

Opportunity name	Primary funder name	Closing date	Deadline information	Award type	Award amount max	Award amount min	Award budget total	Summary text	Website
Longitude prize	Nesta	31 Jan 16	Deadlines for judging are every four months. The prize will remain open until it is won, or if there is no winner, until 31 December 2019. Deadlines on: 31 January 2016, 31 May 2016, 30 September 2016, 31 January 2017, 31 May 2017, 30 September 2017, 31 January 2018, 31 May 2018, 30 September 2018, 31 January 2019, 31 May 2019, 30 September 2019	Prizes, Innovation grants	£8,000,000	-	£10,000,000	This rewards the development of a transformative point-of care diagnostic test to revolutionise the delivery of global healthcare and conserve antibiotics for future generations. The winner is awarded £8 million. £2m is awarded to support promising entries along the way.	http://www.longitudeprize.org/
End-user driven demonstration activities	University of Birmingham	31 Jan 16	Deadlines on: 31 January 2016, 30 April 2016, 31 July 2016, 31 October 2016, 31 January 2017.	Prototypes and demonstrations, Technology innovation/development, Research calls for business, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Innovation grants, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	-	-	£5,200,000	Funding supports activities that target the transition of quantum science and technology to solution prototypes and demonstrators. Activities include feasibility studies, research and innovation projects, and coordination and support actions. Grants are worth up to £500,000 each depending on the activity.	http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/generic/quantum/151125-Call-for-Proposals.aspx
New academic collaborations	University of Birmingham	31 Jan 16	Deadlines on: 31 January 2016, 30 April 2016, 31 July 2016, 31 October 2016, 31 January 2017.	Prototypes and demonstrations, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	-	-	£5,200,000	Funding supports engagement and collaboration with new academic groups whose research aligns with and complements the activities and capabilities of the existing hub partners. There are no restrictions of project size. Projects are funded at 80 per cent academic direct costs only. Capital items are not eligible costs.	http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/generic/quantum/151125-Call-for-Proposals.aspx
Modular training partnerships	Biotechnology and Biological Sciences Research Council	03 Feb 16	Proposals due by 4pm. This call is repeated 3 times a year.	Institutional development, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	These enable research organisations to collaborate with industry to develop industrially-relevant short training courses at master's level. Eight to 10 awards are normally available every year and are usually worth around £20,000 per module.	http://www.bbsrc.ac.uk/business/training/modular-training.aspx
Research grants – neurosciences and mental health	Medical Research Council	03 Feb 16	Proposals may be submitted between 29 July and 4pm, 6 October 2015; between 20 November 2015 and 4pm, 3 February 2016; and between 23 March and 4pm, 1 June 2016.	Institutional development, Travel for research purposes, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Publish, edit, translate, disseminate, Equipment and materials, Networking/collaboration	£1,000,000	-	-	These are suitable for focused research projects that may be short- or long-term in nature. In addition, they can be used to support method development and continuation of research facilities and may involve more than one research group or institution. Grants do not typically exceed £1 million. Funding is usually given on the basis of 80 per cent of full economic costs of the research to the applicant's institution.	http://www.mrc.ac.uk/funding/how-we-fund-research/research-grant/
New investigator research grants – neurosciences and mental health	Medical Research Council	03 Feb 16	Proposals may be submitted between 29 July and 4pm, 6 October 2015; between 20 November 2015 and 4pm, 3 February 2016; and between 23 March and 4pm, 1 June 2016.	Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Publish, edit, translate, disseminate, Equipment and materials	-	-	-	These provide support for clinical and non-clinical researchers while they are establishing themselves as independent principal investigators. Grants are tenable for three or more years, and MRC usually funds on the basis of 80 per cent of full economic cost to the applicant's institution.	http://www.mrc.ac.uk/funding/how-we-fund-research/new-investigator-research-grant/
Astronomy research grants	Science and Technology Facilities Council	03 Feb 16	Proposals due by 4pm. This call is repeated once a year.	Studentship allocations, Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Travel for research purposes, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Publish, edit, translate, disseminate, Equipment and materials, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	These support research in the areas of astronomy, cosmology, solar system science and certain aspects of particle astrophysics. Applicants may either apply for an institutional-focused consolidated grant or a science-focused consortium grant. Support may include staff costs, travel to meetings and conferences, direct costs, equipment, studentships and outreach.	http://www.stfc.ac.uk/research/astronomy-and-space-science/astronomy-research-grants
