

Recurrent Respiratory Papillomatosis Foundation PULMONARY PAPILLOMATOSIS RESEARCH INITIATIVE (PPRI) Investigator Research Grant

Goals:

1. To foster research into pulmonary papillomatosis by providing funds to investigators in the fields of pulmonology, otolaryngology, thoracic surgery, radiology, and oncology.
2. To fund a project which may lead to long-term research support from other granting agencies and shows promise of leading toward improvement in the treatment of pulmonary papillomatosis.

Use of Funds: The funds are to be used to facilitate basic or applied research by an investigator examining the pulmonary manifestations of recurrent respiratory papillomatosis (RRP). Research into any aspect of pulmonary papillomatosis will be considered, including morphological, biochemical, behavioral, physiological, genetic, and epidemiological studies. Funds shall not be allocated toward indirect costs.

Eligibility: Applicants must meet **ALL** of the following criteria:

1. Hold the degree of MD or PhD.
2. Be a resident or fellow, full-time in an accredited specialty training program, OR be a faculty/staff person in pulmonology, otolaryngology, thoracic surgery, radiology, or oncology, OR be working in the laboratory of a faculty/staff person in pulmonology, otolaryngology, thoracic surgery, radiology, or oncology.

Award Amount: A maximum grant of up to US\$50,000 will be considered.

Selection Process: Complete applications will be reviewed by the RRP Foundation's designated Research Committee. Consideration will be given to scientific merit (with particular interest in projects that may lead to new/improved treatments), budget, as well as the background and career goals of the applicant.

Deadline for Submission: December 31, 2018 Submit electronic files (and any other inquiries) to: Marcelle Stiff marcellestiff@comcast.net, Kim McClellan

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RECURRENT RESPIRATORY PAPILLOMATOSIS FOUNDATION PULMONARY PAPILLOMATOSIS RESEARCH INITIATIVE (PPRI) INVESTIGATOR RESEARCH GRANT

Application Instructions

General Instructions: All portions of the form must be completed. Incomplete forms will not be considered. Although, if Institutional Review Board (for human studies) will be required before funding is finally approved, such approval can be deferred until after an initial funding decision has been made.

A complete application includes **ALL** of the following:

3.Cover Sheet (see next page)

4.Research Proposal (limited to 5 pages, excluding references). To include:

Specific aims

Background and significance

Preliminary data if available (not required)

Research design and methods

5.Itemized budget (limit to 1 page)

6.Applicant's biosketch (NIH format)

7.Personal Statement (limited to 1 page) –The applicant should indicate how the proposed research project fits with his/her personal career goals

8.Letter of support from a pulmonologist, otolaryngologist, thoracic surgeon, radiologist, or oncologist familiar with the potential of the applicant AND of the project

9.Letter of support from Chairperson or appropriate institutional representative which should indicate that adequate resources are available at the applicant's institution to support the proposed project and how the salary support will be provided for the applicant

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Applicant's Name: Title: Institution:

Address for correspondence (including fax and e-mail):

Title of Project:

Are animals used in the proposed project?

CIRCLE ONE

Yes No

Cover Sheet

If yes, approval of the applicant's Animal Care Committee will be required prior to release of funds

Are human subjects or tissues used in the proposed project? Yes No

If yes, approval from the applicant's Institutional Review Board will be required prior to release of funds