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[Neurosurgery Research and Education Foundation Medical Student Summer Research Fellowship](#)

Deadline: Feb 1, 2019

The Neurosurgery Research and Education Foundation's Medical Student Summer Research Fellowship (MSSRF) provides fellowships of \$2,500 to **medical students** in the US or Canada. Students must have completed at least one year of medical school and find a supervisor who is a member of the American Association of Neurological Surgeons (AANS). Visit the website for additional details. **Note that you need to create a MyAANS account in order to apply.**

[Society of Interventional Radiology Dr. and Mrs. W.C. Culp Student Research Grant](#)

Deadline: Feb 1, 2019

The Dr. and Mrs. W.C. Culp Student Research Grant for **MD and non-MD undergraduate students** is intended to foster an interest in research and provide up to \$4000 for students conducting a summer research project in interventional radiology and patient care. Students must be citizens or permanent residents of Canada or the US and must identify a supervisor who will mentor them for the duration of their project. Awardees must submit a final written report upon project completion. For more details, visit the website (hyperlinked above).

[Radiological Society of North America \(RSNA\) Medical Student Grant](#)

Deadline: Feb 1, 2019

The Radiological Society of North America (RSNA) is offering a Research Medical Student Grant for **medical students** interested in radiologic sciences to gain research experience in medical imaging. Applicants are expected to undertake a full-time research project of at least 10 weeks under the guidance of a supervisor. Note that the applicant and their supervisor must be RSNA members at the time of application. A stipend of \$3,000 is to be matched by the sponsoring department (\$6,000 in total) and may not be used for non-personnel research expenses. For a full list of eligibility requirements and details, visit the website

[Gerstner Sloan-Kettering Summer Undergraduate Research Program \(New York\)](#)

Deadline: Feb 1, 2019

The Gerstner Sloan Kettering Summer Undergraduate Program is a 10-week research program open to **1st – 3rd year undergraduate students** who are interested in pursuing a career in biomedical-related sciences. Applicants must have previous research experience and have a minimum 3.0 GPA. Successful applicants will be offered a \$4,000

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stipend and housing. Accommodations are available in proximity to the school for the duration of the program. At the end of their research placement, all students must deliver a presentation at a poster session. Visit the website for further information.

[American Physiological Society \(APS\) Undergraduate Summer Research Fellowships](#)

Deadline: Feb 1, 2019

The APS Undergraduate Summer Research Fellowships provide support for **1st – 3rd year non-MD undergraduate students** with little or no laboratory research experience to work for 10 weeks during the summer in a laboratory. Applicants must have a GPA of 3.0 or higher. Faculty sponsors/advisors must be active members of the APS in good standing. Faculty at all institutions (including UBC) are eligible so as long as they join APS before application submission. Fellowships include a student stipend as well as travel funding. Visit the website for additional details.

Funding Reminders

[Parkinson's Disease Foundation Summer Student Fellowship](#) - Dec 3, 2018

[ASH Physician-Scientist Career Development Award](#) – Jan 15, 2019

[Charles Hollenberg Summer Studentship Program](#) – Jan 23, 2019

[BTFC Brain Tumour Research Studentship](#) – Jan 26, 2019

[Canadian Foundation for Infectious Diseases AMMI Canada Medical Student Research Award](#) – Jan 29, 2019

[Canadian Frailty Network Summer Studentship](#) – Jan 29, 2019 (IOI)

[Canadian Foundation for Infectious Diseases Undergraduate Summer Research Awards](#) – Jan 29, 2019

[3M National Student Fellowship](#) – Jan 31, 2019

[CurePSP Urso Summer Student Fellowships \(for Research on Progressive Supranuclear Palsy\)](#) – Jan 31, 2019

[Canadian Association of Gastroenterology Summer Studentship Awards](#) – Jan 31, 2019

[Mitacs Globalink Research Awards](#) – ongoing, for summer 2019 submit before Jan 31, 2018

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

Upcoming Events

[SEMINAR SERIES: The Need for High Quality Systematic Reviews to Inform Evidence-Based Clinical Practice](#)

Nov 27, 2018, 11:30AM-12:30PM

Location: Chan Centre for Family Health Education, BC Children's Hospital Research Institute, or via [Broadcast](#)

This lecture, part of the Discovery Talks series, will be led by **Dr. Philipp Dahm**, MD, Professor of Urology and Vice Chair of Veterans Affairs, University of Minnesota; Director of Research and Education for Surgical Services, Minneapolis Veterans Administration Medical Centre. Dr. Dahm is best known for his efforts to promote the principles of evidence-based medicine in urology through research and education. The main learning objectives are to explain the importance of systematic review to evidence-based clinical practice and to name the critical steps involved in conducting high quality systematic reviews. The event is free but an RSVP is required.

