

DEPARTMENT OF OTOLARYNGOLOGY – HEAD AND NECK SURGERY

INTERNAL RESEARCH FUNDING PROGRAM

ANNUAL RESEARCH GRANTS

Name: **PAUL A LEVINE MD RESEARCH GRANT**
ROBERT W CANTRELL MD RESEARCH GRANT

Amount: \$8,000 each (2 grants)

Deadline: July 1 annually

Duration: 1 year

Objectives:

1. To support innovative basic science, translational and clinical research by residents and faculty.
2. To support worthy proposals that were not selected for funding by external mechanisms (e.g., CORE).

Review Criteria:

1. Soundness of rationale.
2. Degree of innovation/novelty.
3. Quality, appropriateness and feasibility of study design.
4. Statistical justification for approach and analysis of outcome measures.
5. Qualifications of the study team and access to required resources.
6. Likelihood of productivity within proposed timeline.
7. Justification for financial support.
8. Preference will be given to proposals that have previously been submitted for external funding.

Application:

1. Biographical information of principal investigator (attached form or NIH biosketch format).
2. Research plan including title, introduction, hypothesis, specific aims, background, significance, preliminary studies, research design/methods, references (attached form or CORE grant application format). Maximum length 5 pages excluding references.
3. Budget including personnel, equipment, supplies, services and other costs, and budget justification. Faculty and resident salaries will not be supported by these funds.
4. Complete CORE grant applications or resident research block proposals may be submitted without modification.
5. Submit to Holly Kassay (hlt6t@virginia.edu) by close of business on July 1 or the next business day.

For questions or assistance with developing a proposal, contact Dr. Jameson (mark.jameson@virginia.edu).