

Alfred and Baker IDI Research Bulletin 203

Week ending Friday 23 October 2009

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

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| <u>Roche CellCept Australia</u> <i>Letter of Intent: Transplantation Research Grants</i> Synopsis | 4 December 2009 | 11 December 2009 |
| <u>Australian Rotary Health Research Fund</u> <i>PhD Scholarships</i> Synopsis | 11 December 2009 | 18 December 2009 |
| <u>Diabetes Research Wellness Foundation</u> <i>Research Grants (Round 2)</i> Synopsis | 16 December 2009 | 30 December 2009 |

Weekly NIH Funding Opportunities and Notices

Week ending 16 October 2009

<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/WeeklyIndex.cfm?WeekEnding=10-16-2009>

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Previously advertised funding opportunities

| Grants | Alfred and Baker IDI deadline | External deadline |
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| <u>Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation</u> <i>Grand Challenges in Global Health Explorations Grant (Round 4)</i> Bulletin 197 | 26 October 2009 | 2 November 2009 |
| <u>The Alfred Research Trusts</u> <i>Small Project Grants 2010</i> Flyer **Projects must be supervised by Alfred staff | 28 October 2009 | N/A |
| <u>Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation</u> <i>High Priority, Short Term Project Award (Round 3)</i> Bulletin 196 | 30 October 2009 | 6 November 2009 |
| <u>Cancer Council Victoria</u> <i>Postgraduate Cancer Research Scholarship</i> Bulletin 198 | 30 October 2009 | 6 November 2009 |
| <u>Australasian Society for Infectious Diseases</u> <i>Frank Fenner Award for Advanced Research in Infectious Diseases 2010</i> Bulletin 198 | 30 October 2009 | 6 November 2009 |
| <u>Cardiac Society of Australia and New Zealand</u> <i>2010 RT Hall Prize</i> Bulletin 200 | N/A | 6 November 2009 |
| <u>Australian Research Council</u> <i>Linkage Projects (Round 2)</i> Bulletin 201 | 11 November 2009 | 18 November 2009 |
| <u>Medical Advances Without Animals Trust</u> <i>Doctoral Research Scholarship</i> Bulletin 199 | 23 November 2009 | 30 November 2009 |
| <u>Alzheimer's Association</u> <i>Letter of Intent: 2010 Research Grants</i> Bulletin 202 | 24 November 2009 | 1 December 2009 |
| <u>Australian Research Council</u> <i>Australian Laureate Fellowships</i> Bulletin 202 | 25 November 2009 | 2 December 2009 |
| <u>Bethlehem Griffiths Research Foundation</u> <i>2010 BGRF Medal</i> Bulletin 199 | N/A | 30 November 2009 |
| <u>Baker IDI Heart and Diabetes Institute</u> <i>Baker IDI Medicinal Chemistry Grants</i> **Baker IDI applications only Further information: MedChem page on Baker IDI intranet | Applications open until Friday, November 27 2009 | N/A |

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| AusAID <i>Australia Leadership Awards Fellowship (Round 7)</i> Bulletin 202 **Applications open 2 November 2009 | 4 December 2009 | 11 December 2009 |
| Victoria-California Stem Cell Alliance <i>Stem Cell Transplantation Immunology RFA</i> Bulletin 201 | Early 2010 | Early 2010 |
| Travel Grants | Alfred and Baker IDI deadline | External deadline |
| Australasian Society for Infectious Diseases <i>Travel Grants</i> Bulletin 198 | 30 October 2009 | 6 November 2009 |
| Other items | Date | |
| ARC College of Experts <i>Nominations for 2010</i> Bulletin 201 | 30 October 2009 | |
| Heart Foundation <i>Research Roadshow 2009</i> Bulletin 195 | University of Melbourne: 5 November 2009 | |
| NHMRC Public Consultation <i>Ethical issues involved in the transition to palliation and end of life care for people with chronic conditions: A Discussion Paper for patients, carers, and health professionals</i> Bulletin 202 | 8 January 2010 | |

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Roche CellCept Australia – Letter of Intent: Transplantation Research Grants

