





Deadline	Fri 01 Oct 2021 8:00 pm EST applicants Mon 01 Nov 2021 8:00 pm EST supervisors & reference letters
Call name	Life Sciences Research Foundation Fellowships 2022
www	http://www.lsrf.org/apply
Focused on	Postdoctoral 3-year research stipend in life sciences at a research institution in the U.S. (or abroad for U.S. citizens)
Applicant	Postdocs of any nationality with a PhD completed no more than 5 years prior to the application deadline date (U.S. citizens are eligible to work in any geographic location, non-U.S. citizens must work in a U.S. laboratory)
Host institution	American non-profit universities or research institutions (research institutions around the world)
Expected outputs	Research; (J) Reviewed publications
Call opens	mid-Aug 2021
Final deadline	Fri 01 Oct 2021 8:00 pm EST applicants Mon 01 Nov 2021 8:00 pm EST supervisors & reference letters
Evaluation results	late January 2022 announcement of 50–60 finalists February-August 2022 finalists are notified if funding is secured for their project 01 Aug 2022 award activation date – this is the only possible activation date
Signature of agreement	Before Wed 15 Jul 2021
Earliest date of implementation	01 Aug 2022
Latest date of	31 Jul 2025
implementation	
Sustainability	None
Reporting	3 Scientific reports (1–5 pages; Y1 + Y2 by 15 Aug), (1-6 pages; final by 30 Sep of Y3)
	4 Financial reports (use Excel template; Y1, Y2, Y3, final)
Project duration (min-max)	36 months (between 01 Aug 2022 – 31 Jul 2025)
Allocation for the call	NA (24 awards from 58 finalists and approx. 900 applications in 2021)
Project budget (min-max)	\$201,000
Success rate	2–3%
Eligible costs	Stipend/salary \$57,000 per year Research allowance (laboratory supplies, scientific meetings, travel costs, LSRF Annual Meetings, small equipment; up to \$3,000/year out-of-pocket health care or childcare costs) \$10,000 per year No part of this grant can be used for indirect costs & institutional overheads. The Award requires the host institution to commit funds to cover the awardee's health/fringe benefit costs.
Mode of funding	Ex-ante (paid quarterly to the host institution: 01 Aug, 01 Nov, 01 Feb, 01 May)
Language of application	English
Provider	Life Sciences Research Foundation, PO Box 1482, Cockeysville, MD 21030-7482, USA, www.lsrf.org Please direct application submission questions to: apply@lsrf.org
Call identifier	LSRF Fellowships 2022
Call info	Life Sciences Research Foundation (LSRF) identifies and funds exceptional young scientists at a critical juncture of their training in all areas of basic life sciences and provides a high-quality peer-review service to anyone (individual, foundation, company) wishing to sponsor a fellow who shares their vision of important research.
Conditions / Restrictions	Applicants must have received their PhD degrees no more than 5 years prior to the application deadline date. U.S. citizens are eligible to work in any geographic location, non-U.S. citizens must work in a U.S. laboratory. Supervisor and all referee's names and email addresses must be listed by the applicant before the deadline Fri 1 Oct 2021 8:00 pm EST. Verify that all email addresses listed are correct and current.

	Applicants will not be able to change referees or to upload any additional material after the deadline Fri 1 Oct 2021 8:00 pm EST.
	A laboratory may have only one LSRF fellow at a time.
	LSRF does not require a budget, college transcripts, animal certification
	documents or any type of visa documents.
	No indirect or overhead costs may be charged to the fellowship.
	August 1 is the only award activation date.
	Awardees are required to submit annual scientific progress reports and the host
	institution is required to submit annual financial reports.
	Awardees are required to attend LSRF Annual Meetings held in October.
	Fellows can ask LSRF to withhold up to \$5,000/year. If the fellow moves to a non-
	profit institution in the U.S. the escrow fund (up to \$15,000) will be reverted to the
	fellow as a one-time mini-grant.
	The award may not be used for any other salary but the awardee, nor is it meant to
	provide general support for the research supervisor or lab.
	All equipment purchased with the research allowance funds is considered the
	awardee's property to take with them at the end of the award period.
Proposal consists of	Online application, https://lsrf.secure-platform.com/a
	1) Application info (online form) (applicant)
	2) Research proposal : research plan with figures & tables (be concise, max 5
	pages + 2 pages for the literature cited uploaded as a pdf) (applicant & supervisor)
	3) Letter of support from supervisor: should acknowledge acceptance of the
	applicant to the laboratory, the role expected of the applicant in the broad
	framework, the degree of independence the applicant will have and the willingness
	of the institution to administer the award (supervisor, submitted before Mon 01
	Nov 2021 8:00 pm EST)
	4) Three letters of reference, must come from associates who can critically
	appraise the applicant's qualifications, 1 letter should be from applicant's PhD
	advisor (referees, submitted before Mon 01 Nov 2021 8:00 pm EST)
Evaluation criteria	1) The quality of the research proposal (importance of the problem, originality of
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	2) The qualifications, experience and productivity of both the applicant and the
	supervisor.
	3) Sponsor matches with a fellow with similar research interests.
December or see	
Research areas	Life sciences
Call workshop	None
IOCB contact	Please inform the IOCB Project Office about your intention to apply.
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Download documents	LSRF-Fellowships_2022 Summary
	LSRF-Fellowships_2022 Instructions
	LSRF-Fellowships_2022 Award Details
	LSRF-Fellowships_2022 Eligibility Flow Chart
	LSRF-Fellowships_2022 Blank Sample Application Form
	LSRF-Fellowships_2022 FAQ