[School of Population and Public Health Global Health Lunch and Learn Seminar](#)

Nov 27, 2018, 12:00-1:00PM

Location: School of Population and Public Health, Room 424, UBC Point Grey Campus

The School of Population and Public Health invites you to their monthly Global Health event series which brings together experts and diverse multidisciplinary speakers to share their expertise on global health equity and related topics. The events are interactive, and presentations are discussion-based, where guest speaker discuss both their own experiences and current issues in global health.

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This upcoming talk will be led by **Dr. Linda Aliane Nyondo Mipando**, Deputy Dean of the School of Public Health and Family Medicine at the University of Malawi. Dr. Mipando is currently visiting Vancouver as a co-investigator of the Innovating for Maternal and Child Health in Africa project. This project aims to build capacity and partnerships between Canadian and Sub-Saharan African researchers, with the objective of strengthening health systems to save the lives of mothers and newborns. Dr. Mipando will speak about her recent experience in HIV/AIDs work in Malawi. The event is free, but registration is required and can be done through the website hyperlinked above.

[Student Biotechnology Network \(SBN\) Networking Event](#)

Nov 27, 2018, 6:00-9:00PM

Location: The Loft at Rogue Gastown, 601 W Cordova St, Vancouver

The SBN invites you to their informal networking event that provides the opportunity to have snacks and a drink with mentors from the biotechnology industry. This is also a chance to connect with potential employers and learn about the newest trends in biotechnology and where your degree can take you. The event is free, but registration is required and can be done through the website hyperlinked above.

[SEMINAR SERIES: What's New in Addiction Medicine? Adolescent Use of E-cigarettes: Emerging Trends](#)

Nov 27, 2018, 12:00-1:00PM

Location: Hurlburt Auditorium, St. Paul's Hospital, 1081 Burrard Street, Vancouver. OR online via [webinar](#)

What's New in Addiction Medicine? is a lunch-time series hosted by the BC Centre for Substance Use (BCSSU) that features local and international experts, clinicians, and researchers delivering the latest research and information on novel, evidence-based addiction medicine topics. This free series is aimed at individuals operating in a healthcare or research setting but the public and other stakeholders are welcome and encouraged to attend. As a light lunch will be provided, advanced registration is required. Dr. Basia Hamata (Addiction Medicine Fellow, BCSSU) will review the safety and harms of e-cigarette in adolescents as well as the trends in adolescent e-cigarette use in Canada and U.S.

Event Reminders

[SFU Café Scientifique: 42 is the Answer — A Hitchhikers Guide to Medical Imaging](#) – Nov 23, 2018, 7:00-8:30PM

CONFERENCE: [Western Student and Resident Medical Research Forum](#) – Jan 24-26, 2018

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

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

Additional Research and Scholarship Opportunities & Resources

[UBC Medical Journal \(UBCMJ\) Call for Submissions: Fall 2019](#)

Deadline for submission: Feb 18, 2019

The UBC Medical Journal is now accepting submissions for their fall 2019 issue on Chronic Disease. They invite you to engage in dialogue surrounding the various types of chronic diseases, management, prevention, and potential future therapies. With the goal of encouraging and recognizing high-quality writing, the UBMJ Distinguished Writing Award, which includes a \$250 honorarium, will be presented to the authors of the strongest article submitted in the fall 2019 and spring 2020 issues. Submissions may fall under the categories of: Academic Research, Case Reports, Reviews, Commentaries, and News & Letters. For more information, please visit the website hyperlinked above.

Find additional information and resources on the Student Research website: <http://med.ubc.ca/current-learners/research/>.
