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[Child Neurology Foundation Neurodevelopmental Disabilities Summer Research Scholarship](#)

Deadline: April 14, 2019

The Child Neurology Foundation is offering one summer clinical research scholarship for a **1st or 2nd year MD student** at a US or Canadian university interested in the field of neurodevelopmental disabilities (NDD) in children. The successful applicant will receive a scholarship of \$3,500 to support a summer research project under the mentorship of a child neurology/NDD specialist. Please visit the website for more information.

[BC Children's Hospital Research Institute Summer Student Research Program](#)

Deadline: May 15, 2019

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 [Summer Student Research Education Program](#) 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.

Funding Reminders

[Health Innovations Scholars Program](#) – March 1, 2019

[American Osler Society William B. Bean Student Research Award](#) – March 1, 2019

[Cystic Fibrosis Canada Summer Studentships](#) – March 1, 2019

[Canadian Rheumatology Association Summer Studentship Programs](#) – March 4, 2019

[FoM NSERC Undergraduate Student Research Award](#) – March 7, 2019

[UBC Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine Summer Student Fellowship Program](#) – March 8, 2019

[BC Cancer Studentships](#) – March 11, 2019

[Canadian Liver Foundation Summer Studentship](#) – March 31, 2019

[UBC Centre for Blood Research Summer Studentship Program](#) – GA: April 1, 2019; Without PI or PDF: March 15, 2019

[Alex's Lemonade Stand Foundation Pediatric Oncology Student Training Program](#) - April 1, 2019 or up to 50 applications approved

[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/>.

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Upcoming Events

[Women in Science, Health, and Innovation: Leadership Looking to the Future](#)

March 7, 2019, 6:30-9:30PM

Location: Morris J Wosk Centre for Dialogue, 580 West Hastings Street

Neuroethics Canada in partnership with the Consulates-General of France, Germany, the Netherlands, Switzerland, United Kingdom, and the United States invites you to attend their conference led by Janet Austin, OBC, Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia. This conference is being held in honour of the International Women's Day and will focus on female leadership in science today and in the coming years. For more information please visit the website hyperlinked above.

[CGSHE: Advancing Sexual Health Equity and Well-Being: Ponderings on Equity and Fertility](#)

March 8, 2019, 12:00-1:00PM

Location: St. Paul's Hospital, Room 1500

The Centre for Gender & Sexual Health Equity invites you to their talk led by **Dr. Wendy V. Norman**, MD, MHSc, CCFP, FCFP, DTM&H; CIHR-PHAC Chair, Family Planning Public Health Research; Associate Professor, Department of Family; Practice, University of British Columbia; Honorary Associate Professor, Public Health and Policy, London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine Scholar, Michael Smith Foundation for Health Research.

The lecture will cover Dr. Norman's current research which seeks to improve family planning access, quality of care, and health policies. Dr. Norman founded and leads the national network collaboration: Canadian Contraception and Abortion Research Team. To RSVP please email Megan Bobetsis at events@cgshe.ubc.ca or follow the link above.

[UBC Medicine 25th Annual Spring Gala](#)

March 9, 2019, 7:00PM

Location: Chan Centre for the Performing Arts, UBC Point Grey Campus

UBC's Faculty of Medicine invites you to the 25th annual UBC Medicine Spring Gala. The event is a celebration of the arts: an evening where UBC medical students from all four years come together to showcase talents outside of the medical realm and enjoy the performances and artistry of their peers. To purchase your tickets, follow [this link](#). All proceed from ticket sales go towards The Covenant House in Vancouver.

[President's Dream Colloquium on HIV/AIDS](#)

March 11, 2019, 6:30-7:30PM

Location: Joseph & Rosalie Segal Centre, HC 1400-1430, Simon Fraser University Harbour Centre Campus

Simon Fraser University invites you to their President's Dream Colloquium on HIV/AIDS: From Cell to Society, led by Dr. Robert Hogg. This seven-part public lecture series explores different factors associated with HIV, ranging from the criminalization of HIV non-disclosure to current vaccine research.

Their upcoming lecture will be delivered by Dr. Glenda Gray on the theme of "Towards a Vaccine for HIV". Dr. Gray is the current director of the HIV Vaccine Trials Network Africa Programs, and is the President of the South African Medical Research Medical Council.

For more information see the poster hyperlinked above and to RSVP follow [this link](#).

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[SEMINAR: Work in Progress Seminar: Is there a need for a paradigm shift in bacterial STI prevention?](#)

March 13, 2019, 12:00-1:00PM

Location: Hurlburt Auditorium, St. Paul's Hospital, 1081 Burrard Street Vancouver

The Centre for Health Evaluation and Outcome Sciences (CHÉOS) invites you to their Work in Progress Seminar (WiP), led by **Dr. Troy Grennan**, Scientist, CHÉOS, Physician Lead, Provincial HIV/STI Program, BC Centre for Disease Control Clinical Assistant Professor, Division of Infectious Diseases.

The talk will present Dr. Grennan's current research which focuses on the resurging epidemic of STI's. It will also cover current work exploring novel approaches to bacterial STI prevention. Visit the website hyperlinked above for more information.

Event Reminders

[Celebrate Research Public Lecture: A Closer Look at Cancer Research](#) – March 5, 2019, 6:00-7:30PM

[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

[Call for Applications: Research Trainee Day & Lecture Series](#)

Deadline: Oral Presentations: March 20, 2019; Poster Presentations: April 25, 2019 (or until full)

Event: May 3, 2019

This annual event is designed to showcase the diverse and innovative research work of Faculty of Medicine research trainees and recent senior faculty prize awardees, as well as to provide a venue for the building of new connections and collaborations throughout the Faculty and at all levels. Building the Future: Faculty of Medicine Research Trainee Day & Lecture Series will include lectures from the 2018 Faculty of Medicine Distinguished Researcher awardees, trainee research oral and poster presentations, as well as a closing reception and prizes.

At this time, the Faculty of Medicine is accepting applications from all Faculty of Medicine trainees that would like to be considered for an oral or poster presentation.

For more information and to apply, please visit the website hyperlinked above.

Reminders

[Call for Abstracts: 2019 Norman Bethune Symposium](#) – March 18, 2019

[UBC Library Resources](#)

[Otolaryngology/ENT Medical Student Interest Group](#)

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