**2024 APPLICATION FOR A PILOT PROJECT AWARD FROM THE AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY**

**INSTITUTIONAL RESEARCH GRANT IRG-22-147-37**

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| BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION |
| First Name Last name, Degree(s) |       |  |
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|  | Academic Title | Department |  |
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|  | School |  |  |
| Citizenship Status |
|  |  |  | [ ]  U.S. citizen [ ]  Non-U.S. citizen (temporary resident) \*\*\* |
|  |  |  | [ ]  Non-U.S. citizen (permanent resident) [ ]  Non-U.S. citizen \*\*\* |
| Year last degree conferred: |       | Year of first independent position: |       |  |
| **Verification of Applicant Eligibility by Department Chair** *(Applicants must be within six years of their first independent research or faculty appointment, must be salaried faculty with appropriate committed research facilities, and may not have competitive national funding active at the start date of the proposed IRG allocation.)* |
| Name of Department Chair |       |  |
| Signature |       | Date: |       |  |
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|  | **Education** |  |
| Degree/year conferred | Institution/Location | Field of study |
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|  | **Training** |  |
| Title | Mentor | Institution/Location | Dates |
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| *\*\*\* Any applicant for IRG pilot project funding who is not a U.S. citizen must hold a visa that will allow him or her to remain in the U.S. long enough to complete the IRG pilot project. It is the responsibility of the institution to determine and document the visa status of any noncitizen recipient of IRG funds.*Continued on next page |

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|  | **Appointments** |  |
| Title | Institution/Location | Dates |
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| **Other Research Support:** |
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| **Publications** (use continuation page if necessary) |
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 **PROJECT TITLE:**

**ABSTRACT:** Provide a brief (300-500 words) summary of the research, including Background, Objective/Hypothesis, Specific Aim(s), Study Design, and Cancer Relevance. *The final sentence of the abstract should summarize the focus and cancer relevance of the project in non-scientific terms.*

**PROJECT TITLE:**

**DESCRIPTION OF RESEARCH PROPOSED** (may use up to five additional pages as necessary)**:**

**TOTAL AMOUNT REQUESTED:**       **TERM:** from       to

**BUDGET PROPOSED:**

**A. Personnel**

**B. Permanent Equipment (Eligible only if less than $2,000)**

**C. Supplies**

**D. Miscellaneous**

**BUDGET JUSTIFICATION:**

**Expenditures allowed**

Research supplies and animal maintenance

Technical assistance

Domestic travel when necessary to carry out the proposed research program

Publication costs, including reprints

Costs of computer times

Special fees (pathology, photography, etc.)

Stipends for graduate students and postdoctoral assistants if their role is to promote and sustain the project presented by the junior faculty member

Equipment costing less than $2,000. Special justification is necessary for items exceeding this amount, and permission must be obtained from the Society’s Extramural Grants Department for the purchase of such equipment

Registration fees at scientific meetings

**Expenditures not allowed**

Indirect costs

Secretarial/administrative personnel

Salary of principal investigator (IRG Chairman or individual awardee)

Tuition

Foreign travel; special consideration will be given for attendance at scientific meetings held in Canada

Honoraria and travel expenses for visiting lecturers

Per diem charges for hospital beds

Non-medical services to patients

Construction or building maintenance

Major alterations

Purchasing and binding or periodicals and books

Office and laboratory furniture

Office equipment and supplies

Rental of office or laboratory space

Recruiting and relocation expenses

Dues and membership fees in scientific societies