Opportunity Summary
Vascular Cures’ Wylie Scholar Program is building a pipeline of innovators in vascular health. We provide 3-year career development grants to outstanding young vascular surgeon-scientists who combine active patient care with academic research. The award supports crucial research that enables them to compete for future research funding.

The award may be used to support research in basic science, translational, clinical research, outcomes/health services research, teaching, community service, and patient care.

Eligibility & Requirements:
Candidates must:
• hold a full-time faculty appointment as a vascular surgeon with active privileges at the SOM
• hold a valid and current certification from the American Board of Surgery, or the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, in general surgery or vascular surgery.
• be an active, practicing clinical vascular surgeon.
• not be currently funded by a career development award from the National Institutes of Health, Veterans Affairs, American Heart Association, or similar extramural funding agencies.
• have a research mentor who will be an additional resource for his or her research.
• prepare and present a challenging research plan to be completed during the term of the award.

The Chairman of the Department of Surgery must guarantee that the candidate will have 40% protected time available to devote to the research investigation, as well as facilities, equipment and resources to execute the proposed studies.

The candidate is expected to participate in the Vascular Cures Wylie Scholar award event each year during their research grant tenure. This includes participating in a scientific interchange with Vascular Cures Board of Directors and donors. Up to $1,800 of the annual stipend may be used for travel expenses and one night of lodging.

Internal Nomination Process:
Interested applicants should submit the following documents:

1. **JHU Limited Submission Cover Sheet**
2. Proposal (maximum of two pages of text only, single spaced: 12-pt font and one-inch margins)
   (Note: figures, tables, and other reference material may be included in addition to the 2 pg. text limit)
3. Curriculum Vitae of investigator, including current external research support and publications
4. Letter of nomination from chair of Department of Surgery or the chief of the division of vascular surgery

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