Thesis Defense Seminars


Please contact geoscience@ucalgary.ca for Zoom info

GEOS MSc Thesis presentation by Sama Khawaja, (Supervisor: Ed Cey) August 4th at 9:00am, “Field and Laboratory Study of Infiltration Processes during Melt Events in Frozen Prairie Soils.”

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Seminars

The Dark Side of Science: Misconduct in Research, with Dr. Elisabeth Bik
Date: August 5th
Time: 1:00pm
For more information and to register visit: https://events.ucalgary.ca/gradcollege/#!view/event/event_id/379086

Opportunities

REMINDER - The Canada Foundation for Innovation (CFI) 2023 Innovation Fund

The UC internal selection process is being initiated in anticipation of a draft Call for Proposals for the 2023 Innovation Fund (IF) in early Fall 2021.

Additional information is available here. Researchers planning to submit an internal Notice of Intent should contact ipd@ucalgary.ca for tips on preparing an iNOI and planning an IF project.

Please review the 2020 Innovation Fund Objectives before considering the UC’s internal selection process for proposals that will demonstrate:

- Alignment with the CFI’s anticipated Innovation Fund objectives;
- Feasibility of implementation;
- Alignment with department, institute, faculty and/or UC strategic research strengths and initiatives.
**Important dates:**

**August 16th at noon:** Submit draft iNOI to Associate Dean (Research)

**Sept 15th at noon:** Faculties vet proposed projects and submits approved iNOIs to Research Services

For more information and to access the iNOI form and budget template visit RSOs Funding Deadline Calendar.

**REMINDER – NSERC Notice of Intent due August 3**

The NOI is mandatory for Discovery Grant application (see Funding Deadline Calendar entry for DGs [here](#)). Applicants who do not submit a NOI cannot submit a full application. Please see instructions [here](#).

1. Complete the Notice of Intent form on the NSERC Research Portal
2. Attach your NSERC Canadian Common CV (CCV) (CCV instructions [here](#))
3. Submit the NOI through the NSERC Research Portal by the deadline of **August 3, 6:00 pm MT**

NOTE: when you submit the NOI, it goes directly to NSERC (i.e., it does not go to Research Services). **NSERC will not accept revisions to a submitted NOI.**

**REMINDER - NFRF 2021 Exploration Information Session**

A reminder that an information session for applicants regarding the New Frontiers in Research Fund (NFRF) 2021 Exploration program will be held on **Monday, July 19 from 3-4 pm**, hosted by Dr. Penny Pexman, Associate Vice-President (Research), and representatives from Research Services. Everyone is welcome.

To register for this session, please email ipd@ucalgary.ca by noon on **Monday, July 19**. You will receive the Zoom link on July 19.

For more information on this and other Funding Opportunities, please visit the university’s Funding Deadline Calendar.

**2022 University of Calgary Teaching and Learning Grants and Teaching Scholars Program**

University of Calgary Teaching and Learning Grants are designed to enhance students' learning experiences through the integration of teaching, learning and research. Please find more information about the program and important dates [here](#).

The University of Calgary Teaching Scholars Program, supported and managed by the Taylor Institute for Teaching and Learning (TI), is designed support faculty as they develop educational leadership capacity. Please find more information about the program and important dates [here](#).

Applications for both programs are due **January 17, 2022**.
Opportunities - Health

National Institutes of Health (NIH) Information Session

Join us as members of the Research Services Office and Cumming School of Medicine discuss applications to the National Institutes of Health (NIH). This session will provide an overview of the application and post-award processes. It will also offer some tips and tricks for a successful application, including strategies for addressing specific application sections. Presentations will be followed by a Q&A period.

Date: July 27, 2021
Time: 10:00am to 11:30am

Everyone is welcome. Please mute yourself and turn off your video for the duration of the presentations to ensure stability for the call. Questions can be asked in the chat box and the moderator will present them to the panelists during the Q&A period.

To register: please email rsogrants@ucalgary.ca and we will send you the Zoom link the day before.

Cumming School of Medicine – CIHR Project Grant information sessions (open to all)

1. Planning the best response to an unsuccessful grant
You put your heart, soul and precious time into your last grant application but weren’t funded. What do you do now? Jenna Slobzian will discuss the various pathways you can take to get your project funded, the resources available to help you improve your next application and how to craft an effective response to reviewers. Dr. Mike Monument will share how he turned an unsuccessful grant around.

Date: July 28th
Time: 1:00pm – 2:00pm

To Register: https://ucalgary.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJ0kcu2orD0oE9x1byQbPX8IrFQTvJTkQTM

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

2. Project Grant Fall 2021
In an effort to assist applicants (and teams) prepare for the Fall competition the Grant Development team will be providing 2 opportunities to learn more about the requirements of the competition. Please encourage any staff or trainees that will be assisting with your application to attend. Content will be similar in both sessions.

Session 1:
Date: August 4th; 2021
Time: 11:00am – 12:30 pm

To Register:https://ucalgary.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJwtdOCpqi4vGti2oCdG9zi8IdlZeusf-tOx

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

Session 2:
Date: August 24th
Time: 2:00 pm – 3:00pm

To Register: https://ucalgary.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJEvf-6uqTIsEtyVvxUB7GUNz2iQbmjidHQr

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

**CIHR Catalyst Grant: Alcohol research to inform health policies and interventions**

The purpose of this funding opportunity is to strengthen the evidence base and expand alcohol research in identified areas, to foster alcohol-related research capacity and/or to inform the development of future larger scale research projects.

Registration is required and due to CIHR on **August 19th, 2021**.

Research Services’ final internal deadline for the full application is **noon on September 13th, 2021**.

For more information, see the [funding deadline calendar](https://).  
Contact: rsogrants@ucalgary.ca

**2022/23 Heart & Stroke Foundation Grant-in-Aid Program**

The Heart & Stroke Grant-in-Aid (GIA) program provides operating funds to support important, pertinent, novel research in the areas of heart disease and/or stroke.

Research Services full application deadline is **August 23, 2021 at 12:00pm**.

For more information, see the [funding deadline calendar](https://).

Contact: Gary Markoski

**2022/23 Heart & Stroke Foundation New Investigator Award**

The Heart and Stroke New Investigator (NI) program is a salary award to support new investigators who have demonstrated excellence in their doctoral and post- doctoral training and wish to establish their own independent research career.

Registration deadline is **July 29, 2021**

Research Services full application deadline is **August 30, 2021 at 12:00pm**.

For more information, see the [funding deadline calendar](https://).

Contact: Gary Markoski