

Research Grant - Selection and Funding.

Funds are donated from Pharmaceutical companies for the sole purpose of research.

They expect confirmation of: receipt of funds;
research projects selected;
progress reports; and
acknowledgement of funding in any published paper from the research project.

Selection of Research projects:

Research projects with the following basic information are submitted to the Academic sub-committee for appraisal and if deemed worthy, submitted to the Exco for finalization of selection for funding:

- A. Research Project:** Title / description
Applicant/s who will execute the research
Supervisor who will oversee the project
- B. Protocols:** Aim of the project
Methodology
Selection/exclusion criteria
Ethical considerations
Statistical validity
Department approval
Etc.
- C. Time frame:** Anticipated commencement to time of completion.
- D. Full cost:** break down of the anticipated cost of the project to reflect the full consideration.
- E. Cash flow requirement:** How the release of Funds employed over the anticipated time frame will be required. Note: release of funds at each tranche subject to interim report on progress to the President of the Society.

EXCO Ratification:

The research projects deemed worthy of funding by the Academic sub-committee are presented, by their representative, at the EXCO meeting with the basic information as required above. Subject to availability of funds, all or some of the projects will be accepted for funding.

The Secretary will inform the successful applicants and the financing will be administered by the Treasurer subject to the agreed releases, pending progress reports confirmed by the President.