



Guidelines and Application for the 2018 Bill Tymchuk Cancer Research Award

In memory of her husband Bill Tymchuk, the generous support of Leida Tymchuk has established the Bill Tymchuk Cancer Research Award Endowment to support cancer prevention research at UBC's Okanagan campus.

In 1976, Bull Tymchuk founded the Kelowna law firm of Tymchuk, Brown and Hattori, and later became a financial consultant with CIBC Wood Gundy. Bill Tymchuk's colleagues at CIBC Wood Gundy have also generously contributed to the endowment. "We are happy to honor Bill's memory by making this contribution," said Brock Anysley, manager of the Kelowna CIBC Wood Gundy office.

2018 Award Details

This year the endowment fund has graciously provided funding for an award of \$1700.00

The University reserves the right to publish the award recipient's photograph, name and cancer research project information.

Guidelines:

1. The application process is open to all full time faculty members, post docs and registered students (graduate and undergraduate) in the Faculty of Health and Social Development.
2. The value of the award will be \$1700.00
3. Applications are due on **March 1st, 2018 by 4:00pm**. Please submit to helen.stychin@ubc.ca
4. Applications will be reviewed by an award committee assigned by the Dean and the FHSD Research Committee.
5. Notification of the award recipients will occur on or before March 31, 2018.
6. The award recipient is expected to submit a brief report within six months after the date of the award establishment. The report should explain how the funds were used and next steps for the award recipient as applicable to cancer research. The funds must be used by March 31, 2019.

Application:

1. Applicants must be registered undergraduate or graduate students, post-doctoral fellows, or full time faculty members within FHSD.
2. Applicants must propose a project or program of research related to the prevention or cure of cancer in which the individual applicant has a specific role and objective.
3. Applicants must provide their curriculum vitae.
4. Applicants are requested to provide one letter of support from a colleague or supervisor highlighting the unique contribution the applicant brings to the cancer research project or programme. For student and post-doctoral applicants, a supervisor's letter should indicate the supervisor's approval of the proposal and verify the supervisor will provide an appropriate level of supervision to the student over the course of the project.

Bill Tymchuk Cancer Research Award Applicant:

Applicant Name:
Position: Faculty: Post Doc: Student: Student #: Provide Year and School:
Contact Information: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Email:• Phone:
Title of Proposed Project:
Summary of the Proposed Project: <i>1 page maximum, 12 pt font, 1 inch margins</i> <i>Using non-technical language appropriate for a multi-disciplinary audience, describe the cancer research project and the specific role of the applicant in the project/programme. Please use the following headings: Introduction, Objectives, and Plans for the Research.</i>
Individual's specific role and objectives on the proposed project: <i>Focus on what does the applicant bring to the research project that is unique in terms of skills, passion or training opportunities.</i>
Proposed time frame for research project:
Research Ethics certification: Ethics approved: Ethics Certificate #: Ethics pending: Ethics application not submitted yet:

CV Attached:

Letter of Support Attached:

Student Official Transcript or if from UBCO a copy of transcript:

*Electronic version of application and attached CV, letter of support must be received by Helen Stychin, helen.stychin@ubc.ca by **4pm, March 1, 2018**. Late applications will not be accepted. Application does not need to include an ORS signature cover page*