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2016 CAAIF Research Grant Competition - \$25,000

The Canadian Asthma, Allergy and Immunology Foundation is a non-profit organization, established to improve the educational and research resources of the Canadian Allergy and Immunology community. The Foundation has a \$25,000 budget for start-up grants. For this competition we will provide up to \$25,000 of total funding, which can fund one (1) grant or up to two (2) individual grants of \$12,500 each. Projects must be of relevance to the practice of allergy and immunology in Canada. The CAAIF research committee, chaired by Dr. Harissios Vliagoftis, will be overseeing the application review procedure.

The goals of the Foundation are to raise awareness in allergic diseases. Proposals therefore should be addressed to answering relevant questions related to one or more of these disease entities. It is not the goal of the Foundation to replace larger granting bodies. Because of the limited nature of the funds we have available, the competition may be more appropriate to obtain supplemental funding for larger projects or to initiate a project on an innovative idea that needs preliminary work before a larger grant application can be made. Projects that are more appropriately aimed at the pharmaceutical industry (pilot projects using new or existing therapeutic agents) will not be considered.

The application should include a lay summary of the proposed work; **a three page outline of the project and its relevance**, a budget with justification and the CV of the applicant. Please keep in mind the modest size of the grant and define the budget appropriately. More information in this can be found on the application form.

Please forward your application to:

CAAIF Research Committee c/o CAAIF Head Office P.O. 51045 Orleans, ON K1E 3W4 Tel: 613-986-5869 Email: <u>info@caaif.ca</u>

Applications received after the deadline will be considered in subsequent competitions. All candidates will be contacted in May 2015. Please address any questions regarding the application process to info@caaif.ca.

DEADLINE: January 30, 2016

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Deadline: JANUARY 30, 2016

Please complete the following 11 questions. Please number each section.

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PLEASE <u>PRINT CLEARLY</u> AND FORWARD <u>BY E-MAIL</u> TO THE CAAIF HEAD OFFICE.

1. APPLICANT INFORMATION

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Name		
Title		
University appointment		
Mailing address		
Telephone	Fax	
Email		
SPONSOR INFORMATION Name of Institution		
Address of Institution		
Name of individual responsible for administration of grants		
Telephone	_Fax	
Email		
PROJECT INFORMATION a) Project title		
b) 3-5 key words highlighting area of research of this p	roject	
he project is approved, when will it begin?		
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5. Please provide a lay summary of the project, of no more than 250 words, addressing the aims of the project, the method, outcomes and the relevance to the practise of allergy and immunology in Canada.

o Enclosed

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6. Please provide a one page background to the problem, including relevant previous work that has been performed by the applicant.

o Enclosed

7. Please provide a three page grant proposal (figures and tables with preliminary results and references are not included in the 3 pages). The proposal should include a clear hypothesis, methodology, outcome measures and statement of relevance of this work to the practice of clinical immunology and allergy in Canada. Discuss briefly how the results will be disseminated.

o Enclosed

8. Please include a detailed budget that is relevant for the work that is being performed in this proposal.

o Enclosed

9. Is this part of a larger proposal submitted elsewhere? If yes, please append the budget and summary pages of the other submitted or funded proposal to this grant.

o Enclosed o Not applicable

10. Are human subjects or animals being used in this research? Please provide a signed statement form the appropriate review board. If not available now, it can be received by the time funds are allocated.

o Enclosed o Will be sent later o Not applicable

11. Please append an up to date CV of the principle applicant.

o Enclosed

12. The signatures of authorized officers of other supporting organizations certify that the organization:

- a. agrees with the content of the application; and
- b. agrees to the release of the public summary of the award and to the publication of the organization's name as a supporter of the initiative.

PLEASE COMPLETE SIGNATURE FORM – SEE NEXT PAGE

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SIGNATURE FORM

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Applicant / Candidate (Surname Given Names)

Competition Date:

Proposed Start Date (MM/YYYY)

Project Title:

Primary location where research will be conducted :

Department:

Faculty:

Institution which will administer project funds:

(name and address of person responsible – PLEASE PRINT)

Language in which proposal is written

Eng	lish	
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Print Name:

French

Signature of President or Principal of Institution Signature of Head of Department

Director of Institution

Signature of Dean of Faculty or

Print Name:

Date:

Date:

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