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## Call for Submissions – 2024 Honours and Master of Biomedical Science Projects

**Subject:** Call for Submissions – 2024 Honours and Master of Biomedical Science Projects for Start Year Entry - Due **Wednesday, 19 July 2023** 

Academic staff wanting to recruit Honours & Master of Biomedical Science students for the 2024 Start Year intake must complete and submit the online form: 2024 RMH Honours and Masters – New Project Collection no later than Due Wednesday, 19 July 2023

If you require any further assistance, please do not hesitate to Honours-Parkville@unimelb.edu.au

### 3iii Multidisciplinary Team Meeting (MDT)

**Title**: 3iii MDT: A Case of Granulomatosis with Polyangiitis (GPA) And Pyoderma Gangrenosum **Speakers**: Dr Vanessa Tran (Registrar, Dermatology), Dr Laura Scardamaglia (Consultant, Dermatology), A/Prof. Vanessa Morgan (the directive of Dermatology)

Thursday, 13<sup>th</sup> July at 8.00am – 9.00am Zoom - <u>LINK</u> (Password: 563675)

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## Norman Beischer Medical Research Foundation Clinical Fellowship, Scientific Fellowship, and Innovation Grants 2024

The Norman Beischer Medical Research Foundation supports and promotes improvements in the reproductive health of women and in the health of their babies and infants. Support research into obstetrics, neonatology and gynaecology, and the prevention, control and treatment of pregnancy complications, gynaecological diseases and related problems.

The Foundation is pleased to advise that applications for Clinical Research Fellowship, Scientific Research Fellowship, and Innovation Grants are now open with details for both available on our website - <a href="mailto:nbmrf.org.au">nbmrf.org.au</a>.

- The Fellowships are aimed at those who have completed a PhD (or equivalent qualification) and are early-to-mid-career researchers. Applicants should have obtained their PhD less than seven years prior to the submission of the application, and the researchers must be working in an area of interest to the Foundation. Applications for the Fellowships close at 12 noon Thursday 24 August 2023.
- Innovation Grants provide seed funding to support highly innovative research projects, which show potential toward a major benefit or for major grant applications to NHMRC and other funders in the future. The applicant will define their objectives and test hypotheses in any area of obstetric, gynaecological or neonatological conditions. Innovation Grants are for 1-year research projects for amounts up to \$70,000. Applications for these Innovation Grants close at 12 noon Thursday 31 August 2023.

The Guidelines and the Application forms are available in the Fellowships and Grants pages on our website.

Applications for both the Fellowships and Innovation Grants must be submitted electronically to <a href="mailto:admin@nbmrf.org.au">admin@nbmrf.org.au</a> using the appropriate forms and including the additional information requested. Fellowship applicants will be advised by 7 September 2023 if they have been selected for an interview. Interviews will be held in Melbourne on Thursday 5 October 2023. Innovation Grant applicants will be advised of their success, or otherwise, in late November 2023.

The Annual Review of our 2022 grant making, and the Review is attached for your information.

Please contact Andrew Brookes on 0418 335 651 or at <a href="mailto:admin@nbmrf.org.au">admin@nbmrf.org.au</a> should you have any questions.

#### Mark Your Calendars: Upcoming Clinical Trial Events You Don't Want to Miss

MISCH has two upcoming events designed to support those working in clinical trials:

1. Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2023, 1:30pm-3:30pm

Building bridges to funding: Constructing a successful grant application.

This two-hour cross-school workshop will feature presentations on budgeting for success, advice from panellists and tips from those who have achieved success in securing funding from clinical trial schemes. The aim is to empower researchers to navigate the complexities of the application process, optimize their proposals, and enhance their chances of success in obtaining funding.

Registration details

2. Monday, Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> July 9am-5pm

Clinical trial design and analysis: the basics and recent advances

Clinical trials are the cornerstone of medical and public health research. In this two-day course, MISCH and the Clinical Epidemiology and Biostatistics Unit (CEBU, MCRI) provide an overview of the key issues in designing and planning a randomised trial. This includes discussion of cutting-edge designs and concepts in trials including the estimand framework and adaptive platform trials.

Registration details

### Register to attend the No-Bell Prize

Join the audience for the upcoming No-Bell Prize event hosted by the Melbourne Medical School (MMS) and Melbourne Dental School (MDS). Ten graduate researchers will compete for a cash prize of \$1,000 by demonstrating proficiency in communicating their research in clear accessible language as they pitch their research to our panel of judges.

Attendees will have the opportunity to ask graduate researchers questions as well as vote for People's Choice Award at the event. We're excited to announce Laureate Professor Peter Doherty – Nobel Prize winner, will be presenting the prizes.

Hosted by Professor Alastair Sloan, Head, Melbourne Dental School and Associate Professor Cathy Quinlan, Academic Lead - Graduate Research Melbourne Medical School, the No-Bell Prize event will be a great opportunity to hear new research and meet colleagues from across both Schools.

Event details:

When: Tuesday 11 July Time: 1:00pm - 3:00pm

Location: Forum Theatre (Room 153), Arts West Building, Parkville Campus, University of

Melbourne.

 $\underline{\text{REGISTER}}$  to join the audience.