



Prostate Cancer
Foundation of Australia

Priority Impact Research Award Young Investigator (PIRA-YI) Application Form 2022

Before completing this application form, please refer to the **PIRA-YI 2022 Guide for Applicants** and the **PCFA Research Policies and Guidelines** available at www.pcfa.org.au/research/apply-for-funding).

Submission deadline: [Friday 16 December 2022 at 5:00PM AEDT](#).

Late or incomplete applications will not be accepted.

Grant ID

(PCFA Research Office Use Only)

Chief Investigator

Title **First Name** **Surname**

Institution where the work will be conducted

Institution **State**

Other **State**

Administering Institution As above

Institution **State**

Other **State**

Project & Funding

Lay Title of Project

Scientific Title of Project

Funding Amount \$ **Term of Award** **1 year** *negotiable to extend up to 2 years
*paid over 4 instalments

Start Date *Available from 1 April 2023 - Negotiable, within 6 months of accepting the award

Please select one:

- I am an ECR** with less than five years full time research experience that hold a PhD at a research-based university or equivalent institution higher degree.

Date PhD awarded:

- I am an MCR** with five to ten years full time research experience with a PhD at a research-based university or equivalent institution higher degree.

Date PhD awarded:



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Please detail any career disruptions (if relevant): **Entry limited to 1500 characters including spaces*

***Please provide a CV for the Chief Investigator.** **Refer to the Guide for Applicants for formatting details*

Research Priority Areas

Please select the area or areas you are applying under.

- Application of precision approaches to therapies across the prostate cancer continuum, including hormone sensitive prostate cancer
- Research (basic, translational, epidemiological) that capitalises on existing repositories of biological samples and clinical data from men with prostate cancer
- Better understanding the impact of prostate cancer on men’s lives and improving the quality of life of men diagnosed with prostate cancer, their partners and their families
- Better understanding the basis of, and approaches to address disparities in, prostate cancer outcomes based on ethnicity, socioeconomic status, and location
- Bringing precision approaches to survivorship strategies (e.g. exercise, nutrition, mental and psychosocial supports)

Common Scientific Outline

Please select the **3** most applicable boxes in order of importance (1 being the most important).

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|--------------------------|--|--------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Biology | <input type="checkbox"/> | Treatment |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Prevention | <input type="checkbox"/> | Cancer Control, Survivorship & Outcomes |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Early Detection, Diagnosis & Prognosis | <input type="checkbox"/> | Scientific Model Systems |

Key Words

Please provide 5 Key Words that best describe the proposed project. Please do not include Prostate Cancer.

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Lay Summary

Provide a summary of your project using lay English terms that are understood by the general public. This summary is used to inform men with prostate cancer and their families and friends, as well as supporters and sponsors of your work so please ensure that the language is accessible to a reader who



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does not have a background in scientific research. **Entry limited to 600 characters including spaces*

Scientific Summary **Entry limited to 1500 characters including spaces*

***Please attach a Project Proposal** **Refer to the Guide for Applicants for formatting details*

Personnel - Chief Investigator

Work Phone Email

Postal Address

Department

Institution

Address

Suburb State Postcode

Will the Chief Investigator be based in Australia for the duration of the grant?

Yes No

If no, please explain **Entry limited to 1500 characters including spaces*

Personnel – Scientific Mentor

Title First Name Surname

Work Phone Email

Postal Address

Department

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Address
Suburb State Postcode

***Please provide a scientific mentor letter of recommendation and mentorship plan** *Refer to the Guide for Applicants for formatting details

Personnel – Co-Investigator #1 *Please detail up to 2 co-investigators

Title First Name Surname
Work Phone Email

Postal Address

Department
Institution
Address
Suburb State Postcode
Department

Expertise & contributions to the project. *Entry limited to 1800 characters including spaces

Personnel – Co-Investigator #2

Title First Name Surname
Work Phone Email

Postal Address

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Expertise & contributions to the project. *Entry limited to 1800 characters including spaces