Partnership grant – neurosciences and mental health	Medical Research Council	03 Feb 16	Applicants must contact the programme manager at least six weeks before the deadline. Proposals may be submitted between 29 July and 4pm, 6 October 2015; between 20 November 2015 and 4pm, 3 February 2016; and between 23 March and 4pm, 1 June 2016.	Institutional development, Studentship allocations, Research centres, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Equipment and materials, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	This provides core funds to support partnerships between diverse groupings of researchers, and can be used for infrastructure support, platform activities and for bringing together managed consortia or multidisciplinary collaborations. Grants are funded on the basis of 80 per cent of full economic cost of research to the institution.	http://www.mrc.ac.uk/funding/how-we-fund-research/partnership-grant/
Programme grants – neurosciences and mental health	Medical Research Council	03 Feb 16	New applicants must contact the programme manager at least six weeks before the deadline. Proposals may be submitted between 29 July and 4pm, 6 October 2015; between 20 November 2015 and 4pm, 3 February 2016; and between 23 March and 4pm, 1 June 2016. Deadlines on: 3 June 2015, 6 October 2015, 3 February 2016, 1 June 2016.	Travel for research purposes, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Publish, edit, translate, disseminate, Equipment and materials	-	-	-	These provide large and long-term renewable funding. Funding is given on the basis of 80 per cent of full economic costs of research, for a maximum period of five years.	http://www.mrc.ac.uk/funding/how-we-fund-research/programme-grant/
Flexible interchange programme	Biotechnology and Biological Sciences Research Council	03 Feb 16	Applications due by 4pm.	Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	£120,000	-	-	This supports the movement of people between different environments to further the exchange of knowledge, technology and skills in the field of bioscience research and the council's strategic priorities. Approximately 20 awards are available each year. Projects costing up to £150,000 each will be funded at a rate of 80 per cent full economic cost over a maximum period of two years.	http://www.bbsrc.ac.uk/business/people-information/flexible-interchange-programme.aspx
Strategic training awards for research skills	Biotechnology and Biological Sciences Research Council	03 Feb 16	Applications due by 4pm. This call is repeated 3 times a year.	Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc	£250,000	-	-	These aim to support the development of strategically important and vulnerable research skills and capabilities in the biosciences. The budget is worth up to £250,000 per year. It is anticipated that up to 30 awards may be supported each year.	http://www.bbsrc.ac.uk/funding/studentships/stars/
Manufacturing the future: reducing industrial energy demand	Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council	03 Feb 16	Expressions of interest due by 4pm, 3 February; full applications due by 4pm, 25 February 2016.	Research centres, Technology innovation/development, Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Academic-Industry links	-	-	£4,000,000	This supports multidisciplinary collaborative research in order to reduce industrial energy demand. The total budget is worth £4million and the EPSRC expects to fund two or three proposals.	https://www.epsrc.ac.uk/funding/calls/industrialenergydemand/
Emeritus fellowships	Leverhulme Trust	04 Feb 16	Applications are invited between 1 September 2015 and 4pm, 4 February 2016. This call is repeated once a year.	Senior fellowships, Travel for research purposes, Publish, edit, translate, disseminate, Equipment and materials	£22,000	-	-	These enable retired senior researchers to complete a research project and to prepare the results for publication. Each fellowship is worth up to £22,000 for a period between three and 24 months.	http://www.leverhulme.ac.uk/funding/EM/EM.cfm
Particle physics and particle astrophysics consolidated grants	Science and Technology Facilities Council	04 Feb 16	Applications due by 4pm.	Studentship allocations, Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Equipment and materials, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	These support research in the areas of experimental and theoretical particle physics and certain aspects of astrophysics. This round considers proposals in the field of theoretical particle physics. Applicants can apply for funding for a minimum of a year and a maximum of three years.	http://www.stfc.ac.uk/1541.aspx
Research project grant (parent R01)	NIH: National Institutes of Health	05 Feb 16	Applications due by 5pm proposer's local time, every 5 February, 5 June and 5 October until 8 September 2016.	Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc	-	-	-	The research project grant (R01) is an award made to an institution/organization to support a discrete, specified, circumscribed project to be performed by the named investigators in areas representing the specific interests and competencies of the investigators. A project duration of up to five years may be requested.	http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-13-302.html
