



Office of Corporate and Foundation Relations

A curated list of upcoming Corporate and Foundation grant opportunities for Rowan University

Faculty interested in applying to one or more of the organizations below should reach out to cfr@rowan.edu

Funder: American Cancer Society

Program Link: [Multiple](#)

Deadline: June 1, 2026

Amount: See RFP for details

The American Cancer Society offers several research grants for all levels of **cancer** researchers, including Mission Boost grants, Research Scholars Grants, Clinical Scientist Development Grants and specific programs in Leukemia Research.

Funder: Cure Starts Now

Program Link: [Research Grants](#)

Deadline: June 1, 2026

Amount: \$200,000 - \$1,000,000

Cure Starts Now continues to fund basic and translational research and clinical trials that further efforts in a homerun cure strategy for **pediatric brain cancer**. Their core initiatives focus on diffuse intrinsic pontine glioma (DIPG), diffuse midline glioma (DMG) and Medulloblastoma, although they are willing to fund other forms of brain cancer.

Funder: Kennedy's Disease Association

Program Link: [Research Grants](#)

Deadline: June 1, 2026

Amount: \$200,000

The Association is committed to accelerating research that improves understanding, diagnosis, and treatment of **Kennedy's Disease**, also known as Spinal and Bulbar Muscular Atrophy (SBMA) through all areas of research.

Funder: Histiocytosis Association

Program Link: [Research Grants](#)

Deadline: June 2, 2026

Amount: \$50,000 - \$500,000

The Association offers grants for scientific research are accepted for studies into the causes, mechanisms, and improved means of treatment for **histiocytic disorders**.

Funder: Lung Cancer Research Foundation

Program Link: [Pollution and Climate Change](#)

Deadline: June 2, 2026

Amount: \$200,000

The Foundation seeks to support research that examines the impact of **climate change and environmental pollution** on **lung cancer risk**, diagnosis, treatment, and outcomes and identifies strategies to mitigate these effects. Topics of interest include: Impact of climate change on cancer incidence and prevalence; Screening for lung cancer in a warming climate; Understanding the impact of extreme weather events on lung cancer; The role of air pollution and lung cancer in never-smokers; Research into which environmental carcinogens cause lung cancer.

Funder: Gerda Henkel Foundation

Program Link: [Democracy Programme](#)

Deadline: June 3, 2026 (Pre-Application)

Amount: TBD

The Gerda Henkel Foundation has established a new program for democracy, which seeks to support scholarship in the following areas:

1. Democracy as a Utopia, Experience and Threats aims at placing current issues in the broader historical context and considering the history of conflicts over the foundation of the social order.

2. Transformations of Democracy? Or: The Contours of Future Democratic Society represents an invitation to venture contributions, speculations and assertions so that we might learn to better understand the complex present-day situation and the processes of profound transformation that are taking shape while also trying to trace the contours of future society.

Funder: Foundation for Sarcoidosis Research

Program Link: [Pilot Grants](#)

Deadline: June 4, 2026 (LOI)

Amount: \$100,000

The Foundation supports research into the broad **sarcoidosis** space, with a particular emphasis on the following work: Standardization of Patient-Centered Outcomes; Biomarkers for Disease Prognosis/Progression; Diagnostic Innovation; Quality of Patient Care; and Treatment Monitoring.

Funder: Velux Stiftung

Program Link: [Daylight Research](#)

Deadline: June 4, 2026

Amount: CHF 50'000 - CHF 300'000

The Foundation seeks interdisciplinary research to leverage the **benefits of daylight** by bridging disciplines to accelerate innovation and address complex challenges, which are relevant to our society and our environment. They are particularly interested in research on the following topics: **Future Solar Societies** that rely on daylight to power sustainable energy systems; **Daylight and Global Health** to support public health and ecosystem resilience; and **Daylight in Urban Planning** to improve land use and efficiency.

Funder: Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation

Program Link: [EPIQS Investigators](#)

Deadline: June 5, 2026 (Pre-Application)

Amount: \$2,000,000

The Foundation's Experimental Investigator awards support experimental studies of **quantum materials** to pursue discovery of new emergent electronic and magnetic phenomena in solids, elucidate the origin of previously known emergent phenomena, develop new experimental techniques for probing or controlling quantum materials, or substantially enhance the performance of existing techniques.

