

UNTHSC
Intramural Review of CPRIT High-Impact/ High-Risk Research Awards

Your preliminary CPRIT High-Impact / High-Risk pre-proposal has undergone internal review and has been selected to participate in the final internal review process to determine the two UNTHSC CPRIT High-Impact-High Risk Research Award applications that will be submitted to the State. Members of the HIT Cancer Institute will make the final two selections.

Please complete the information below and submit to sri@unthsc.edu by May 3, 2010, 5:00 pm. You will be notified of review outcome by May 10th, 2010

Principal Investigator: _____

School: _____

Co-Investigator (s): _____

Project Title: _____

Abstract /Significance Section: (There is a 5,000 character limit (including spaces) for the abstract / significance section)

Biosketches of PI, Col and up to two additional investigators

***To assist you in preparing the most competitive applications we recommend you address the following questions as you organize your abstract/significance and layperson summary sections. As indicated in the RFA these questions will be used as criteria for primary peer review by the State independent review panels.**

Have you included a clearly defined hypothesis or goal for your research?

Why is conventional support not available for the project?

How does your research have the potential for high scientific payoff?

Does the proposed research have a high degree of relevance to cancer research?

Have you clearly addressed how the proposed project if successful will have a major impact on the field of cancer research or on the care of patients with cancer?

If your project is successful how it would contribute to major new insights into the etiology, diagnosis, treatment or prevention of cancer?

Have you summarized how the proposed research creates new paradigms or challenges existing ones?

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PROPOSAL PI _____ PROPOSAL # _____
PROPOSAL CO-PI _____

MAXIMUM SCORE = 10 POINTS

A. Innovative Potential of Proposal (6 points)

point total: _____

If the proposed project is successful how would it contribute to major new insights into the etiology, diagnosis, treatment or prevention of cancer?

What is the relevance of the proposed research to cancer research and how will it move the field of prevention, diagnosis or treatment of cancer forward?

What is the innovative potential of the proposed project?

What new paradigms does the proposed research cite or what existing paradigms does the proposed research challenge?

Does the proposed project develop state-of the-art technologies, methods, tools or resources for cancer research or address important under or unexplored areas?

B. Clarity/ Conciseness of Submission (2 points)

point total: _____

Has a clearly defined hypothesis or goal been included?

Does the application capture the essence of the research proposed in a short and concise fashion?

C. Soundness of extramural funding plan (2 points)

point total: _____

Why is conventional support not available for the proposed research?

How will short term funding lead to strong proposals for additional support?

TOTAL SCORE: _____

A Ranking Sheet will be included so each individual reviewer can rank the proposals they reviewed