Dr Leon Carp Award 2024

An annual award offered by the University of Melbourne’s Department of General Practice and Primary Care for General Practitioners who:

- Wish to develop their academic skills in research, scholarly approach to general practice education or leadership skills to have an impact in primary care, or
- Have an innovative idea that they believe could benefit primary care, and
- Wish to work with and be supervised by University of Melbourne primary care research or teaching staff, and
- Will maintain an honorary position with University of Melbourne following the award.

The value of the award ranges from $15,000 to $18,000 depending on the level and time commitment required.

Eligibility
This award is open to GPs anywhere in Australia who are:

1. GPs at any career stage, who are research novices or have limited current experience in research and are not currently engaged in research or academic development/work with other universities or research institutes. OR
2. Early career GP researchers who are not currently engaged in research or academic development/work with other universities or research institutes.

Application Process
All applicants should send:

1. A cover letter, stating:
   - How the award would contribute to your research/leadership skills and/or personal goals,
   - How your innovative research or idea would benefit primary care,** and
   - Proposed time commitment to research (e.g. one day per week for nine months, two days/week for three months).

** The proposed research or innovation area will ideally be based within our research theme areas, however we are happy to consider other primary care research areas (if applicants first discuss these ideas with the Director, Research Training: m.temple-smith@unimelb.edu.au)

2. A brief curriculum vitae, including name, phone number, email address, tertiary qualifications, experience in primary health care and any prior research experience.

Submit applications to: gp-enquiries@unimelb.edu.au with the subject header: ‘Dr Leon Carp Award Application 2024’.

Applications close: 30 November 2023
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