

ALL APPLICATIONS MUST INCLUDE THIS COMPLETED OFFICIAL FACE PAGE

Date: _____ Date project is to begin: _____

Title of project: _____

Name of Principal Investigator and degree: _____

Official position AND department: _____

Full mailing address, including Institution, Department and Floor, to which notification should be sent:

Phone number: _____ Fax number: _____

Email address: _____

Does your research involve human subjects? ☐ Yes* ☐ No

**(If yes, written approval of the Institutional Review Board must be attached)*

Research Category and Key Words: For purposes of assigning reviewers, please check 1 or 2 categories that best describe the proposed research.

☐ Cell Biology ☐ Clinical ☐ Immunology ☐ Molecular Biology ☐ Virology ☐ Other: _____

List up to six key words: _____

Contact information for person responsible for administration of funds:

Name: _____ Title: _____

Address: _____

E-mail address: _____ Phone number: _____

How did you become aware of this funding opportunity? Please check all that apply:

☐ Mentor ☐ Colleague ☐ ASH Conference ☐ Leukemia Research Foundation website

☐ Hospital / Institution (specify): _____

☐ Other (please specify): _____

Publication (please specify): ☐ The New Scientist ☐ ScienceJobs.com ☐ ASH News Daily

☐ The Scientist ☐ Blood ☐ Cell Magazine

Name of Applicant \$ _____
Amount Requested

Name of Institutional Officer

Please use separate pages for each of the questions below.

1. Budget
 - a. Personnel: Include time/effort on this project by principal and other investigators. (LRF does not provide for the salary support of a principal investigator)
 - b. Equipment: Not to exceed \$5,000.
 - c. Supplies: Consumables, such as test tubes, chemicals, etc.
 - d. Travel for conduct of research (not to exceed \$1,000)
 - e. Other items of expense, itemized
 - f. Total amount requested, not to exceed \$100,000. PLEASE NOTE: INDIRECT COSTS AND INSTITUTIONAL OVERHEAD ARE NOT PROVIDED
2. Justification for requested items A and E above.
3. Any other current research support for your laboratory. Provide name of agency, title of grant, specific aims, total amount of award and project period, total direct and indirect amounts for current budget year, and percent effort on project. List should include pending applications and their status.
4. Any previous grants supporting this project.
5. Description of research project, not to exceed **12 pages single-spaced**, including tables and figures. Abstracts and references will not be included in page limitation. (Appendices will not be accepted) Please furnish information for the following:
 - a. One page abstract of the rationale, objectives, research plan and methods (not included in 12 page limit)
 - b. Specific aims
 - c. Research plan: Include a summary of the contributions of yourself and others in this field of research, include progress report for renewal applications, hypotheses, methods and plan for the study.
 - d. Projected time frame for completion of the project: This will be considered in the review process as to whether the work can be completed within the period of the funding provided.
 - e. A half page description of relevance to blood cancer (not included in 12 page limit)
 - f. Include a concise, simple lay-term one paragraph description of your project and its potential value in the field of blood cancer research. THIS PARAGRAPH WILL BE USED FOR PUBLICATION IN THE EVENT YOUR PROJECT IS FUNDED. (This is not the same description from 5.a. it should be tailored to a non-scientific audience. Not included in 12 page limit)
 - g. References (not included in 12 page limit)

The project description (items b, c and d) must not exceed 12 pages single-spaced, including tables and figures. Note: the abstract and references are not included in the page limit.
6. Concise description for institutional facilities available for this project.
7. State the date of completion of training and the date of the first faculty appointment and the rank at that time. (Read the eligibility section of the document carefully.)
8. Investigators with a research associate, research assistant or similar position, must include a letter from the department chair and faculty mentor confirming their position is independent. In addition, the applicant must state how their research is independent from others at their institution.
9. Curriculum Vitae of principal investigator and all co-investigators, not to exceed three pages for each C.V. (Include name, birthdate, birthplace, citizenship, professional education and experience, publications.)
10. Contact information including e-mail address for person responsible for the administration of your grant.

All applications must be e-mailed to GRANTS@LRFMAIL.ORG in a single PDF file. Filename must be last name, first name, middle initial. Submit by midnight Tuesday, February 16, 2016.