



Office of Foundation Relations

Funding Opportunity

Sponsor: The Howard Hughes
Medical Institute (HHMI)

Program: Investigator Program

Estimated Award Amount: Full-Time Salary
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Deadlines:

Application Support Request: February 7, 2020
Full Application: March 18, 2020

Opportunity Summary:

The Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI) is seeking creative and innovative scientists to join its Investigator Program. Through this competition, HHMI will expand their community of basic researchers and physician scientists across the nation who catalyze discovery research in basic and biomedical sciences, plant biology, evolutionary biology, biophysics, chemical biology, biomedical engineering, and computational biology.

Information sessions featuring a Q&A with a current HHMI Investigator will be offered on the following dates:

Homewood Campus

Tuesday, December 10th – Malone Hall, Room 107

11:30AM-12:30PM

East Baltimore Campus

Thursday, December 19th – Pre-Clinical Teaching Building (PCTB), Room 113

10:00AM-11:00AM

Eligibility & Requirements:

- Hold a PhD and/or MD (or the equivalent).
- Have a tenured or tenure-track position as an assistant professor or higher academic rank (or the equivalent) at an eligible US institution.
- Have more than five but no more than 15 years of post-training, professional experience, with their first professional appointment having begun no earlier than March 1, 2005, and no later than April 1, 2015.
- Are the principal investigator on one or more active, national, peer-reviewed research grants with an initial duration of at least three years as of April 1, 2020. Mentored awards and training grants do not qualify.

Internal Nomination Process:

Feedback from a committee of senior faculty members familiar with the HHMI Investigator program will be available for applicants who meet the following conditions:

1. Send a one-sentence statement of interest to foundationrelations@jhu.edu **no later than January 22, 2020**
2. Submit the following materials from the HHMI Investigator application to <https://jhu.infoready4.com/#competitionDetail/1802348> **no later than February 7th, 2020** -
 - A summary of the applicant's major research contributions (250 words)
 - An abstract providing an overview of the biological questions and goals of the applicant's research program (300 word maximum)
 - A description of the applicant's ongoing and planned research program (3,000 word maximum)
 - May include up to one page of figures and a list of essential references
 - Five selected articles that highlight the applicant's most important scientific contributions with a focus on the most recent five years, as well as paragraphs describing the significance and impact of each contribution
 - Additional applicant information such as a bibliography, list of current research support, education, and training

Questions? Comments? Email the Office of Foundation Relations at FoundationRelations@jhu.edu.