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New This Week

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DoD Kidney Cancer Research Funding Webinar Recording Available

The American Urological Association (AUA) and CDMRP Program Manager Dr. Theresa Miller held an informational webinar on applying for the 2019 research funding opportunities through the Department of Defense (DoD) Congressionally Directed Medical Research Program (CDMRP) [Kidney Cancer Research Program \(KCRP\)](#). This webinar is a valuable tool for anyone seeking support for kidney cancer research, and will provide important guidance for understanding the current grant opportunities and submitting your grant application. **The letter of intent deadline for all applications is September 17, 2019.**

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Create Evidence-based Data through the 2019 AUA Annual Census

The [2019 AUA Annual Census](#) contains a module **specifically for researchers**, which includes questions from AUA Research Council and Committee leaders. By participating in the AUA Annual Census, you are helping the AUA gain knowledge to address the challenges researchers face in areas such as funding opportunities, research team composition and adequate time allocation. Share your experiences through the Census and help influence the future of urologic research. You could also win a commemorative AUA2019 Census duffel bag!

[Take Census](#)

NIA Director's Regional Meeting

The next [National Institute of Aging \(NIA\)](#) Director's Regional Meeting will take place on **November 7, 2019 in Portland, Maine**. This meeting is intended to provide information on existing opportunities for research and training, provide technical assistance in grant writing, solicit advice on the design of new research opportunities, and gain strategies for recruiting underrepresented students and investigators to aging research. Individuals looking to learn more about research and aging, including those new to field as well as those underrepresented in aging research, are invited to participate.

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Travel Award Applications Due this Month! StoneLab Scientific Symposium

This meeting, co-hosted by the AUA and the [Endourological Society](#), is focused on interdisciplinary and innovative translational research in kidney stone disease and will be held on **December 6–7, 2019 at AUA Headquarters in Linthicum, Maryland**. The symposium will create an opportunity where premier kidney stone and nephrology researchers can come together with experts in biomedical engineering, physics, chemistry, artificial intelligence, and medical device design and development, with the aim of "thinking outside the box" in the search for advances in kidney stone treatment. **The travel award application deadline is September 23, 2019.**

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Abstracts Due Next Week - Neurogenic Bladder Research Group Multidisciplinary Think Tank Symposium

This interdisciplinary neurogenic bladder research symposium will be held on **October 5, 2019 at the Houston Methodist Research Institute in Houston, Texas**. The meeting will gather physician scientists and researchers from disciplines including urology, gynecology, pediatrics, neuroscience, and physics, and provide a platform for emerging scientists to propose purposeful and feasible research plans in neurogenic bladder. **The abstract submission deadline is September 16, 2019.**

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Annual Fall Scientific Meeting of the SMSNA

The [Sexual Medicine Society of North America \(SMSNA\)](#) will hold its annual fall scientific meeting on **October 24-27, 2019 at the Omni Nashville Hotel in Nashville, Tennessee**. This meeting will offer a broad range of learning and networking opportunities, from updates on cutting-edge surgical techniques and medical management approaches, to the latest basic and clinical research developments in the field, all in an ideal environment for the sharing of new ideas and establishment of collaborations.

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New Eligibility Changes for the Urology Care Foundation's Residency Research Award Program

After more than ten years as a successful program to support surgeon-scientist training, the [Urology Care Foundation Residency Research Award Program](#) has been restructured to increase support for a wider community of residents interested in pursuing urologic research. Changes include:

- **Funding Amount:** \$10,000 per award. Institutional support must be demonstrated in the application,

though matching funds are no longer required.

- **Allowable Costs:** Restricted to research supplies and other resources needed to conduct the research project and the resident's research training.
- **Award Period:** 3-12 months.
- **Level of Effort:** 80% protected time for the duration of the project.

Full details of the award will be available in the Program Announcement when the competition opens in October. Prospective applicants may contact grantsmanager@auanet.org with questions.

Prevention of Lower Urinary Tract Symptoms (PLUS) Research Consortium Clinical Research Centers (U01 Clinical Trial Optional)

The PLUS Research Consortium will use qualitative and quantitative strategies to conduct collaborative, transdisciplinary studies to establish the scientific basis for future intervention studies to promote bladder health and prevent lower urinary tract symptoms (LUTS) and associated bladder conditions in adolescent and adult women across the life course. This announcement invites applications for [Clinical Research Centers](#) to build on foundational work to establish a longitudinal cohort study with the intent of identifying plausible targets for future intervention studies. **The application deadline is November 7, 2019.**

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Prevention of Lower Urinary Tract Symptoms (PLUS) Research Consortium Scientific and Data Coordinating Center (U24 Clinical Trial Optional)

The purpose of this announcement is to invite applications for a PLUS Research Consortium [Scientific and Data Center](#) to build on foundational work to establish a longitudinal cohort study with the intent of identifying plausible targets for future intervention studies. The consortium will also conduct a range of additional studies to facilitate the success of future intervention and implementation studies. **The application deadline is November 7, 2019.**

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