DEADLINE BROUGHT FORWARD: Seed awards in science	Wellcome Trust	08 Feb 16	Deadlines on: 8 February 2016, 20 June 2016.	Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Equipment and materials, Innovation grants, Networking/collaboration	£100,000	-	-	The Wellcome Trust has brought forward the deadline for its seed awards in science. The previous deadline of 25 February 2016 has now been brought forward to 8 February 2016. All other call information remains unchanged. These awards enable researchers to develop a novel idea to a position where it may compete for a larger award from the trust or another source. Awards are worth up to £100,000 each over a maximum period of two years. **	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Biomedical-science/Funding-schemes/Seed-Awards/index.htm

Systems change – towards a circular economy	Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council	11 Feb 16	Expressions of interest due by 4pm, 11 February; invited full proposals due late April 2016.	Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	-	-	£5,000,000	This supports research projects focused on modelling and understanding whole systems approaches to the circular economy, within the context of UK manufacturing. The total budget is £5 million for a number of projects of up to three years' duration.	https://www.epsrc.ac.uk/funding/calls/circulareconomy/
Biomedical vacation scholarships	Wellcome Trust	12 Feb 16		Financial aid for postgraduate students, Directed grants for individual investigators	£2,000	£1,500	-	These provide undergraduates with hands-on experience of research during the summer vacation, with the aim of encouraging them to consider a career in research. Scholarships are available for between six and eight weeks and provide a stipend of £250 per week.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Biomedical-science/Funding-schemes/PhD-funding-and-undergraduate-opportunities/WT004448.htm
Engagement fellowships	Wellcome Trust	12 Feb 16		Predoctoral fellowships, Early-Career fellowships, Senior fellowships, Directed grants for individual investigators, Networking/collaboration, Mid-Career fellowships	-	-	-	These aim to support and develop upcoming stars in public engagement with science. Fellowships include salary and salary buyout for up to two years, project costs, training, access to office space and facilities, and opportunities to work with Wellcome Trust staff to develop projects.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Public-engagement/Funding-schemes/Engagement-Fellowships/index.htm
Biomedical research centres	Department of Health including NIHR	15 Feb 16	Pre-qualifying questionnaires due by 1pm.	Travel for research purposes, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Networking/collaboration	-	-	£800,000,000	This aims to provide funding for NHS-university partnerships in England that have a very substantial portfolio of world-class biomedical research across either a range of clinical or research areas, or in a specific clinical or research area. The overall budget for this call is £300 million and NHS-university partnerships may apply for funding of up to £1m per year. Funding will be available over a five year period from 1 April 2017 to 31 March 2022.	http://www.nihr.ac.uk/funding/biomedical-research-centres-competition.htm
Arts awards – large projects	Wellcome Trust	17 Feb 16	Applications due by 5pm. This call is repeated once a year.	Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Publish, edit, translate, disseminate, Equipment and materials, Networking/collaboration	£150,000	£40,000	-	These support the creation of new artistic work that critically engages artists and audiences with biomedical science. Awards range between £40,000 and £150,000 for a maximum period of three years.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Public-engagement/Funding-schemes/Arts-Awards/index.htm
Technology proof of concept	Natural Environment Research Council	17 Feb 16	Call opens on 11 January; proposals due by 4pm, 17 February 2016.	Technology innovation/development, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Networking/collaboration	£175,000	-	£2,000,000	This programme supports the development of new and innovative technologies for environmental science. The total budget for the fourth grant round of the programme is worth £2 million, with each proposal permitted to bid for a maximum of £175k.	http://www.nerc.ac.uk/research/funded/programmes/technologyproof/
Satellites to improve agri-food systems	Innovate UK	17 Feb 16	Registrations are invited between 16 November 2015 and 12 noon, 17 February 2016; full applications due by 12 noon, 24 February 2016.	Technology innovation/development, Research calls for business, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Innovation grants, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	-	-	£3,750,000	Funding aims to stimulate the development and adoption of new technologies and business models based on the innovative use of satellite technology, in order to improve the productivity of the UK food and farming industries, and simultaneously address the environmental impacts of increased land use and intensification. The budget is worth up to £3.75 million.	https://interact.innovateuk.org/competition-display-page/asset_publisher/RqE12AKmEBhi/content/satellites-to-improve-agri-food-systems
Eurostars programme	EUREKA	18 Feb 16	Applications due by 8pm Brussels time. Deadlines on: 18 February 2016, 15 September 2016.	Prototypes and demonstrations, Technology innovation/development, Research calls for business, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Innovation grants, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	This funds collaborative innovation research and innovation projects that will be rapidly commercialised. Funding for Eurostars participants is provided on a country by country basis. The average project includes three to four participants from two to three countries over a duration of 29 months with a project budget of €1.4 million.	https://www.eurostars-eureka.eu/apply-funding
