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Advertising – A/Professor / Professor in Medicine, Western Health

This is a joint initiative between the University and Western Health and the appointee will also have a negotiated clinical appointment with Western Health, which will be appropriately remunerated. You will be a key leader in the Department of Medicine in the Melbourne Medical School (MMS) of the University of Melbourne and provide leadership across a range of internal medical specialist units at Western Health. Located at Western Health, this role is the Academic Lead at the Western Health node of the Department of Medicine and provides academic leadership in medicine within the Western Health affiliated hospitals and services. The position jointly reports to the Head of the Department of Medicine, Melbourne Medical School, and Chief Medical Officer at Western Health. Full details can be found in the [PD](#) attached.

Advertised: 13 Jun 2023 12:05 AM AUS Eastern Standard Time

Applications close: 16 Jul 2023 11:55 PM AUS Eastern Standard Time

Apply Now - [Link](#)

Parkville Precinct Student Awards

Melbourne Medical School Parkville Precinct Student Awards Ceremony

Please join us in celebrating the annual Student Award Presentations celebrating the Parkville Precinct's best and brightest research students undertaking Honours, Master of Biomedical Sciences and PhD studies.

Friday, 30 June @ 10:30am - 12pm (including morning tea)

Ian Potter Auditorium, Kenneth Myer Building (Building 144 Parkville Campus)

Register [HERE](#)

Clinical Trials and Cohort Studies Grants

The Clinical Trials and Cohort Studies Grants opportunity is to support high-quality clinical trials and cohort studies that address important gaps in knowledge, leading to relevant and implementable findings for the benefit of human health. More details can be found [here](#).

Critical dates:

Wednesday, 28 June 2023: Applications open in Sapphire

Wednesday, 26 July 2023: Minimum data due in Sapphire

Monday, 7 August 2023: Internal date for review by RIC

Monday, 21 August 2023: Final submission due to RIC

MACH-Track Program

The MACH-Track program is a structured, mentored and fully funded career development pathway for exceptional research-minded health practitioners pursuing post-registration clinical training or career development in any of the ten health services affiliated to MACH.

The Track seeks to develop the future leaders of clinical innovation by offering an opportunity to integrate completion of advanced clinical training of the highest standard with pre-PhD, PhD and post-PhD training in research associated with the University of Melbourne's Faculty of Medicine, Dentistry and Health Sciences and eight affiliated Medical Research Institutes.



Applications for the 2024 MACH-Track cohort are currently open and close 9am August 1.

Please see attached brochure for more information.

PATH30004: Advanced Investigation of Human Disease - Internship

Kindly invite you to host a third-year student for the laboratory-based subject Advanced Investigation of Human Disease (PATH30004). PATH30004 is an elective subject in the Pathology Major and is particularly recommended for students considering undertaking Honours and further post-graduate research.

This subject provides students with the unique opportunity for a tailored authentic research experience through placement in leading biomedical research laboratories. PATH30004 is timetabled from **26th July to 18th October 2023, and it involves 1 day/week commitment from the Supervisor** (12 days, 9am -3pm on Wednesdays, flexible).

PATH30004 students have successfully completed a laboratory-based practical subject in a PC2 teaching lab in semester 1. In brief, **no publication-quality results are expected, and students will be assessed on a final scientific report and a short oral presentation**. Please see the attached subject overview for more details about the 2023 timetable.

The aim of this subject is to provide students with authentic lab research experience. Students have to understand the rationale behind the project, how it contributes to our overall understanding, treatment or diagnosis of a disease. Students should not be involved in commercial projects with IP issues or time constraints. We are looking for “wet” or “dry lab” projects that will be performed on site. You might like to offer the following types of lab project:

1. A hands-on wet lab research project (highly preferred)
2. A meta-analysis from previous studies to derive new conclusions, or from experimental data that already exists in your lab. Examples of this might include analysis of existing microarray or RNA-seq data, online disease web portals/databases (e.g., GEPIA, Protein Atlas...) or even image analysis (e.g., histology, any confocal or multiphoton microscopy, life imaging...).

If you would like to supervise a PATH30004 student:

- send a title and a short abstract about your research project via an email (<100 words) OR
- send the filled attached project submission form.

to Sophie Paquet-Fifield - sophie.paquet@unimelb.edu.au by **Monday 10th of July**. Please contact Sophie Paquet-Fifield for more information.

Research Infrastructure Investment Fund Collaborative Equipment Grant

The University's Research Infrastructure Investment Fund (RIIF) Collaborative Equipment Grant Scheme provides funding for the purchase of cutting-edge and the replacement, repairment, or upgrading of ageing research infrastructure of critical mass that cannot feasibly be acquired through National funding schemes. The total pool of funds for the **2023 RIIF Collaborative Equipment Grant Scheme is \$1,000,000**. In addition to this annual investment, and as signaled in the [2022-2025 Research Infrastructure Ecosystem Roadmap](#), there will be an additional \$1,000,000 investment in Ageing Critical Research Infrastructure towards replacing, repairing or upgrading critically ageing infrastructure.

