VIEW NEW RESEARCH GRANTS AND CONTRACTS

Harnessing cancer's nemesis

Diana Gil Pagés, an investigator in the Roy Blunt NextGen Precision Health building, and her team are weaponizing the immune system against cancer. Learn more about their individualized health care approach, a welcome change for cancer patients exposed to less-targeted conventional treatments.

Augmenting discovery, art, imagination

In April, the Division of Research awarded the final round of 2023-24 Research Council Grants for faculty projects and activities. See who received funding this academic year.

Show Me Student Success

More than 500 students presented a research project or creative work at Show Me Research Week, MU's primary student-centered interdisciplinary research event. See award winners, photo galleries and other coverage.

Ready. Set. Compute.

The creation of computational-based simulations just became simpler with the integration of a newly adopted web portal called OnDemand. Now users can upload, download and access high-performance computing software from any device.
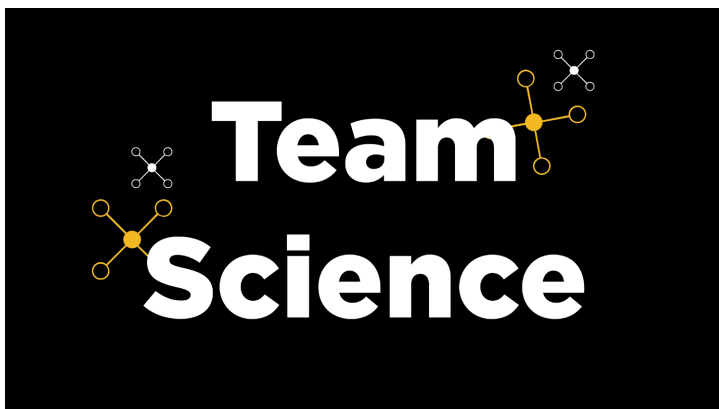

From athlete to scientist

Kim Jasmer first visited Mizzou as a competitive swimmer but is now an assistant research professor in the Gary Weisman lab at the Bond Life Sciences Center, which studies Sjögren's disease. Jasmer recently received her first NIH grant as a principal investigator for this work.

Funding and professional development

Apply for mini-grants

The Connector is still accepting applications for one-time grants of up to $10,000 to fund summer enrichment opportunities for Missouri children pre-K through 12th grade. Submit your proposal before funds are depleted.

Spark new research collabs

The Professional Development team offers grant proposal assistance and customizes Team Science events to help investigators find new connections, lines of inquiry and funding opportunities. Submit a request for a fall semester consultation or event.

Important dates

Deadlines

Limited submissions funding
May 6: DOD Defense Established Program to Stimulate Competitive Research

May 20: NIH Diabetes Research Centers

June 17: Searle Scholars (early career faculty)

Institutional Biosafety Committee (IBC)
May 20: Submit research protocols for June 20 meeting.

Institutional Review Board (IRB)
May 25: Submit human subjects research applications, amendments and annual updates for June 12 full board review.

Events

HRPP/IRB research compliance seminar
May 13, 2 p.m. (virtual) — MU as the IRB of Record for Multisite Studies (Request Zoom link)

Extra Credit film series
May 13, 6 p.m. (Ragtag Cinema) – "Drop Dead Gorgeous" and researcher panel discussion

NextGen Precision Health Discovery Series
May 14, noon (Patient-Centered Care Learning Center or virtual) — "Translational Research in the Era of Precision Medicine: Enhancing Care if Cure Is Not Possible" (Register)

Grant Connections meeting
May 22, 10 a.m. (virtual) – "How to Engage, Support and Educate Faculty: Relationship Development" (Zoom link)

Things to know

Unveiling a tapestry of time

A new 12-panel mural in the Geological Sciences Building provides visitors with a visually immersive exploration of Earth's history. Associate Professor Jim Schiffbauer and his team spent months researching, designing, painting and installing the timeline.

More research news

Faculty authors recognized

Forty-one faculty who published or edited a book in 2023 were honored April 25 during Faculty Excellence Week. Interim Provost and Executive Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs Matthew Martens congratulated them for adding to the broader knowledge base in their fields.

More accolades

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