

Call for Global Oncology Proposals

The Princess Margaret Global Cancer Program aims to be an academic center of excellence in education, research, and knowledge translation in global oncology. Global oncology is an area of study, research, and practice that aims to improve health and achieve equity in cancer care.

To advance the programs aims, funding has been allocated to support proposals in global cancer control. Proposals that will be considered include, but are not limited to, the development and/or delivery of education and training programs for low-and-middle-income countries (LMICs), joint research projects in global oncology with international partners, and trainee exchanges. Multi-disciplinary proposals that strengthen existing collaborations between Princess Margaret and partnering institutions are encouraged. Collaborating institutions include:

- Academic Model Providing Access to Healthcare (Kenya)
- A.C. Camargo Cancer Center (Brazil)
- DKFZ/Deutsches Krebsforschungszentrum (Germany)
- Elketa China (China)
- King Hussein Cancer Centre (Jordan)
- Tata Memorial Centre (India)
- Toronto Addis Ababa Collaboration (TAAAC)
- University of Hong Kong Shenzhen (China)

Grant Details

Amount	Three awards of up to \$20,000 will be offered.
Feasibility	Completion of the project within two years upon approval of the grant.
Affiliation	Applicants from all disciplines and departments are welcome to apply, with a principal applicant or co-principal applicant affiliated with The Global Cancer Program . Applicants who are trainees or who are new investigators (less than 10 years since their first academic appointment) will be prioritized. Trainees must apply with support from a supervisor. Criteria and application details for Global Cancer Program Faculty are available here .
Submission Deadline	October 2, 2020 at 5:00 PM

Application

- Curriculum Vitae
- Seed Funding Application Form
- Proposal
- Project timeline
- Budget
- Letter of support from supervisor (trainees only)

Proposal

The proposal should be limited to two typewritten, single-spaced pages. All pertinent tables, pictures, and graphs must be included within the two-page limit. The proposal should contain the following information and headings, with modifications depending on the nature of the project:

- Significance/Rationale to Global Oncology
 - Importance of the problem that the proposed project addresses.
 - Implications of the proposed project to enhance knowledge, technical capability, policy and/or clinical practice.
 - Impact on changes to concepts, understanding, methods, interventions, services, or policy in the field.
- Background/Context
- Proposal Objectives/Aims
- Methods:
 - Overall strategy, methodology, and analyses to be used to accomplish the specific aims of the project. If applicable, include how the data will be collected, analyzed and interpreted, by who, as well as any resource sharing plans, as appropriate.
 - If applicable, indicate where research ethics approval will come from.
 - List and describe the facilities and resources available to conduct the project.
- Outcomes/Impact/Sustainability

Project Timeline (Gantt chart)

Enter major milestones for your project and the expected completion date. The timeline should clearly indicate the major 3-5 outcomes to be achieved during the granting period.

Budget and Justification

Please provide an itemized budget with justification for expenses. If additional funding is required to complete this project, details of potential/secured sources should be documented. The budget document should not be longer than one page.

Supervisor Support Letter (trainees only)

The application should also have a brief letter from the mentor describing the trainee's qualities and their suitability for the project and academic potential of the applicant.

Evaluation Criteria

Preference will be given to proposals that strengthen existing partnerships with Princess Margaret. The expertise of the team leading the project, alignment to the strategic vision of the Global Cancer Program, and potential for the project to increase capacity for cancer delivery, research, and/or training and education will also be considered when evaluating proposals.

Proposals will be evaluated on: the caliber of the candidate and team, innovation and potential for global impact, project design, feasibility within the grant period (two years), and timeline and budget feasibility.

Review Process

All applications will be reviewed by the executive committee or a group delegated by the committee. Successful applicants that pass the first review phase may be asked to present the project to the review panel and address the questions raised by the panel.

Grant Recipients

Any publications or communications that result from this funding activity should include: "This project is supported by the Princess Margaret Global Cancer Program." All grant recipients will be required to present their project at a seminar specified by the Global Cancer Program.

Funds not spent within the two-year funding term are to be returned for future granting opportunities. Half of the funds will be paid out upon notification of the award. A financial report showing the expenditure of the funds is required at the 6-month point for the release of the remaining funds and at the end of the funding term.

Submission of Completed Applications

Completed applications can be sent as one PDF file to pmglobalcancer@uhn.ca. Please direct any questions to pmglobalcancer@uhn.ca.

FUNDING APPLICATION FORM

TITLE OF RESEARCH PROJECT

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APPLICANTS

Applicant 1			
Surname:	Given Name:	Middle Initial:	Title: <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. <input type="checkbox"/> Mr. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms.
Project Role: <input type="checkbox"/> Designated Principle Investigator			
Institution:		Department:	
Job Title:			
Email Address:		Telephone:	
Signature:		Date:	
Applicant 2			
Surname:	Given Name:	Middle Initial:	Title: <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. <input type="checkbox"/> Mr. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms.
Project Role: <input type="checkbox"/> Designated Principle Investigator			
Institution:		Department:	
Job Title:			
Email Address:		Telephone:	
Signature:		Date:	
Applicant 3			
Surname:	Given Name:	Middle Initial:	Title: <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. <input type="checkbox"/> Mr. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms.
Project Role: <input type="checkbox"/> Designated Principle Investigator			
Institution:		Department:	
Job Title:			
Email Address:		Telephone:	
Signature:		Date:	

Applicant 4			
Surname:	Given Name:	Middle Initial:	Title: <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. <input type="checkbox"/> Mr. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms.
Project Role:	<input type="checkbox"/> Designated Principle Investigator		
Institution:	Department:		
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Applicant 5			
Surname:	Given Name:	Middle Initial:	Title: <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. <input type="checkbox"/> Mr. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms.
Project Role:	<input type="checkbox"/> Designated Principle Investigator		
Institution:	Department:		
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