The Schwartz Research Fund for Women in the Life Sciences

Description: Two or more grants of up to $12,500 each will be awarded in 2016 to female faculty in the life sciences who display outstanding promise for conducting creative research. With the exception of equipment purchases and faculty salaries, grants from the Schwartz Research Fund may be applied toward a wide variety of expenses with the goal of supporting current research (for example: travel and lodging for research and/or conferences for grantees and/or students/postdocs, consultants, undergraduate/graduate/postdoc support, and/or other specific scientific needs).

Eligibility: All Ithaca-based female faculty conducting research in the life sciences are invited to apply.

Application procedure: Application (guidelines below) and budget summary (reverse page).

Reporting requirements: One- to three-page final report, including an expenditure report; grantees are encouraged to meet with the Schwartzes when the family is on campus, or to connect by phone call.

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Required Application Materials and Application Guidelines
(Maximum three pages, not including cover page, CV, and letter of support)

- Cover page
- Brief descriptive title
- Justification
  - This statement should make a case for why the grant is needed, including how the grant will benefit the applicant professionally in ways that would otherwise not be possible.
- Timeline of proposed activities for which funding is sought
- Budget summary and budget justification.
- Applicant’s CV
- Mentor or chair’s letter of support (maximum two pages)
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Cover Page

Use additional lines as needed

APPLICANT and CONTACT DETAILS

UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT and COLLEGE

TITLE OF PROPOSAL

PROJECTED EXPENSES

PERSONNEL (students, postdocs, consultants) $ 

TRAVEL (including conference/symposia registration fees) $ 

MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES (directly related to project, but not equipment) $ 

TOTAL FUNDS REQUESTED: $