Limited Submissions
Sponsor: National Institutes of Health (NIH)
Program: Autoimmunity Centers of Excellence, Clinical Research Program (UM1 Clinical Trial Required)

Estimated Award Amount: $5,750,000 (direct costs only)
JHU Nomination Limit: 1
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Deadlines:
Internal Deadline: May 8, 2018
Sponsor Deadline: June 22, 2018

Opportunity Summary
This FOA solicits applications for the Clinical research program of the Autoimmunity Centers of Excellence (ACE). The companion FOA, RFA-AI-18-002, solicits applications to the Basic research program of the ACE. The goal of the ACE is to conduct insightful analyses of human immunology, as it applies to autoimmune disease(s), within and among collaborative Centers and especially in the context of Clinical Projects, i.e., clinical trials with integrated mechanistic studies. The members of the Clinical and Basic ACE will work together after award to design, develop, and conduct studies of autoimmunity and autoimmune diseases in humans. This approach is expected to advance our fundamental understanding of human autoimmunity, identify common and distinct mechanisms in the pathogenesis of autoimmune diseases, and clarify mechanisms of action of immune-modulating agents used in therapy or tested in clinical trials.

Eligibility & Requirements:
- An individual may serve as PD/PI on an application to either this Clinical ACE program FOA or the companion Basic ACE program FOA (RFA-AI-18-002) but not both.
- An individual may serve as Project Leader or in another role (non-PD/PI) on applications to both FOAs.

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. Budget (two pages maximum)

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