Internal closing date: 4 December 2009

External closing date: 11 December 2009

The mission of Roche CARG is to advance the science of transplantation to improve the care of patients undergoing transplantation. To achieve this CARG provides bridging grants to support novel research projects that have not as yet received funding from agencies such as NHMRC and the Roche Organ Transplantation Research Foundation. In 2010, four submissions will be supported: one major grant of \$40,000 for the top-ranked submission and three minor grants of \$20,000. CARG aims to support important innovative clinical and scientific research that will ultimately benefit transplant patients, and therefore projects must have clinically-focused objectives. Research topics may represent clinical, fundamental or epidemiological research, as long as there is a strong focus on an unmet clinical need in transplantation. CARG follows a two-stage process for review of grant applications: letters of intent followed by eight invited full applications. Recipients of a CARG award will not be eligible to submit an application to the next round of CARG in the following year. If a previous grant recipient chooses to submit an application after the nominated period, the project must not be in the same or similar research area.

Further information: <http://www.carg.com.au/applying.cfm>

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Australian Rotary Health Research Fund – PhD Scholarships

Monash internal closing date: 18 November 2009

External closing date: 2 December 2009

As a general eligibility criteria for the PhD Scholarships described below, applicants must be about to commence, or already engaged in, their first year of a PhD in the relevant field of study. The scholarships will provide salary and incidental support for a postgraduate student undertaking full time research. The award will be made for one year in the first instance, but can be extended for a maximum of three and a half years upon receipt of satisfactory annual progress reports. Applicants must be an Australian citizen or have permanent resident status.

- Bartolina Peluso PhD Scholarship investigating Dementia – offered to a PhD applicant in Victoria to study in an area of research relevant to Dementia. Valued at \$28,000 pa. Applicants for this scholarship must be eligible to undertake a PhD program in Sydney, NSW.
- Rotary Club of Dural & the David Henning Memorial Foundation PhD Scholarship investigating Breast Cancer – valued at \$25,000 pa. Applicants must be eligible to undertake a PhD program in NSW.
- Rotary Club of Toowong PhD Scholarship investigating Cancer Genome – valued at \$25,000 pa. Applicants must be eligible to undertake a PhD program in QLD.
- Rotary Club of Glenhaven PhD Scholarship investigating Dementia – valued at \$25,000 pa. Applicants must be eligible to undertake a PhD program in NSW.
- The Hooton Family PhD Scholarship investigating Mental Health – valued at \$28,000 pa.
- Rotary Club of Parramatta City PhD Scholarship investigating Prostate Cancer and Youth Suicide– each valued at \$25,000 pa. Applicants must be eligible to undertake a PhD program in NSW.
- Rotary Club of Bondi Junction PhD Scholarship investigating Rehabilitation of Spinal Injury – valued at \$25,000 pa. Applicants must be eligible to undertake a PhD program in NSW.
- Rotary Club of Parkes PhD Scholarship investigating Spinal Cord Injury – valued at \$25,000 pa.
- Rotary Club of Adelaide City PhD Scholarship investigating Childhood Cancer – valued at \$25,000 pa. Applicants must be eligible to undertake a PhD program in SA.
- Geoff Bailey Indigenous PhD Scholarship – valued at \$25,000 pa. The Scholarship will support an Indigenous postgraduate student previously receiving in Australian Rotary Health Indigenous Scholarship, who is undertaking full time research in any field of health research.

Further information: <http://www.australianrotaryhealth.org.au/Information-About/Research/Current-Opportunities.aspx>

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Diabetes Research Wellness Foundation – Research Grants (Round 2)

Internal closing date: 16 December 2009

External closing date: 30 December 2009

The Diabetes Research Wellness Foundation is currently seeking applications for Research Grants related to finding the cause, prevention, treatment, and cure of diabetes and its complications. The foundation's current areas of primary interest and focus are islet cell transplantation, macrovascular disease and neuropathy. The maximum support of the Research Grants is up to \$US50,000 pa for up to two years. There is no application form, however applicants are to follow the guidelines and include a signed Research Grant Application Cover Sheet with their application.

Further information: <http://www.diabeteswellness.net/Research/Funding.aspx>

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