

Did you know that young investigators at WUSM who applied for these internal competitions over the last five years have received a total of **\$1,725,000** in awards? The cancer-focused foundations below actively solicit a limited number of applications for funding from WU.

Apply to the Internal Competitions below, **by April 18th**, to be reviewed to submit a full application (login with your WUSTL Key), and check out the former awardees for these grants.

Gabrielle's Angel Foundation for Cancer Research

2 Candidates Move Forward

Gabrielle's Angel Foundation funds the nation's best science in the fields of leukemia, lymphoma, and related cancers of the blood. The Foundation focuses on projects for cancer prevention, detection, and treatment that are most likely to be translated into clinical trials within a three to five-year period. To be eligible, applicants must currently hold a tenure track junior faculty position as an assistant professor, and be within the first five years of appointment. \$225K over three years.

Apply: <https://collaboration.wustl.edu/depts/cfr/Pages/GabriellesAngelFoundationGrantProgram.aspx>

Cancer Research Foundation Young Investigator Award

3 Candidates Move Forward

The Young Investigator Awards are research grants to be awarded to men and women during the first two years of their initial faculty appointment (instructor, assistant professor) who have not yet received significant external support at the time of submission. These awards are designed to nurture young scientists in the pursuit of independent hypotheses, and to enable them to develop the preliminary data necessary to successfully compete for major research grants.

Applicants should be within the first two years of a tenure-eligible faculty appointment. \$75K

Apply: <https://collaboration.wustl.edu/depts/cfr/Pages/CancerResearchFoundation.aspx>

Pew-Stewart Scholars Program for Cancer Research

1 Candidate Moves Forward

The Pew-Stewart Scholars Program for Cancer Research is a national initiative designed to support promising early career scientists whose research will accelerate discovery and advance progress to a cure for cancer. The program—funded by The Alexander and Margaret Stewart Trust and administered by Pew—will support five investigators each year. As of October 2018, nominees must hold full-time appointments at the rank of assistant professor on a tenure track, and must have held the position for less than three years. \$300K

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FORMER AWARDEES

Gabrielle's Angel Foundation Medical Research Awards - \$225,000

2017 – Grant Challen

2016 – Jeffrey Magee

2105 – Lukas Wartman

2014 – Todd Fehniger

2013 – Matthew Walter

Cancer Research Foundation Young Investigator Award - \$75,000

2017 – Jonathan Barnes

2017 – David Spencer

2016 – Milan Chheda

2016 – Charles Kaufman

2015 – Blair Madison

2015 – Obi Griffith

2014 – Vivek Arora

2013 – Christopher Maher

2012 – David DeNardo