

R&I Bulletin

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Grants Advice Team



Want to know more about grant funding?

Got questions about a grant application?

Contact the [Grants Advice Team](#) or reach out to [Laura Lucas](#)

Tell us what you think!

The Grants Advice team are trialling out a new format for the Research and Innovation Bulletin. This is based on your feedback received in the survey last month.

Please do let us know what you think, and send any comments or improvements to Grants.Advice@gosh.nhs.uk

Funding Opportunities

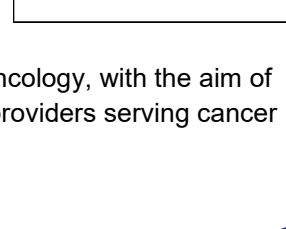
All research funding applications **MUST** be [registered with R&D](#) at least **15 days before the funder deadline** to get costings and approvals in time for the funders deadline.

[The Cure Starts Now Grants Program](#)

Funder deadline: 01/06/2022

Funding available: £ 77,586 (100,000 USD)

Duration of funding: 12 - 36 months



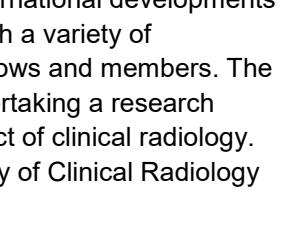
Eligibility: Research grants to institutions and medical professionals whose research focuses on cancers that present the greatest opportunities for a 'homerun' cancer cure. Applicants must hold: A MD, DO, PhD, Dr, PH or equivalent, Be a member of a non-profit organisation or a valid medical/scientific organisation and be up to date with any previous funding through The Cure Starts Now, which includes progress report submissions. The programme is open to applicants worldwide.

[Oncomine Clinical Research Grant Program](#)

Funder deadline: 30/06/2022

Funding available: £ 155,172 (200,000 USD)

Duration of funding: 12 months



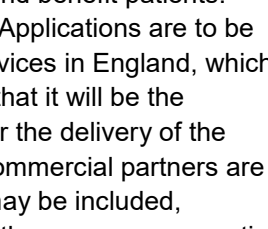
Eligibility: Funding to support investigator-initiated studies and education projects, on molecular profiling in oncology, with the aim of increasing high quality molecular profiling for health care providers serving cancer patients and improving clinical outcomes.

[Royal College of Radiologists Seed Grants](#)

Funder deadline: 01/07/2022

Funding available: £40,000

Duration: 12- 36 months



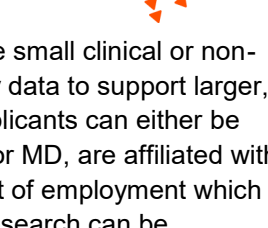
Eligibility: This scheme provides leadership, education and support for doctors who are training and working in the specialties of clinical oncology and clinical radiology in the UK. It works to influence national and international developments in these fields and supports academic excellence through a variety of fellowships, professorships, prizes and awards for its Fellows and members. The RCR Seed Grants support UK members of the RCR undertaking a research project, in the UK or abroad, to further interest in an aspect of clinical radiology. Application is open to Fellows and members of the Faculty of Clinical Radiology holding appointments of any grade in the UK.

[NIHR Research for Patient Benefit Programme \(RfPB\)](#)

Funder deadline: 13/07/2022 1pm

Funding available: £ 350,000

Duration: 12 -36 months



Eligibility: This programme supports researcher-led initiatives that increase the effectiveness of NHS services, provide value for money and benefit patients. Researchers in the NHS in England are eligible to apply. Applications are to be made through an NHS body or other provider of NHS services in England, which will act as the lead contracting organisation. This means that it will be the recipient of the funds and will ultimately be responsible for the delivery of the research. Joint applications with academic, charity and commercial partners are allowed. Partner organisations from outside of England may be included, provided a strong case is made for their ability to provide the necessary expertise to carry out the planned research.

[Fight for Sight - Small Grants Awards](#)

Funder deadline: 28/07/22

Funding available: £15,000

Duration: 12 - 36 months



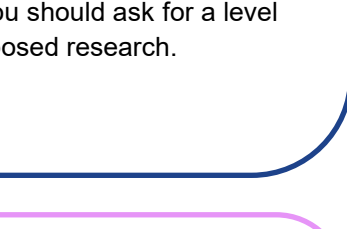
Eligibility: Grants available for UK researchers working in ophthalmology and vision science to undertake small clinical or non-clinical feasibility and pilot studies to generate preliminary data to support larger, follow-on applications for funding. To be eligible, lead applicants can either be clinical scientists or research scientists who have a PhD or MD, are affiliated with a UK academic or medical institution, and have a contract of employment which extends beyond the termination date of the award. The research can be undertaken in the UK and/or overseas.

[Glaucoma UK UKEGS award](#)

Funder deadline: 13/08/2022 5pm

Funding available: £50,000

Duration: 12 - 36 months



Eligibility: This ophthalmology-focused open call grant is open to all UKEGS members. If you're not already a UKEGS member, you can join by completing a membership form on the [Glaucoma UK UKEGS page](#).

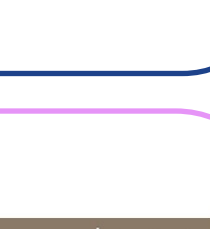
Career Development

[MS SOCIETY- PhD Fellowships and Early Career Fellowships](#)

Funder deadline: 07/06/22

Funding available: £100,000 - £250,000

Duration: 36 - 48 months



Eligibility: For specific details and eligibility criteria please visit the website. You must be based at a UK University or NHS institution.

