Jo Keur Fonds – Guidelines

The Jo Keur Fonds originated from the inheritance of Johannes Keur with the aim of making grants available to support scientific biomedical research. Twice per year grants of max. 1000 euro are provided to medical and biomedical students of the LUMC to support thorough scientific research in the Netherlands and abroad within the framework of their study. Grants are not intended for clinical internships, attending a conference, etc.

Verantwoordelijkheden/bevoegdheden

The review committee Jo Keur Fonds
Chair: the Dean
Members:

- The chair of the Committee for Internationalization of Education
- The chair of Uitvoerend Orgaan Geneeskunde Pre-coschappen
- The chair of Uitvoerend Orgaan Geneeskunde Klinische Fase
- de Voorzitter van het Uitvoerend Orgaan Biomedische Wetenschappen.

Advisors:

- The coordinator Internationalization of LUMC
- The Student-Assessor

Procedure

Criteria used for determining priorities in allocation of grants
The research must be related to one of Research Profile Areas of the LUMC: Vascular & regenerative Medicine, Cancer Pathogenesis and Therapy, Translational Neurosciences, Ageing, Immunity, Infection diseases and Tolerance, Innovation in Health Strategy and Quality of Care, Biomedical Imaging or Technological Focus Areas of LUMC: Biobank (BBMRI en Parelsnoer), Biostatistics en Informatics, Leiden Genome Technology Centre (LGTC), Proteomics & metabolomics. Research should preferably take place within a university of the League of European Research Universities (LERU), the Network of European Universities Life Sciences (Eurolife), or the Ivy League in the US. Should the research take place elsewhere then a clear reason should be given.

Application procedure
Applications must be written in English. Complete application packages can be submitted up to one month prior to the beginning of the research. Application deadlines are: September 1, and March 1. Application packages must be submitted in hard copy.

Requirements
Grantees are required to submit two reports: a substantive scientific final report and a financial report (realized total revenue versus actual spending). Grant payments can be made by cash request on a reimbursement basis; payments in advance are possible. Grantees are invited to make a substantive contribution to the next LIMSC conference (www.LIMSC.nl).