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Personnel – Research Officer at Administering Institution

First Name	<input type="text"/>	Surname	<input type="text"/>
Work Phone	<input type="text"/>	Email	<input type="text"/>
Department	<input type="text"/>		
Institution	<input type="text"/>		
Address	<input type="text"/>		
Suburb	<input type="text"/>	State	<input type="text"/>
		Postcode	<input type="text"/>

Budget

Funding for Priority Impact Research Awards - Young Investigator is for a maximum of \$100,000 for a 1-year term. Further details are available in the Guide for Applicants, including eligible and ineligible expenses.

PERSONNEL

Name	Role in Project	Percent Effort	Salary
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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Total Personnel Cost			<input type="text"/>

Personnel Justification **Entry limited to 1200 characters including spaces*

SUPPLIES & CONSUMABLES **Entry limited to 600 characters including spaces per aim.*

Please itemise costs under 3-5 categories **Refer to the Guide for Applicants for details*

Aim 1:	<input type="text"/>
Aim 2:	<input type="text"/>
Aim 3:	<input type="text"/>
Aim 4:	<input type="text"/>
Aim 5:	<input type="text"/>



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Total Supplies & Consumables Costs

KNOWLEDGE TRANSFER ACTIVITIES

e.g. National/International Conferences, Think Tanks, Scientific Forums – Up to \$5000

**Entry limited to 1200 characters including spaces*

KNOWLEDGE TRANSFER JUSTIFICATION **Entry limited to 1200 characters including spaces*

Total Knowledge Transfer Activity Costs

Total Budget Request

Alternative Funding Information

PCFA strongly encourages co-application with NHMRC, Cancer Australia and other national programs. This section is for existing grants or current applications with one or more aims that could be construed as overlapping with this application. Please provide full information about all applications for funding for this or closely related projects that are already submitted or where submission is definitely planned.

Alternative Grant or Application #

Title of Project

Funding Agency

Overlap with PCFA Proposal Yes No



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If there is ANY overlap, please describe in detail, aim-by-aim, if necessary, how the existing or proposed funding overlaps (or does not overlap) with the current application.

**Entry limited to 600 characters including spaces*

Approvals

When relevant approvals are available at the time of application, copies should be forwarded to PCFA. If approvals will be sought after the grant is awarded, all relevant approvals must be forwarded to PCFA within 3 months of the commencement of the award.

1. Does this application involve research on humans, animals, biosafety/genetics or carcinogenic/toxic chemicals? If yes, please answer all of the questions below Yes No
2. Does this application involve research on humans? Yes No
- If Yes, do you have final approval from your Human Ethics Committee? Yes No

If Yes, a copy of the approval should be forwarded to PCFA's Research Office upon award of funding

If No, please explain below. **Entry limited to 300 characters including spaces*

3. Does this application involve research on animals? Yes No
- If Yes, do you have final approval from your Animal Experimentation Ethics Committee? Yes No

If Yes, a copy of the approval should be forwarded to PCFA's Research Office upon award of funding

If No, please explain below. **Entry limited to 300 characters including spaces*

4. Does this application involve research with genetically modified organisms? Yes No
- If Yes, do you have final approval from the relevant Biosafety Committee? Yes No

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If No, please explain below. **Entry limited to 300 characters including spaces*



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5. Does this application involve research using toxic/carcinogenic chemicals?

Yes No

If Yes, do you have final approval from the relevant Biosafety Committee?

Yes No

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If No, please explain below. **Entry limited to 300 characters including spaces*

Supporting Documentation Checklist **Refer to the Guide for Applicants for details*

- CV - Chief Investigator
- Project Proposal
- Scientific Mentor Letter of Support
- Certification Page
- Ethics & Approvals (if relevant or within 3 months of commencement)

The completed application form and documents must be submitted via email to research@pcfa.org.au by 5pm AEDT Friday 16 December 2022.

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