Funder: ICRG

Program Link: [Multiple](#)

Deadline: June 5, 2026

Amount: \$50,000

The International Center for Responsible Gaming is offering grant proposals on the below topics:

1. Research on **Gambling Disorders** and Responsible Gaming
 2. Research on **Sports Betting**, Fan Behavior, and Athlete Well-Being
 3. Research on **Gambling Behaviors and Risks among College Athletes and Students**
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Funder: NIHCM

Program Link: [Policy Research Grants](#)

Deadline: June 8, 2026 (LOI)

Amount: ~\$50,000

The National Institute of Health Care Management supports policy research that builds the evidence base to strategies that improve the affordability, accessibility, and quality of **health care in the U.S.** Areas of interest include: Health care costs and quality; Health care consolidation; Artificial Intelligence; Prescription drugs and technology; Rural health; and, Maternal health.

Funder: Jacobs Foundation

Program Link: [LEVANTE Network](#)

Deadline: June 10, 2026

Amount: TBD

The Foundation supports new proposals to join the LEVANTE, which seeks to coordinate educational research on how individual variability, group heterogeneity, and contextual variability influence **children's learning and development.** By including data collection of common measures on these different areas at a global level, LEVANTE will help researchers understand child development within individuals, within groups, and across contexts.

Funder: Morris Animal Foundation

Program Link: [Equid Health](#)

Deadline: June 10, 2026 (LOI)

Amount: TBD

The Foundation supports broad research, including basic and clinical research, into equine health for PIs across the career spectrum.

Funder: National PKU Alliance

Program Link: [Research Grants](#)

Deadline: June 15, 2026 (LOI)

Amount: \$50,000

The Research Grant Program aims to advance the science of **Phenylketonuria** (PKU) by funding the most promising research that will lead to enhanced management, new therapeutic approaches and ultimately a cure to improve the lives of individuals with PKU.

Funder: LAM Foundation

Program Link: [Research Grants](#)

Deadline: June 15, 2026 (LOI)

Amount: \$25,000 - \$50,000

The Foundation supports broad basic, translations, clinical and epidemiological research into **Lymphangiomyomatosis** (LAM). For this round, the Foundation is particularly interested in discovering new treatments for LAM and improving patient quality of life.

Funder: Gates Foundation

Program Link: [Diarrheal Diseases](#)

Deadline: June 16, 2026

Amount: \$1,500,000

The Gates Foundation invites proposals to generate independent, policy-relevant estimates of the **global burden of diarrheal diseases**, with a focus on mortality and morbidity in children under five living in low- and middle-income countries (LMICs). The proposed work should inform the relative importance of diarrhea as a cause of mortality and morbidity in children under five and clarify which pathogens are responsible for the largest share of burden

Funder: National Multiple Sclerosis Society

Program Link: [Aging Research](#)

Deadline: June 17, 2026 (LOI)

Amount: \$200,000

The National MS Society is requesting seed grant applications for early-stage research to clarify the impact of **aging in MS**. Work is expected to address gaps in understanding how chronological and biological aging affect MS. See RFP for specific areas of interest.

Funder: Smith Richardson Foundation

Program Link: [Policy Fellows](#)

Deadline: June 22, 2026

Amount: \$60,000

Available to researchers who received their Ph.D. in the past seven years, the Foundation supports time and resources to those studying **foreign policy, international relations, international security, military policy, and diplomatic and military history**, to research and write a book.

Funder: American Philosophical Association

Program Link: [Small Grant Fund](#)

Deadline: June 30, 2026

Amount: \$5,000

The Association supports projects that expand and enhance the **field of philosophy**, including research, education and training, community outreach and creation of other public benefit materials.

Funder: Association for Iron and Steel Technology

Program Link: [Sustainable Technologies](#)

Deadline: June 30, 2026

Amount: \$30,000

The Association supports teams from engineering, science and mathematics departments to secure grant funding for education and programming in areas of **sustainable technologies for steel manufacturing**, including decarbonization and carbon capture, utilization and storage. Professors can use funds to promote the industry to students interested in sustainable technology.

Funder: NVIDIA

Program Link: [Higher Education Research](#)

Deadline: June 30, 2026

Amount: GB Hours /GPUs

NVIDIA provides GB Hours and up to eight GPUs to academics conducting work to areas of interest to the company to include 1) **Simulation and Modeling** related to quantum computing and physics-informed machine learning; 2) **Data Science** to include data processing and analytics, operational research and route optimization, statistical methods, graph analytics, graph neural networks, and visual analytics; and, 3) **Robotics and Edge AI** to include autonomous vehicles, 5G/6G, smart spaces, and federated learning.