

YALE UNIVERSITY ▼ SCHOLAR AWARD COMPETITION
AMERICAN DIABETES ASSOCIATION
Pathway to Stop Diabetes Research Awards for 2019 Funding

DEADLINES

Expression of Interest (PI Name, Project Title) by March 20
Internal Competition Deadline: Tuesday, March 27, 2018
Sponsor Deadline: July 2, 2018

SPONSOR'S WEBSITE

Pathway main webpage: <http://www.diabetes.org/pathway/>
Call for Nominations: <https://professional.diabetes.org/meetings/pathway-stop-diabetes%C2%AE>

FUNDING

Initiator Awards for researchers in training transitioning to independence: \$1,625,000 over 7 years.
Accelerator Awards for early-career diabetes investigators: \$1,625,000 over 5 years.
Visionary Awards for established investigators new to diabetes: \$1,625,000 over 5 years.

NOMINATION LIMITATION

Pathway invites institutional nominations for exceptional individuals who have distinguished themselves as promising investigators with a high likelihood of making ground-breaking discoveries and contributions toward the prevention, treatment, and cure of diabetes.

Yale University may nominate one candidate. The nomination can be in any of the three Pathway award types.
The nominee must devote at least 75% effort, overall, toward research during the period of ADA funding.

PURPOSE

Pathway will consider applications from exceptional investigators who propose innovative basic, clinical, translational, behavioral, epidemiological, and health services research related to any type of diabetes, diabetes-related disease state, or complication. Nominations of exceptional candidates from a broad range of disciplines, including medicine, biology, chemistry, computing, engineering, mathematics and physics, are encouraged.

Pathway is focused on investing in researchers, providing the means to conduct transformative science. This includes substantial, flexible financial support; scientific and career mentoring from distinguished leaders; and access to and inclusion in networks for collaboration and communication.

ELIGIBILITY

Initiator Awards

Candidates cannot have more than 7 years of training following their terminal doctoral degree and should be transitioning from mentored trainee (support will be for 1-2 years) to independent investigator with a faculty appointment (support will be for up to 5 years).

Accelerator Awards

Individuals with full-time faculty positions who are pursuing high-risk, promising projects should be in the process of establishing successful independent diabetes research programs. Candidates may have research support up to and including the initial NIH R01, but cannot have applied for or received an R01 renewal or a second R01 award.

Visionary Awards

Experienced investigators with demonstrated success in another field are invited to apply their expertise to diabetes-related research topics. Candidates cannot previously have received national grant support for diabetes research. Awards are intended for investigators in other fields who are NEW to diabetes research.

INTERNAL COMPETITION PROCEDURES

For this internal competition only, submit the following as a single PDF to melanie.smith@yale.edu cc: osp@yale.edu
(1) [face page](#) available at <https://your.yale.edu/node/9391/>; **(2)** a 2-page description of the proposed project; references may be added on a separate page; **(3)** biosketch in the current format (5-page maximum); and **(4)** a letter of recommendation from your department chair or section chief.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT:

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