



2016 Health Research Competition Awards Announcement

Research Manitoba & its competition partners are pleased to announce the recipients for the 2016 Competition year

OPERATING: Mid-Career

Dr. Shyamala Dakshinamurti Department of Pediatrics and Child Health (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Dr. Song Liu Department of Biosystems Engineering, Faculty of Agricultural and Food Sciences

Dr. Suresh Mishra, Department of Internal Medicine (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

OPERATING: New Investigator

Dr. Meghan Azad Department of Pediatrics and Child Health (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Dr. Versha Banerji Department of Biochemistry and Medical Genetics, Rady Faculty of Health Sciences; Internal Medicine (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Professor Ji Hyun Ko Department of Human Anatomy and Cell Science (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Dr. Deborah McPhail Department of Community Health Sciences (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Dr. Peter Pelka Department of Microbiology, Faculty of Science

Dr. Christina West College of Nursing, Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

COORDINATED Clinical Fellowship

Partnered with:

Children's Hospital Research Institute of Manitoba

CancerCare Manitoba

Dr. Carly Lodewyks Department of Surgery (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

COORDINATED Postdoctoral Fellowship

Partnered with:

CancerCare Manitoba Foundation

Children's Hospital Research Institute of Manitoba

***Dr. Arthur Owora** Department of Pediatrics and Child Health (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Dr. Christopher Pascoe Department of Physiology and Pathophysiology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Ms. Jamie Penner College of Nursing, Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Ms. Michelle Spierings Department of Psychology, Faculty of Arts

Dr. Benjamin Schellenberg Faculty of Kinesiology and Recreation Management

Mr. Zhizhi Sun Department of Immunology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Dr. Hana Vakili-Tajareh Department of Internal Medicine (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Dr. Shuman Yang Department of Internal Medicine (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

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COORDINATED Studentship

Partnered with:

CancerCare Manitoba Foundation

Children's Hospital Research Institute of Manitoba

University of Manitoba Graduate Fellowship

University of Manitoba – Faculty of Dentistry

Health Sciences Centre Foundation

Manitoba Mental Health Foundation

Manitoba Paraplegia Foundation

PhD Degree

Amrit Boese Department of Medical Microbiology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Matthew Bernstein Department of Psychology, Faculty of Arts

Cara Brown Department of Community Health Sciences (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Yufei Chen College of Pharmacy, Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Nour Eissa Department of Immunology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Jacqueline Hay Department of Kinesiology and Applied Health, University of Winnipeg

Adam Hogan-Cann Department of Pharmacology and Therapeutics (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Katherine Kenyon Department of Psychology, Faculty of Arts

Natalie Landry Department of Physiology and Pathophysiology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Lisa Lazarus Department of Community Health Sciences, Faculty of Medicine

Lisa Liang Department of Biochemistry & Medical Genetics (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Marlyn Laksitorini Department of Pharmacology and Therapeutics (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Vehling Lorena Department of Community Health Sciences (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Ewan McRae Department of Chemistry, Faculty of Science

Thomas Mahood Department of Physiology and Pathophysiology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Rabbi Mohammad Department of Immunology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Raghu Sundaresan Nagalingam Department of Physiology & Pathophysiology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Nagakannan Pandian Department of Physiology & Pathophysiology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

***Azeez Omotayo** Department of Physics and Astronomy, Medical Physics sub-specialty, Faculty of Science

Xiaozhuo Ran Department of Medical Microbiology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Rony Thomas Department of Immunology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Laura Thompson Department of Biochemistry and Medical Genetics (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Xun Wu Department of Immunology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Elizabeth Wall-Wieler Department of Community Health Sciences (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Margaret Wright Department of Psychology, Faculty of Arts

Xiaosha Zhang Department of Human Anatomy and Cell Science (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

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Masters Degree

Anthony Altieri Department of Immunology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Ifeoluwa Adewumi Department of Biochemistry and Medical Genetics (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

***Javad Alizadeh** Department of Human Anatomy and Cell Science (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

***Shayan Amiri** Department of Biochemistry and Medical Genetics (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

***Elena Bilevicius** Department of Physiology and Pathophysiology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

***Alisha Beaudoin** Department of Physiology and Pathophysiology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Anna Blankstein Department of Biochemistry and Medical Genetics (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Prabpal Kaur Bhullar Department of Physiology and Pathophysiology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

***Simone da Silva Rosa** Department of Human Anatomy and Cell Science (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

***Jamie Gillies-Podgorecki** Department of Community Health Sciences (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

***Jared Field** Department of Biological Sciences, Faculty of Science

Janique Fortier Department of Community Health Sciences (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Ashley Haverstick Department of Pharmacology and Therapeutics (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Lucile Jeusset Department of Biochemistry and Medical Genetics (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Tiffany Kolesar Department of Physiology and Pathophysiology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

***Monika Kowatsch** Department of Medical Microbiology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Abbas Rezaeian Mehrabadi Department of Pharmacology and Therapeutics (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

***Viktoriya Mozolevska** Department of Physiology and Pathophysiology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

***Marina Mostafizar** Department of Pharmacology and Therapeutics (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Ankoor Patel Department of Microbiology, Faculty of Science

Ghazaleh Mohammadzadeh Shahriary Department of Physiology and Pathophysiology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Asha Sinha Department of Pharmacology and Therapeutics (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

***Nicole Wilkinson** Department of Biochemistry and Medical Genetics (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

Xu Zhang Department of Medical Microbiology (Medicine), Rady Faculty of Health Sciences

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No applications to the 2016 PhD Dissertation category were awarded.