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To: RESEARCH-L@LISTSERV.MIAMI.EDU
Subject: Internal Competition for NIA, Alzheimer's Disease Core Centers (P30): UM Deadline 8/24/15

The University’s internal deadline for the limited submission competition for the National Institute on Aging (NIA), Alzheimer's Disease Core Centers (P30) (RFA-AG-16-018) is 8/24/15. If you are interested, please read on for details.

- **Purpose:** This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) invites applications from qualified institutions for support of Alzheimer's Disease Core Centers (ADCCs). These centers are designed to support and conduct research on Alzheimer's disease (AD), to serve as shared research resources that will facilitate research in AD and related disorders, distinguish them from the processes of normal brain aging and mild cognitive impairment (MCI), provide a platform for training, develop novel techniques and methodologies, and translate these research findings into better diagnostic, prevention and treatment strategies.
- **Funds Available & Anticipated Number of Awards:** The NIA intends to commit $16 million in FY 2016 to fund 10 awards.
- **Budget & Project Period:** New applications may request a budget of up to $900,000 in direct costs for the first year. Requests for subsequent years may include a 3% increase per year. Renewal applications may request direct costs for all cores (both required and optional), and the other listed functions, i.e., satellites, and pilot grants at a level not exceeding the combined direct costs of all funded activities awarded during the final year of the present funding period plus a 3% increase, or $900,000 in the first year, whichever is larger. Requests for subsequent years may include a 3% increase per year. The scope of the proposed project should determine the project period. The maximum project period is 5 years.
- **Application Details:** Since the University of Miami may only submit one (1) proposal, this opportunity is a limited submission competition. An expert panel will internally review our candidates to determine which application will be submitted for competition by the NIA deadline on October 06, 2015.

To apply, please send the following materials to Karen Lamper at klamper@miami.edu by 8/24/15:

- Title of Proposal
- Your biosketch; including current and pending grant support.
- A brief summary of your project (no more than two pages).

Please be cognizant that requested information above is required for the reviewers to make an informed decision/ranking regarding your research proposal for consideration as an internal award applicant. Failure to address each numbered sub-heading above can impact the ranking of your proposal.
Note: Biostatistical considerations in the design and analysis of proposed investigations are critical to the procurement of funding and quality of research. The Biostatistics Collaboration and Consulting Core (BCCC), as part of the Research Design and Biostatistics Component of the Miami CTSI, is available to provide support for grant proposal development. This support may be funded by service credits awarded by the Research Design and Biostatistics Component of the Miami CTSI. For more information, please contact Maria Jimenez-Rodriguez at mjrodriguez@biostat.med.miami.edu.

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