

Seed Funding Scheme 2019

A maximum of £50,000 over 18 months is available for each project selected.

Details of the Scheme

This call is aimed at and primarily to allow Junior Group Leaders (i.e. during their first 6 years as an independent PI, taking into account any periods of maternity/paternity leave etc) to develop new collaborations that span disciplines and/or themes. Two awards are available for junior CSCI PIs and one is available for a junior affiliated PI.

Funds may be used to cover personnel, consumables, equipment or technology and exchange visits. Project proposals will be judged on the extent to which they create new collaborations, scientific originality, feasibility of achieving key milestones within 18 months, and prospects for attracting subsequent funding.

Please note:

- Projects will be funded to a maximum of £50,000 and it is expected that the award would start within 3 months and should be completed within 18 months.
- This call will not consider applications for extensions to existing funded projects.

Successful applicants will be expected to submit a report on their project at the end of the funding period and present the funding outcomes at the Institute Annual Retreat.

How to Apply

Complete the application form and submit to Anthea Stanley (ajs333@cam.ac.uk)

Deadline for applications: 30th September 2019