

Alfred & Baker Research Bulletin 138: Week ending Friday 18 April 2008

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<http://www.alfredresearch.org/external/bulletins.htm>

Calendar of funding schemes and closing dates for 2008:

<http://www.alfredresearch.org/external/calendar.htm>

Victorian Neurotrauma Initiative – Fellowships

Internal closing date: 6 May 2008

External closing date: 13 May 2008

The Victorian Neurotrauma Initiative (VNI) offers fellowships to build neurotrauma research capacity and skills within Victoria. The fellowships have been designed to attract and retain researchers to the field of neurotrauma. Successful fellows must reside in Victoria for the duration of the fellowship.

Research Fellowships for basic neurobiological and clinical researchers to undertake neurotrauma research.

Early Career Research Fellowships – two 3-year to support basic neurobiological and clinical researchers in the early stages of their career, providing an opportunity to establish a track record in the field.

Clinical Practitioner Fellowships for medical, paramedical and allied health professionals within the clinical, rehabilitation and disability areas to undertake neurotrauma research. These will provide opportunities for clinicians who wish to maintain both a research and a clinical/professional career. The applicant must undertake at least two days per week of clinical practice within their proposed area of research.

Training Fellowships – two 2-year fellowships for active clinicians and public health practitioners with little or no research experience, to undertake neurotrauma research that is linked to their practice. Applicants for Training Fellowships must be Australian citizens or permanent residents.

Early Career Practitioner Fellowships – two 3-year or active clinicians and public health practitioners, who have some research experience, and who wish to undertake neurotrauma research linked to their practice.

Senior Practitioner Fellowship – one 3-year for active clinicians and public health practitioners with extensive research experience, to undertake neurotrauma research that is linked to their practice.

Further information: <http://www.vni.com.au/>

National Breast Cancer Foundation – Postdoctoral Training Fellowships and Doctoral Research Scholarships

Internal closing date: 30 May 2008

External closing date: 6 June 2008

The National Breast Cancer Foundation (NCF) is calling for applications for Doctoral Research Scholarships for up to three years full-time and Postdoctoral Training Fellowships for up to four years. Applications are invited from investigators who are engaged in any discipline of research specifically relevant to breast cancer, including behavioural, biomedical, clinical (including allied professions such as nursing or physiotherapy), epidemiological, health economics, health services, public health and psychosocial research. NCF's research priorities for 2007-2010 are: the needs of all women, and their families, living with a diagnosis of breast cancer; all aspects of advanced breast cancer; young women and breast cancer; translational research; multidisciplinary research; novel health service delivery. Postdoctoral research in all aspects of breast cancer research will be considered, with the possibility of a competitive advantage being given to: research that increases recognition and management of disease and treatment-related symptoms; and research that addresses itself to the translation of knowledge gained from basic research into improved outcomes for women with breast cancer.

Further information:

Scholarships – http://www.nbcf.org.au/page.asp?category_id=3&subcategory_id=3&page_id=63

Fellowships – http://www.nbcf.org.au/page.asp?subcategory_id=5&page_id=71&category_id=3

Australian Cystic Fibrosis Research Trust – Research Grants

Internal closing date: 6 June 2008

External closing date: 13 June 2008

Applications are invited for Research Grants relating to Cystic Fibrosis including its cause, treatment and social issues. One-year projects only will be funded.

Further information: <http://www.cysticfibrosis.org.au/grants/>

Weekly NIH Funding Opportunities and Notices

Week ending 18 April <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/WeeklyIndex.cfm?WeekEnding=04-18-2008>

The following information has been provided in previous issues of the Research Bulletin:

International Association for the Study of Pain – Collaborative Research Grants

Internal closing date: 23 April 2008

External closing date: 30 April 2008

Further information:

<http://www.iasp-pain.org/AM/Template.cfm?Section=Grants1&Template=/CM/HTMLDisplay.cfm&ContentID=1557>

Sylvia & Charles Viertel Foundation – Senior Medical Research Fellowship and Clinical Investigatorships

Internal closing date: 24 April 2008

External closing date: 1 May 2008

Further information: <http://www.anz.com/aus/fin/Trustees/guNamed.asp#Viertel>

Pfizer Australia – Neuroscience Research Grants

Internal closing date: 24 April 2008

External closing date: 1 May 2008

Further information: <http://www.nsrgrants.com.au/>

Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation – Travel Grant Program (Round 2)

Internal closing date: 25 April 2008

External closing date: 2 May 2008

Further information: <http://www.jdrf.org.au/research/travelgrant.html>

Victorian Cancer Agency: Early Career Innovator Network Workshops

7:00-9:00pm Tuesday 29 April 2008, Tuesday 27 May 2008, Tuesday 24 June 2008

<http://www.victoriacanceragency.org.au/Ourcommunity/EarlyCareersInnovatorsNetwork/Workshops/>

Department of Education Science and Training – Prime Minister's Prize for Science and Science Minister's Prize for Life Scientist of the Year

Internal closing date: 2 May 2008

External closing date: 9 May 2008

Further information: <https://sciencegrants.dest.gov.au/scienceprize/pages/home.aspx>

Australian Museum – Eureka Prizes

Internal closing date: 2 May 2008

External closing date: 9 May 2008

Further information: <http://www.amonline.net.au/eureka>

Australian Cancer Research Foundation – Research Grants

Internal closing date: 2 May 2008

External closing date: 9 May 2008

Further information: http://www.acrf.com.au/page/applications_assessments.html

Australian Rotary Health Research Fund – Gastrointestinal Cancer and Bowel Cancer PhD Scholarships

Internal closing date: 2 May 2008

External closing date: 9 May 2008

Further information: [http://www.arhfrf.org.au/sub1.asp?pageName=Current Opportunities](http://www.arhfrf.org.au/sub1.asp?pageName=Current%20Opportunities)

Ophthalmic Research Institute of Australia – Research Grants

Internal closing date: 6 May 2008

External closing date: 13 May 2008

Further information: <http://www.oria.org.au/grants/>

National Heart Foundation – Career Development, Overseas and Postdoctoral Research Fellowships

Internal closing date: 9 May 2008

External closing date: 16 May 2008

Further information:

http://www.heartfoundation.org.au/Professional_Information/Research/Research_Funding/Available_Funding.htm

Pfizer Australia – Cardiovascular Lipid (CVL) Research Grants

Internal closing date: 16 May 2008

External closing date: 23 May 2008

Further information: <http://www.cvlgrants.com.au/Guidelines.html>

Multiple Sclerosis Research Australia – Investigator-Initiated Project Grants

Internal closing date: 23 May 2008

External closing date: 30 May 2008

Further information: <http://www.msra.org.au/research/funding-opportunities.php>

NHMRC – Development Grants

Internal closing date: 26 May 2008

External closing date: 2 June 2008

Further information: <http://www.nhmrc.gov.au/funding/apply/granttype/development/index.htm>

National Heart Foundation – Travel Grants (Round 2)

Internal closing date: 26 May 2008

External closing date: 2 June 2008

Further information: http://www.heartfoundation.org.au/Travel_Grants.htm

Diabetes Australia Research Trust – Research Grants, Research Awards and Viertel Postdoctoral Fellowships in Diabetes

Internal closing date: 30 May 2008

External closing date: 6 June 2008

Further information: <http://www.diabetesaustralia.com.au/research/grants.html>

Multiple Sclerosis Research Australia – Postdoctoral Fellowships

Internal closing date: 30 May 2008

External closing date: 6 June 2008

Further information: <http://www.msra.org.au/research/funding-opportunities.php>

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