People awards	Wellcome Trust	19 Feb 16	Applications due by 5pm.	Hosting conferences, Access to libraries, Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Publish, edit, translate, disseminate, Networking/collaboration	£30,000	-	-	These support projects that are innovative and creative and engage the public with biomedical science or the history of medicine. Each award is worth up to £30,000.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Public-engagement/Funding-schemes/People-Awards-and-Society-Awards/index.htm
International engagement awards	Wellcome Trust	19 Feb 16	Deadlines on: 19 February 2016, 19 August 2016.	Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Development (Africa/Caribbean), Networking/collaboration	£30,000	-	-	These support innovative public or community engagement projects that explore biomedical research or health in Africa and Asia. Each award is worth up to £30,000 for up to three years.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Public-engagement/Funding-schemes/International-Engagement-Awards/index.htm
Genomics of brain disorders conference bursaries	Wellcome Trust	23 Feb 16		Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Directed grants for individual investigators	-	-	-	The conference, to be held from 25 to 27 April 2016 at the campus, will summarise the advances and remaining challenges in the genomics of various brain disorders, focusing on early detection of risk, biomarkers and stratified medicine. Each bursary funds up to 50 per cent of registration costs for a PhD student.	https://registration.hinxton.wellcome.ac.uk/events/item.aspx?e=576
Future retail	Innovate UK	23 Feb 16	Proposals for stage one are accepted between 11 January and 12 noon, 23 February 2016.	Technology innovation/development, Research calls for business, Innovation grants, Networking/collaboration	£35,000	-	£175,000	This aims to encourage innovation around future retail, across themes of food waste reduction, virtual fitting, seamless shopping and enhancing in-store and market experiences. Five businesses can receive up to £35,000 each.	https://interact.innovateuk.org/competition-display-page/asset_publisher/RqE12AKmEBhi/content/future-retail
Investigator awards in biomedical science	Wellcome Trust	26 Feb 16		Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Equipment and materials, Networking/collaboration	£3,000,000	-	-	These enable researchers at any career level to address important research questions relevant to human and animal health and disease. Awards are worth a maximum of £3 million for up to seven years. They may cover research expenses, including research assistance, animals, equipment, fieldwork costs and funding for collaborative activities, travel and subsistence, and overseas allowances.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Biomedical-science/Grants/Investigator-Awards/WT059284.htm
SARIC sandpit	Natural Environment Research Council	26 Feb 16	Applications due by 4pm.	Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	This is a two-day interactive strategic workshop with the ultimate aim of funding up to six multidisciplinary research translation projects funded to a value of £200,000 each. The sandpit will take place in Nottingham from 8 to 9 March 2016.	http://www.nerc.ac.uk/innovation/activities/sustainable/od/saric/sandpit/
Collaborative Antarctic science scheme	Natural Environment Research Council	29 Feb 16	Proposals due by 4pm.	Travel for research purposes, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	This facilitates collaborative links and opportunities between NERC's British Antarctic Survey research teams and higher education institutes or other research council institutes or approved independent research organisations where no additional funding is required for salaries, grants or direct science costs. Proposals submitted to this programme will require support only for certain marginal costs, such as intercontinental travel, field clothing, prescribed training requirements and medical fitness examinations.	https://www.bas.ac.uk/science/opportunities-for-polar-fieldwork/antarctic-science-collaborative-gearing-scheme/collaborative-gearing-scheme/
Open science prize	Wellcome Trust	29 Feb 16	Phase one applications due by 29 February; phase two applications due by 1 December 2016.	Prizes, Prototypes and demonstrations, Technology innovation/development, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Publish, edit, translate, disseminate, Innovation grants, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	£80,000	-	£710,000	This aims to encourage and support the prototyping and development of services, tools or platforms that enable open content to be discovered, accessed and reused in ways that will advance discovery and spark innovation in the biomedical research through forged new international collaborations. Up to six prizes, worth up to US\$80,000 each, are available for phase one of the award. In the second phase, a phase one recipient will receive US\$250,000.	https://www.openscienceprize.org/
