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2022 BFSCI/SBDRC/Dermatology Pilot Grant Program

Pilot grants from the Black Family Stem Cell Institute (BFSCI), the Skin Biology and Diseases Resource-based Center (SBDRC), and the Department of Dermatology at Mount Sinai are available to support research projects in skin stem cell biology, skin regeneration, and skin diseases.

1. **Research Grants (up to \$40K)** will be accepted from PI's meeting any of the following criteria:
 - New PI's (< 5 years from appointment as Assistant Professor) who have not had R01, P01 or equivalent funding
 - Established basic research or clinical investigators outside the field of skin stem cell biology, skin regeneration, and skin diseases who wish to apply their expertise to these areas
2. **Transition to Independence Minigrants (up to \$10K)**
 - Post-doctoral research fellows with at least 1 year of post-doctoral research training
 - Instructors with at least 1 year of research training
 - Dermatology residents engaged in research

Application due date: **October 5, 2022**

Anticipated funding start date: **December 31, 2022**

Funding duration: **1 year** with the possibility of renewal for a second year

Applications should include the following elements:

1. Research Strategy (1 page): include Title, Name and Affiliations, Significance, Innovation, and Approach
2. Figures (1 page)
3. Bibliography and References Cited (1 page)
4. *For transition to independence grants*: Letter of Support from the postdoctoral mentor stating how the grant will support a unique line of research separate from PI of the laboratory (required)
5. Budget using the NIH Budget Page [PHS398/FP5](#) and budget justification
6. NIH Biosketch
7. Other Support
8. Vertebrate Animals and Human Subjects information in NIH format (if applicable).

Please send applications as a single PDF file with your name and type of grant application in the file title to Jessica Bauza at: jessica.bauza@mssm.edu.