Control, an Assistant Professor at UBC's School of Population and Public Health, and a Canada Research Chair in Public Health Genomics.

Following the keynote speaker, there will be **3** breakout sessions hosted by leaders within the biotech industry. The speakers include: 1) Jennifer Kaufman-Shaw, Vice President, Intellectual Property and Legal Affairs at ZymeWorks, 2) Helen Burt, Associate Vice President, Research and Innovation at UBC, 3) Nicole Quinn, Manager, Scientific Communications and Publishing at STEMCELL Technologies.

Event Reminders

<u>Inaugural Psychiatry Summer Immersion Program</u> – Jun 4-6 (Applications start Jan 15, 2018) <u>Clinical Research Ethics Board Office Drop-In Sessions</u> – Every 2nd & 4th Monday of the month For additional event listing visit: http://www.med.ubc.ca/current-learners/research/stay-connected/.

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If you are looking to apply for FoM SSRP, but not currently working on a project, check out all the interesting projects posted on FoM SSRP's website! There are a wide range of projects at various locations and it's also a great way to get in touch with some supervisors if you are looking to get into research.

Reminders

<u>Call for Submissions: University of Toronto Medical Journal Brain Health Issue</u> – Jan 30, 2018 Call for Submissions: UBC Medical Journal – Mar 10, 2018

Additional research and scholarship information and resources are available on the Student Research website: http://med.ubc.ca/current-learners/research/.