

Research Grants in Biomedical Sciences

Call for Proposals

Fondation Santé initiated its Research Grants in Biomedical Sciences Program in 2012. **The grants support existing research teams at the level of €25,000 for one year** with the possibility of a one-time renewal depending on progress.

Because of their modest size, these grants are not designed to support full-fledged research programs. Instead, they are to help research teams begin new projects, or extend an existing program until more permanent funding becomes available. It will be therefore essential for applicants to explain how a Fondation Santé grant will help their research program.

The grants are highly competitive, with only about 10% of applications being awarded, as dictated by our existing resources.

Applications are evaluated by an eminent international scientific committee on the basis of scientific merit, feasibility, and need. Investigators who have received Fondation Santé support in the past are not excluded from applying again.

Submission deadline: September 1, 2022

Please note that the ranking of the applications is not publicly announced and we do not provide a written evaluation of the proposals.

Grant Reviewing Committee

Dr. Spyros Artavanis - Tsakonas Professor Emeritus Harvard Medical School; former CSO Biogen; Professeur honoraire au Collège de France – C h a i r ; **Dr. David Baltimore** Caltech; 1975 Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine; **Dr. Elizabeth H. Blackburn** – Professor Emerita in Biochemistry and Biophysics, UCSF; 2009 Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine; **Dr. Vincent Colot** - CNRS Director of Research, group leader and head of the section Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, Institut de Biologie of the Ecole Normale Supérieure (IBENS), Paris; **Dr. Edith Heard** Prof. of Epigenetics and Cellular Memory at the Collège de France, Director General of the European Molecular Biology Laboratory (EMBL); **Dr. Thomas Kirchhausen** – Professor Emeritus at the Institut Pasteur and former Director of the Research Center of Institut Curie, Paris; **Dr. Gerald Rubin** - Vice President, HHMI, Executive Director, Janelia Research Campus; **Dr. John Sedat** - Professor Emeritus in Biochemistry and Biophysics at the University of San Francisco, California (USFC)

For more information and the **Proposal Guidelines** please refer to the foundation's website: <u>http://fondationsante.org/research-support/</u>

