

KUMC Research Institute
INTERNAL FACULTY GRANT FUNDING PROGRAM
(FY 2010)

The following funding opportunities have been approved by the KUMC Research Institute Board of Directors and will be administered by the KUMC Research Committee. The availability of funds for this program comes from surplus income by the KUMC Research Institute during any given fiscal year. One of the goals of the KUMC Research Institute is to provide those funds to faculty members for additional peer-reviewed research. Requests for Proposals (RFPs) announcements will be conducted via broadcast e-mail as well as posted on the KUMC website. For additional program information, please access the website links listed below.

Program	Description	Funding Amount	Deadline	Eligibility
<p><u>BRIDGING</u></p> <p>Offered three (3) times per year.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Fall ➤ Winter ➤ Spring <p>Decisions on funding are expected within 6 weeks of submission of the materials.</p>	<p>The objective of the Bridging Grant program is to provide interim support during a funding hiatus that will be used to improve previously submitted proposals. These competitive awards provide interim support to those who have submitted grants to national organizations that were approved on the basis of scientific merit, but did not receive priority scores within the funding range. This interim funding is intended to assist investigators in obtaining data needed to enhance the success of a revised application.</p>	<p>Up to \$35,000 for one (1) year</p>	<p>Fall Bridging: October 23, 2009</p> <p>Winter Bridging: January 4, 2010</p> <p>Spring Bridging: April 19, 2010</p>	<p>All faculty at the University of Kansas School of Medicine in Kansas City and Wichita are eligible to apply, if their applications meet the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Applications for bridging support will only be accepted for grant applications with annual direct costs exceeding \$100,000 and with durations of 2 years or greater. The investigator applying for this bridging award must be the Principal Investigator on the application submitted to the external agency * The application must be eligible for resubmission. Applications that have expended all allotted resubmissions or are in response to a one-time Request for Applications are ineligible for bridging funds. An extensive revision that is to be submitted as a new application may be considered for bridging funding, but is likely to receive a lower ranking. * A commitment to submit a revised application to the same and/or other funding agencies within 18 months of the onset of this award. * Only one bridging award per grant submission is eligible. An investigator who has received prior Research Institute funding is allowed to apply for bridging funds, but only for a different research project. * A commitment to return all remaining funds to the Research Institute in the event that the revised application is funded, or immediately upon accepting a position at another university during the tenure of this award.

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<u>LIED ENDOWED BASIC SCIENCE PILOT RESEARCH</u>	<p>The Lied Endowed Basic Science Research program is designed to foster the development of research activity in three (3) specific areas in which there is a critical need at KU Medical Center. These areas include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The development of research among clinical investigators, particularly partnerships with established basic researchers. • The development of interactive faculty research programs among two or more established investigators. • The expansion of research ideas by individual faculty to new, currently unfunded activities. 	<p>Up to \$35,000 for one (1) year</p> <p>A competitive renewal process is required for a possible second year of funding.</p>	<p>October 30, 2009</p>	<p>All faculty at the University of Kansas School of Medicine in Kansas City and Wichita are eligible to apply.</p>
<u>CLINICAL PILOT RESEARCH</u>	<p>The Clinical Pilot Research program is a broad-base initiative to support faculty in nursing, allied health and medicine. The type of research may include, but is not limited to, outcomes, applied, translational, human populations, human specimens, and/or human subjects.</p>	<p>Up to \$35,000 for one (1) year</p>	<p>October 30, 2009</p>	<p>All faculty at the University of Kansas School of Medicine in Kansas City and Wichita are eligible to apply.</p> <p>Adjunct faculty with primary appointments at another university may be co-investigators, but may not submit a proposal as Principal Investigator.</p>
<u>START PO1 or RESEARCH CENTER</u>	<p>This program is a broad-base initiative to support faculty in nursing, allied health and medicine in terms of helping to develop a grant proposal to a major federal source to establish a PO1 or Research Center.</p>	<p>Up to \$25,000 for one (1) year</p>	<p>Requests can be made at anytime during the year.</p>	<p>Collaborating faculty groups at the University of Kansas School of Medicine in Kansas City and Wichita are eligible to apply.</p>