Critical Dates

May 18 th 2023:	Applications Open
July 3 rd 2023:	Applications Close
August 18 th 2023:	Notification of Outcome

National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC)

NEW GRANTS PROGRAM

SMHS is an Administering Institution for NHMRC grants, which means SMHS researchers can now submit grant applications via SMHS. An overview of the NHMRC's New Grants Program, recently introduced following an external review, is available here:

[New grant program | NHMRC](#) (external link)

[Overview | NHMRC](#) (external link)

CURRENT GRANT OPPORTUNITY

NHMRC-JPIAMR 2023: Antimicrobial resistance diagnostics and surveillance funding call

A total of \$2 million funding for grants with an activity timeframe of 1-5 years is available.

The 16th transnational funding call of the Joint Programming Initiative on Antimicrobial Resistance (JPIAMR) is supporting proposals for 'Development of innovative strategies, tools, technologies, and methods for diagnostics and surveillance of antimicrobial resistance (AMR).'

NHMRC aims to support Australian researchers who are listed on the successful applications submitted to JPIAMR under the following topics:

Topic 1: to develop novel, or improve existing, diagnostics, including point of care diagnostics, that can rule out antimicrobial use or help identify the most effective antimicrobial treatment

Topic 2: to develop or improve existing strategies, technologies or methods, or data use strategies to support One Health AMR surveillance

NHMRC will only fund research in One Health settings related to human health and the Environment setting where it is related to human health.

Close Date & Time:

5-Jul-2023 5:00 pm (ACT Local Time)

Links:

[Current Grant Opportunity View - GO6035: GrantConnect \(grants.gov.au\)](#)

[AMR Diagnostics and Surveillance 2023 – JPIAMR](#)

Potential Cancellation of Journal Subscriptions – MDHS Melbourne Medical School

The library conducts ongoing analysis of our subscriptions to ensure the sustainability of the Materials Vote and ensure capacity to purchase new databases and journals. Find below a list of subscriptions proposed for cancellation specifically or generally relevant to Melbourne Medical School. The list is a reflection of the high cost of these subscriptions and relatively low use when compared with other subscriptions. Cost per use is the cost of a subscription divided by the number of times the full content of any items relating to that subscription has been accessed. Only subscriptions with a cost per use higher than an interlibrary loan (\$21 approx.) are being considered for cancellation.

Feedback from academic staff and researchers on the titles below would be appreciated. Feedback or queries should be sent to [Peta Humphreys](mailto:Peta.Humphreys@unimelb.edu.au) MDHS Faculty Librarian and/or MDHS-Librarians@unimelb.edu.au by **cob 3rd July 2023**.

The full list of proposed library subscription cancellations, cancellation principles and more information can be found [here](#).

Title	Platform	Cost Per Use (AUD) ^	Other UoM online holdings	Inter Library Loan availability
The British journal of general practice : the journal of the Royal College of General Practitioners	Royal College of General Practitioners	\$ 54.45	Highwire 1953- (1yr embargo) Misc Ejnls 1953- PubMed Central 1990- (1yr embargo)	Complete. Held at 10+ libraries
Comparative medicine.	Ingenta Connect	\$ 130.46	PubMed: 2008- (6mth embargo)	Complete. Held at 10+ libraries
International journal of palliative nursing.	Mark Allen Group (MAG)	\$ 36.00	Ebscohost: 2002-2015	Complete 10+ libraries
Journal of cognitive neuroscience	MIT Press	\$ 30.13	Ebscohost: 1996- (1yr embargo) GALE: 1994-2001	Complete Held 10+ libraries
Journal of General Physiology	Rockefeller University Press	\$ 91.68	Ebscohost: 2005-2011 PubMed: 1918-(6mth embargo)	Complete. Held at 10+ libraries
Microbiology	Microbiology Society	\$ 42.49	Free E-Jnls: 1947-	Complete. Held at 10+ libraries
Ophthalmologica	Karger	\$ 211.08	ProQuest 1998-2015	Complete. Held at 10+ libraries

^Cost per use is the cost of a subscription divided by the number of times the full content of any items relating to that subscription have been accessed

REMINDER: 3iii Translational Symposium

Thursday, 22nd June 2023 @ 9.00am – 1.00pm

Ian Potter Auditorium – Kenneth Myer Building

Hybrid Event (In-person attendance highly recommended)

Registrations via - [EventBrite](#)

For enquiries: DOM-AdminRMH@unimelb.edu.au



3III TRANSLATIONAL SYMPOSIUM 2023

"Bringing together Scientists and Clinicians in the Parkville Precinct around the themes of INFLAMMATION, INFECTION and IMMUNITY to support translational research"

"TRANSLATIONAL MEDICINE IN INFLAMMATION"

Thursday, 22nd June 2023
9.00am - 1.00pm

Ian Potter Auditorium
- Kenneth Myer Building, 30 Royal Parade, Parkville

Hybrid Event (in-person attendance highly recommended)

Tickets available on [Eventbrite](#)

For enquiries: DoM-AdminRMH@unimelb.edu.au

REMINDER: Staff Travel Policy

To ensure manage travel risk and associated support for staff, it is imperative the University is aware of the whereabouts of staff who are travelling overseas, and that staff are covered by the University's insurance. It is therefore essential that every staff member who undertakes travel on University business – including research-related travel – and anyone who supervises staff who travel on University business, reads and understands the current Staff Travel Policy and follows the required processes to book travel through the [UniTravel portal](#).

The Staff Travel Policy [Staff Hub page](#) highlights recent updates made to the policy, including updated information on travel insurance relating to COVID-19, and links to a TrainMe module that all staff are strongly encouraged to complete before booking or approving staff travel.

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