Ludwig Family Scholars Award Request for Applications

We are delighted to announce the second round of Ludwig Family Scholars Award Request For applications. This award will be supporting grants to young physician scientists in the Department of Medicine. The objective of these grants is to provide the "seed money" needed to develop preliminary data that can be used to apply for larger, project-sustaining grants from the National Institutes of Health and other funding agencies.

We envision funding two new projects at a level of \$50K for one year. Projects should focus on using fundamental research tools to discover mechanisms and pathways important for causing disease.

Proposals must be two pages or less and include the following sections:

- Hypothesis
- Specific Aim(s)
- Methods (please provide sufficient detail for reviewers to understand the approach)

Projects will be reviewed and ranked by an advisory committee that includes Dr. Mark Anderson, Dr. Carol Ludwig and Dr. Diana Shineman. Acceptance of an award will require a progress report at six months and one year.

Proposals are due on Friday, May 28.

Funding decisions should be made by the end of June for an anticipated start date of July 1, 2021. Submit applications to Donna Bolin at: Dbolin1@jhmi.edu.