DEADLINES
October 16, 2017 -- internal deadline
November 15, 2017 – sponsor deadline for pre-proposals

SPONSOR’S WEBSITE
Program Homepage:  http://ktgf.org/fellowship_prog.html
Scientific Advisory Board:  http://ktgf.org/board.html
Recipients:  http://ktgf.org/fellows.html

FUNDING
$30,000 per year for 2 years.   (Total: $60,000)

NOMINATION LIMITATION
Yale University may nominate one candidate for each fellowship.

PURPOSE
The Foundation generally funds human research in the fields of childhood and adolescent depression and childhood and adolescent ADHD, but is willing to consider translational studies conducted in animals provided there is clear and demonstrable relevance to human populations. In 2015, the Foundation expanded its support to include the access to care fellowship -- designed to directly improve access, quality, and outcomes in mental healthcare for children and their families – in KTGF focus areas.

Ideally, two-year research projects should lead to direct and tangible benefits to children and their families and to larger projects worthy of federal funding and other national research awards. Applications are judged on originality, soundness, contributions to progress within the field, and the quality of institutional support and of the mentoring and training plan, among other factors.

ELIGIBILITY
- Nominees must be investigators holding a PhD and/or MD who have also completed all clinical training. As a general rule, nominated candidates should be at the junior faculty level, although the Foundation will consider applications nominating candidates in T32 or other research training programs.
- Candidates should be planning a career in research related to child and adolescent psychiatry or developmental psychopathology and have strong evidence of independent research ability.
- Fellows must be sponsored by an on-site primary mentor who will be expected to monitor and lend his/her support to the fellowship, review the candidate’s work, and report on progress; the mentor must have expertise in the candidate’s proposed area of research.
- Candidates who have applied for or received the K award are eligible, as are those who have not yet applied for a K award and hope to use a KTGF fellowship as a stepping stone to a K award or other funding. Candidates with an R01 are not eligible. Already received K awards should not overlap with the proposed KTGF project.

PAST RECIPIENTS WHILE AT YALE:

INTERNAL COMPETITION PROCEDURES
Internal applications should follow the Sponsor’s pre-proposal format requirements under Phase 1: Nomination Entry at http://ktgf.org/for_applicant.html. This includes content instructions for a required letter of nomination from your department chair.

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