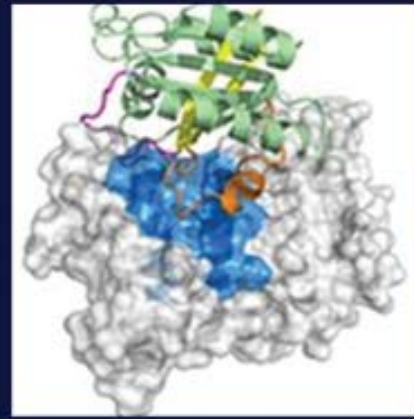


# Smith Family Awards Program for Excellence in Biomedical Research

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## Overview

In 1991, the Smith Family Foundation created a grants program to support promising junior faculty who were beginning to establish their own independent laboratories and research programs. Now in its 26<sup>th</sup> year, this Program has funded 157 scientists for a total of \$31.1 million.

Applications may focus on all fields of basic biomedical science. Investigators in the physical sciences (physics, chemistry and engineering) with biomedical research projects are also encouraged to apply.

## Online Application Deadline

Tuesday, July 11, 2017  
at 12:00 Noon, U.S. Eastern Time

## Funding Period

Dec. 1, 2017 – Nov. 30, 2020

## Award Amount

Up to five \$300,000 three-year awards, inclusive of 5% institutional overhead

## Application Materials

<https://hria.org/tmf/Smith>

## Questions

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or 617-279-2240, x702

## Eligibility

- Full-time faculty whose first independent appointment began between 7/1/15 and 12/1/17
- Two applications from any School or College within a MA academic institution
- Two applications from any hospital or free standing nonprofit biomedical research facility in MA
- Two applications each from Brown University and Yale University
- Women scientists are encouraged to apply



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