

## LIMITED COMPETITION

### Geneen Trust Award for Coronary Heart Disease Research

#### UVM PPRE-PROPOSAL PREPARATION AND SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS:

##### Pre-proposal Requirements:

The pre-proposal is limited to **3 pages** maximum (excluding references, and biographical sketches).

##### 1. Title and Contact Information

Please provide a project title, a list of key team members indicating the proposed project director, your department and the name of your department chair.

##### 2. Summary of the Proposed Project

In your pre-proposal, please summarize the research project, making sure to address the alignment of your project with the specific goals of this funding opportunity, which are listed below. **These goals will be used as the review criteria for this competition.**

- The proposed research has the potential to improve the prevention and treatment of coronary heart disease or circulatory failure (understanding, prevention/treatment).
- Hypothesis and Research Aims are clearly stated, based on sound precedents, and supported by relevant literature and preliminary data (if applicable).
- Objectives that are well thought out, realistic, and technically feasible.
- Research methodology, data collection, and data analyses are appropriate, thorough, well-specified and appropriate to the proposal's aims.
- The research project is of high quality and originality.
- The timeline and budget align with a scope of work that can be completed within a two-year timeframe.
- The applicant is qualified and support the conduct of an innovative and successful research project. The research award would positively impact the development of the applicant's cardiovascular research program.

##### 3. References Cited (no page limit)

All references cited in the pre-proposal should be included. While there is no page limit for references, this section must include bibliographic citations only. Do not include information that should be included in the pre-proposal or could be perceived as circumventing the page limit.

##### 4. NIH-format Biographical sketches

Please include NIH-format biosketches for all key/senior personnel, according to standard NIH formatting guidelines.

##### Submission:

The pre-proposal and all biosketches should be submitted as pdf files and uploaded into UVM's InfoReady Review portal: <https://uvm.infoready4.com/>

**Deadline: Submissions must be uploaded by 11:59 pm on June 7, 2024**



**Review Process:**

Research Development is running this competition in partnership with the Cardiovascular Research Institute of Vermont.

The CVRI Board will review applications and select an applicant to move forward. The selected applicant(s) will be informed that they are able to proceed with a full application; declined applicants will also be notified. Research Development will notify Sponsored Projects Administration of the name of the applicant(s) who are selected as the institutional applicant(s).

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