[Wellcome Early-Career Awards](#)

Funder deadline: 05/05/22

Funding available: Your salary and up to £400,000 for research expenses.

Duration: Up to 5 years



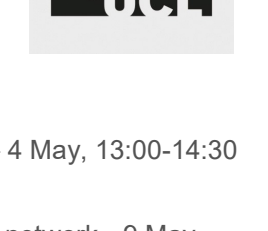
Eligibility: This scheme provides funding for early-career researchers from any discipline who are ready to develop their research identity. Through innovative projects, they will deliver shifts in understanding that could improve human life, health and wellbeing. By the end of the award, they will be ready to lead their own independent research programme. You should ask for a level and duration of funding that's justifiable for your proposed research.

[Royal College of Radiologists Constance Thornton Fellowship](#)

Funder deadline: 01/07/22

Funding available: £3,000

Duration: 12 - 36 months



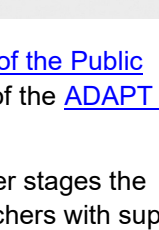
Eligibility: Fellowship to enable a UK clinical radiologist to undertake a research project or further a radiological interest in the UK or abroad. To apply you must be, a UK clinical radiologist, and an RCR Fellow or member.

[Wellcome Career Development Awards](#)

Funder deadline: 21/07/22 5pm

Funding available: no limit on the amount of funding you can apply for

Duration: Up to 8 years



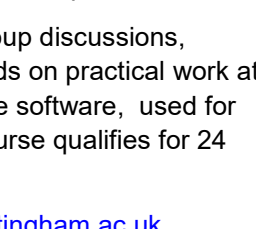
Eligibility: This scheme provides funding for mid-career researchers from any discipline who have the potential to be international research leaders. They will develop their research capabilities, drive innovative programmes of work and deliver significant shifts in understanding that could improve human life, health and wellbeing. You should ask for a level and duration of funding that's justifiable for your proposed research.

[MRC Career development award](#)

Scheme opens: 05/08/22

Funding available: no limit on the amount of funding you can apply for

Duration: Up to 5 years



Eligibility: Your research can focus on any area of MRC's remit to improve human health. You must have a PhD or equivalent, show evidence of career progression and show clear plans for developing as a leader in your specialist area of research. Your research plans must not overlap with those of your current group leader or proposed sponsor. We will fund your salary and project costs for up to five years. We will fund 80% of the full economic cost. You may also choose to apply for joint funding from one of the collaborating organisations.

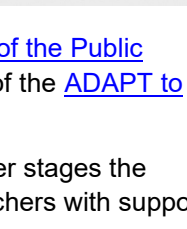
Please acknowledge the BRC in your publications!

NIHR GOSH Biomedical Research Centre has provided important infrastructure funding for research at the GOS ICH and GOSH. This research infrastructure **contributes to all research that goes on at the ICH and GOSH**. It is very important that the NIHR BRC is acknowledged in all publications, including conference and meeting abstracts. Full details of how to acknowledge the BRC can be found on the [webpage](#).

Events and News

[ACCELERATE innovation Mentoring Learning Hub Events](#)

ACCELERATE innovation launches the Mentoring Learning Hub; a series of workshops for UCL researchers keen to know more about mentoring. Each session will be virtual, interactive and last 1.5hours.

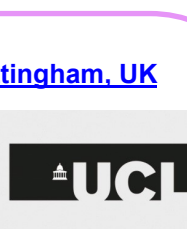


Session 2: Finding and securing the best mentor for you – 4 May, 13:00-14:30 BST [Sign up](#).

Session 3: Using mentoring to expand and maximise your network - 9 May, 13:00-14:30 BST [Sign up](#)

[ADAPT to Thrive with UCL Health of the Public Early Career Network](#)

WHEN: Tuesday 24 May 2022, 10:30am-12:00pm



The Academic Careers Office is partnering with the [Health of the Public EGN](#) to host an in-person event on 24th May 2022 as part of the [ADAPT to Thrive](#) event series on failure and resilience.

By sharing the experiences of researchers at different career stages the ADAPT to Thrive event series provides early career researchers with support by showcasing how failure and success walk hand in hand.

In person event at B05 LT, Chadwick Building, UCL Bloomsbury Campus. The venue is a large lecture theatre with plenty of space to socially distance should you wish too. There is capacity to live stream this event, please do let us know if you would like to attend virtually in the [sign up form](#).

[The Nottingham Systematic Review Course - Nottingham, UK](#)

WHEN: Tuesday 28th June – Friday 1st July, 2022.



The Nottingham Systematic Review Course is aimed at enabling participants to become proficient in developing and undertaking a Cochrane-style systematic review of interventions. As this is an introductory course, no previous knowledge of systematic reviewing is required.

The course utilises a combination of lectures, small group discussions, workshops, library-based interactive tutorials, with hands on practical work at computer stations using Review Manager and Endnote software, used for preparing and maintaining Cochrane Reviews. This course qualifies for 24 Royal College of Physicians CPD Points.

General Enquiries please mail: MS-NSRC@exmail.nottingham.ac.uk

To Book Direct Online please visit: [Nottingham Systematic Review Course- Online Shop](#)

Information

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Useful links:

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[Pre Award/ Project Registration](#)

[NIHR GOSH BRC Funding](#)

[Post Award/R&D Governance](#)