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Funding Opportunities and Awards
American Society for Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics Summer Undergraduate Research Fellow
Deadline: Feb 1, 2019
The American Society for Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics (ASPET) will be offering a Summer Undergraduate Research Fellow Award. This award is open to undergraduate students interested in pharmacology research. Successful applicants will receive a stipend of $2,800 for a minimum of 10 weeks participation in the program and must submit a report at the end of their research. Applicants must have a mentor who is a regular member of ASPET in good standing. Please visit the website for further details.

Health Innovations Scholars Program
Deadline: March 1, 2019
The Health Innovations Scholars program funds eight pre-clinical medical students to participate in an intensive training program to lead innovative transformation of American healthcare. Participants will receive a stipend of $2,000. Note that students travelling from Canada may not be fully funded for travel as the program has limited resources. Please visit the website for further information.

UBC Centre for Blood Research Summer Studentship Program
Deadline: General Application – April 1, 2019; Applications without PI or PDF – March 15, 2019
The Centre for Blood Research (CBR) offers summer studentship awards to provide MD and non-MD undergraduate (2nd year and up) students with an opportunity to gain lab experience under the supervision of a CBR Postdoctoral Fellow (PDF) or Principal Investigator (PI). Students unable to find a supervisor may apply through a general application by March 15; the deadline for students with a supervisor is April 1. Successful applicants are offered a stipend of $5,000 and must participate in all CBR-organized summer events. Visit the website for more information.

Funding Reminders
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
**Neurosurgery Research and Education Foundation Medical Student Summer Research Fellowship** – Feb 1, 2019  
**Society of Interventional Radiology Dr. and Mrs. W.C. Culp Student Research Grant** – Feb 1, 2019  
**Radiological Society of North America (RSNA) Medical Student Grant** – Feb 1, 2019  
**Gerstner Sloan-Kettering Summer Undergraduate Research Program (New York)** – Feb 1, 2019  
**American Physiological Society (APS) Undergraduate Summer Research Fellowships** – Feb 1, 2019  
**Society for Vascular Surgery Student Research Fellowship** – Feb 1, 2019  
**The Eye Foundation of Canada Summer Scholarship (Toronto)** – Feb 2, 2019  
**UBC FoM Summer Student Research Program** – Feb 15, 2019  
**UBC Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences Summer Student Research Program** – Feb 15, 2019  
**Society of Hospital Medicine (SHM): Student Hospitalist Scholar Grant** – Feb 15, 2019  
**CSNS/CNS Medical Student Summer Fellowship in Socioeconomic Research** – Feb 15, 2019  
**American Society of Hematology (ASH) Hematology Opportunities for the Next Generation of Research Scientists** – Feb 15, 2019  
**HIV Medicine Association Student Program** – Feb 15, 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/](http://med.ubc.ca/current-learners/research/funding/).

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**Upcoming Events**

**Towards an HIV Cure: Challenges and Prospects**  
**Jan 22, 2019, 6:30-7:30PM**  
Location: ASB 10900, KEY Presentation Studio, Simon Fraser University

The SFU Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies team invites you to their event which will feature a lecture on the challenges and prospects of HIV cures and treatments. The lecture plays a part in the President’s Dream Colloquium on HIV/AIDS, a project which aims to inspire and mobilize the next generation of researchers, policy-makers, activists, artists and advocates with an interdisciplinary understanding of the past, current, and future response to the HIV/AIDS epidemic. The talk will be led by **Dr. Zabrina Brumme**, Molecular Biologist and Epidemiologist, Director of the Laboratory Program at the BC Centre for Excellence in HIV/AIDS. Register via the website.

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**What’s New in Addiction Medicine: Drugs & The Mother Baby Dyad**  
**Jan 22, 2019, 12:00-1:00PM**  
Location: Hurlburt Auditorium, St. Paul's Hospital, 1081 Burrard Street, or [webinar](#)

*What’s New in Addiction Medicine?* is a lunch-time lecture series which features experts, clinicians and researchers presenting the latest research on evidence-based addiction medicine topics. The lecture will be led by **Dr. Rebecca Coish**, Addiction Medicine Fellow, BCCSU. Learning objectives of the talk include the review of current recommendations and safety information about drugs for substance abuse disorders. RSVP via the website.

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**SEMINAR: Work In Progress Seminar – Using Documentary as a Method of Knowledge Translation**  
**Jan 30, 2019, 12:00-1:00PM**  
Location: Hurlburt Auditorium, St. Paul's Hospital, 1081 Burrard Street

The Centre for Health Evaluation and Outcome Sciences (CHÉOS) invites you to their Work in Progress Seminar (WiP), led by **Dr. Sarah Munro**, PhD, Scientists, CHÉOS; Postdoctoral Fellow, UBC Department of Family Practice and the Preference Laboratory at the Dartmouth Institute for Health Policy and Clinical Practice. The talk will present Dr. Munro’s current research which aims to identify the best ways to share pieces of information from a documentary with different audiences. The goal is to explore the delivery of health-related information to the general public through the use of this form of media. Visit the website hyperlinked above for more information.
Event Reminders
CONFERENCES:
- Western Student and Resident Medical Research Forum – Jan 24-26, 2018
- Global Health Conference 2019 – Student Poster Competition – Jan 24, 2019
- Life Sciences Institute Public Lecture: Can Immune Cells Really Cure Cancer? – Jan 31, 2019
- Heart + Lung Health Fest 2019 - Poster Competition for Scientific Symposium – Feb 7-8, 2019, Abstract deadline: Jan 10, 2019
- 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

Hatching Health
Application due: January 26, 2019; Event: March 1-3, 2019

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 have the opportunity to engage in networking, mentorship, brainstorming, problem-solving, and prototyping.

Participants can apply by submitting this form by January 26, 2019 @ 11:59PM. Individuals will be selected based on merit and enthusiasm in the following categories: passion, skills, experiences, and knowledge.

UBC Library Resources

The UBC Library offers a variety of resources that students can take advantage of. These include support in planning your research, finding, evaluating and citing sources and even publishing your research. Coming up are workshops that cover abstract writing and literature review, and those can be found by accessing the library’s website. The library consistently adds workshops and other development opportunities to their calendar, and their newsletter features upcoming events. For more information, please visit the website hyperlinked above.

Otolaryngology/ENT Medical Student Interest Group

The University of British Columbia’s Division of Otolaryngology is inviting students to apply for research positions and to learn more about the field. Lower Mainland otolaryngologists have put together a list of research opportunities looking for interested medical students. Each project will place a student with a Principle Investigator. Both presentations and publications could be pursued and are encouraged. Visit the website for more details.

Reminders
- 2019 Psychiatry Summer Immersion Program – Jan 2-31, 2019
- UBC Medical Journal (UBCMJ) Call for Submissions: Fall 2019 – Feb 8, 2019

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