

Research Training and Career Development Opportunities Related to Hearing Loss

Funding Agency: American Academy of Audiology (AAA) Main Web Site: www.audiology.org/academiaresearch/Research/Awardprograms		
Mechanism	Type of Award	Description
New Investigator Research Award	Research award	Awards up to \$10,000 to new doctoral level audiologist who lacks significant research funding
Student Investigator Research Award	Research award	Awards up to \$5,000 for graduate audiology students to complete a research project as part of their course of study
Student Summer Research Fellowship	Research award	Stipend of \$2,500 for senior undergraduate or graduate students enrolled in audiology program who are seeking limited, but significant, research exposure
Funding Agency: Agency for Healthcare Research Quality (AHRQ), U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Main Web Site: http://www.ahrq.gov/fund/grantix.htm		
Mechanism	Type of Award	Description
AHRQ Minority Research Infrastructure Support Program (M-RISP)	Infrastructure support	To strengthen the research environments of minority institutions through grant support for developing and/or expanding existing capacities for conducting research in health services
AHRQ Grants for Health Services Research Dissertation (R36)	Dissertation research grant	Supports dissertation research on methodological and research topics addressing AHRQ mission and interests
Individual Predoctoral Fellowships to Promote Diversity in Health-Related Research (F31)	Fellowship F31	Supports training of predoctoral students from underrepresented groups

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AHRQ Individual Awards for Postdoctoral Fellows (F32)	Fellowship F32	One to three years of academic training and/or supervised experience in applying quantitative and/or qualitative research methods to the systematic analysis and evaluation of health care services addressing mission of AHRQ
AHRQ Independent Scientist Award (K02)	Career development	Support for newly independent scientists who can demonstrate the need for a period of intensive research focus
AHRQ Mentored Clinical Scientist Development Award (K08)	Career development	Provides support for the development of outstanding research scientists with potential to become independent investigators
AHRQ/NICHD Midcareer Investigator Award in Patient-Oriented Research (K24)	Career Development	Provides protected time for midcareer clinical investigators, who have a record of research support, to conduct patient-oriented research and to serve as research mentors
Funding Agency: National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research, Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, U.S. Department of Education		
Main Web Site: http://www.ed.gov/fund/grant/find/edlite-forecast.html		
Mechanism	Type of Award	Description
Advanced Rehabilitation Research Training (ARRT) Centers	Training program	Provides postdoctoral training in rehabilitation research. For additional information contact Tom Corfman at Thomas.Corfman@ed.gov .
Field Initiated Program	Training program	For established or more junior researchers to develop methods, procedures, and rehabilitation technology. For additional information contact David Keer at David.Keer@ed.gov .

<p>Funding Agency: Maternal and Child Health Bureau (MCHB), Health Resources and Services Administration, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services</p> <p>Main Web Site: http://www.mchb.hrsa.gov/training/</p>		
Mechanism	Type of Award	Description
Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and Related Disabilities (LEND)	Training Program	LEND grants provide interdisciplinary training to enhance the clinical expertise and leadership skills of health professionals dedicated to caring for children with disabilities. For additional information see http://www.aucd.org/aucd_lend.htm .
Communication Disorders	Individual Opportunities	For more information, please contact anne.m.tharpe@vanderbilt.edu or annmarie-owen@ouhsc.edu
<p>Funding Agency: National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) and National Institute on Deafness and Other Communications Disorders (NIDCD), National Institutes of Health, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services</p> <p>Main Web Site: http://www.nichd.nih.gov/funding/position/individual_institutional.cfm and http://www.nidcd.nih.gov/research/training/</p>		
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Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Awards for Individual Predoctoral MD/PhD Fellows (F30) (NIDCD)	Predoctoral Fellowship	Predoctoral training for M.D./Ph.D. fellows
National Research Service Award (NRSA) for Individual Predoctoral Fellows (F31) (NIDCD)	Predoctoral Fellowship	Research training of dissertation-stage doctoral candidates

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Main Web Site: http://www.nichd.nih.gov/funding/position/individual_institutional.cfm and http://www.nidcd.nih.gov/research/training/		
Mentored Research Scientist Development Award (K01) (NIDCD)	Career Development	Retooling and transition of junior- and midcareer-level scientists and clinicians into: 1) Translational research (i.e., the application of basic research discoveries toward advancing the diagnosis, management and prevention of deafness and other communication disorders); and 2) Clinical research
NRSA Short-Term Institutional Research Training Grants (T35) (NIDCD)	Fellowship	Short-term research experiences to students in professional doctoral programs in audiology leading to the Au.D. Degree
Small Grant Program (R03) (NIDCD)	Research Project Grant	Small-scale research project conducted by a postdoctoral fellow who is transitioning to research independence or a recently independent faculty-level investigator who has not previously held a full-scale federal research grant as principal investigator; For more information, please visit: http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-06-263.html , http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/notice-files/NOT-DC-05-003.html , or http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/notice-files/NOT-DC-06-002.html
Predoctoral Fellowships (F31) to Promote Diversity in Health-Related Research (NIDCD/NICHD)	Predocctoral Fellowship	Supports predoctoral training for students from underrepresented racial and ethnic groups, individuals with disabilities, and individuals from disadvantaged backgrounds
NRSA for Individual Postdoctoral Fellows (F32) (NIDCD/NICHD)	Postdoctoral Fellowship	Supports postdoctoral research training to promising applicants with the potential to become productive, independent investigators in research fields relevant to the missions of participating NIH Institutes and Centers

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Main Web Site: http://www.nichd.nih.gov/funding/position/individual_institutional.cfm and <http://www.nidcd.nih.gov/research/training/>

NRSA for Senior Fellows (F33) (NIDCD/NICHD)	Senior Fellowship	For experienced investigators changing direction or expanding skills
Mentored Clinical Scientist Development Award (K08) (NIDCD/NICHD)	Career Development	Provides support for the development of outstanding research scientists.
Mentored Patient-Oriented Research Career Development Award (K23) (NIDCD/NICHD)	Career Development	Supports the development of outstanding junior-level clinician-scientists in patient-oriented research
NIH Pathway to Independence (PI) Award (K99/R00) (NIDCD/NICHD)	Career Development	To increase and maintain a strong cohort of new and talented, NIH-supported independent researchers
Midcareer Investigator Award in Patient-Oriented Research (K24) (NICHD/AHRQ)	Career Development	Provides protected time for midcareer clinical investigators with record of research support to conduct patient-oriented research and to serve as research mentors