



Canadian Hematology Society / Société Canadienne d'Hématologie

2018 RK Smiley Research Grant

Established in 2011 to mark the Fortieth Anniversary of the Canadian Hematology Society's service and to support hematology practitioners in Canada, this award is named in honour of the CHS Founding President, Dr. R. Kennedy Smiley. Many impressive submissions from across Canada were received in response to the previous invitations to submit applications to this new research grant program.

The CHS Executive Committee is very pleased to announce that the next deadline for submissions to the R K Smiley Award is **Friday, February 23, 2018.**

The R K Smiley Research Grant will provide **start up grants of \$20,000** aimed at pilot projects expected to lead to larger follow-up studies funded by CIHR or other grant funding agencies.

It is expected that funds will be used within one year of the award being granted.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

- Applicants may be clinicians or scientists with a project relevant to the field of hematology.
- The Principal Investigator must be a member-in-good-standing of the Canadian Hematology Society.
- Preference will be given to groups who will benefit maximally from the limited start up funds.
- Only one application will be received per applicant in a given year.
- The principal applicant should be able to hold grant at his or her institution.

APPLICATIONS SHOULD INCLUDE

1—The proposal: 1 page, maximum length should include:

- ⇒ Title of project
- ⇒ Name of Principal Investigator
- ⇒ Names of Co-investigators
- ⇒ Project Background
- ⇒ Relevance to hematology

2—The Budget: 1 additional page, maximum

3—CV of Principal Investigator, 5 pages, maximum

FORMAT REQUIREMENTS

- ⇒ MS Word format
- ⇒ Double-spaced
- ⇒ Font size 12

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- Submit by email to: chs@uniserve.com
- **By: 1800 hrs EDT, Friday, February 23, 2018.**
- We will confirm receipt of all proposals.
- Decisions will be announced in May 2018.