Starter grants for clinical lecturers	Academy of Medical Sciences	01 Mar 16 (Forecast)	!! Call has not yet been announced by funder, but this is the approximate deadline we expect. Applications due by 5pm. This call is repeated 2 times a year.	Directed grants for individual investigators, Equipment and materials	£30,000	-	-	These enable research-active clinical lecturers to gather data in order to strengthen future applications for longer-term fellowships and funding, and to develop and strengthen their research careers. Grants are worth up to £30,000 each over one to two years. Funding covers directly incurred research costs such as consumables and equipment.	http://rsrch.co/1ceCu5a

Mitochondrial medicine – developing new treatments for mitochondrial disease conference bursaries	Wellcome Trust	02 Mar 16		Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Directed grants for individual investigators	-	-	-	The conference, to be held from 4 to 6 May 2016 at the campus, will bring together world leaders in the field of translational mitochondrial medicine in an interactive programme designed to engage and a new generation of mitochondrial researchers. Each bursary funds up to 50 per cent of registration costs for a PhD student	https://registration.hinxton.wellcome.ac.uk/events/item.aspx?e=572
Environmental science impact programme	Natural Environment Research Council	03 Mar 16	Outline proposals due by 4pm, 3 March; full proposals due by 4pm, 7 July 2016.	Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Networking/collaboration	-	-	£5,000,000	These enable research organisations to collaborate with business, policy bodies and other actors that contribute to the economic development specific to their location, in order to deliver significant regional impact from NERC environmental science. The total budget is worth between £2.5 million and £5m over a period of five years.	http://www.nerc.ac.uk/funding/available/schemes/aoc-esip/
Arts awards – small to medium-sized projects	Wellcome Trust	04 Mar 16	Applications due by 5pm. Deadlines on: 7 August 2015, 27 November 2015, 4 March 2016, 3 June 2016.	Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Publish, edit, translate, disseminate, Equipment and materials, Networking/collaboration	£40,000	-	-	These support creative collaborations that stimulate interest, excitement and debate about biomedical science through the arts, examine the social, cultural and ethical impact of biomedical science, and support formal and informal learning. Awards are worth up to £40,000 each for a maximum period of three years.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Public-engagement/Funding-schemes/Arts-Awards/index.htm
Programme development grants for applied research	Department of Health including NIHR	08 Mar 16	Competition 15 applications due between 15 December 2015 and 1pm, 8 March 2016; competition 16 applications due between 25 May and 1pm, 22 July 2016.	Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Networking/collaboration	£100,000	-	-	These support the completion of necessary preparatory work to submit a competitive stage two full programme grant application. Each grant is worth up to £100,000 over six to 18 months. Funding supports technical feasibility studies that stimulate innovative new concepts and applications in surface engineering and coatings, including the creation and evaluation of innovative and accessible real-time process control technology; process informatics; surface or coating characterisation techniques; and integration of surface engineering and coating manufacturing technology with digital techniques, technology and design. The total budget is worth up to £2 million. Each project may receive up to £50,000 per year for a maximum period of three years.	http://www.nihr.ac.uk/funding/pdg-calls-and-competitions.htm
Surface engineering and coating technologies for high-value manufacturing	Innovate UK	09 Mar 16	Registrations are invited between 11 January and 12 noon, 9 March; full applications due by 12 noon, 16 March 2016.	Technology innovation/development, Research calls for business, Directed grants for individual investigators, Innovation grants, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	-	-	£2,000,000	These enable UK researchers to undertake a significant piece of publishable work and to advance to a more permanent academic position. Each fellowship provides up to £24,000 per year to cover 50 per cent of the fellow's total salary costs and may include research expenses of up to £6,000 per year. Fellowships are tenable for three years full time, but the trust may consider part time requests.	https://interact.innovateuk.org/competition-display/page/asset_publisher/RqE12AKmEBH/content/surface-engineering-and-coating-technologies-for-high-value-manufacturing
Early-career fellowships	Leverhulme Trust	10 Mar 16	Applications are invited between 1 January and 4pm, 10 March 2016. This call is repeated once a year.	Early-Career fellowships, Directed grants for individual investigators	£90,000	-	-	These support adventurous, large-scale and complex research projects tackling big science questions that cannot be addressed through other funding opportunities. Grants are worth between £1.2 million and £3.7m each, for a duration of up to five years. These support projects that enable the public to explore biomedical science, its impact on society and culture, its historical roots and the ethical questions that it raises. Grants value starts from £40,000 for up to three years.	http://www.leverhulme.ac.uk/funding/ECF/ECF.cfm
Large grants	Natural Environment Research Council	10 Mar 16 (Forecast)	!! Call has not yet been announced by funder, but this is the approximate deadline we expect. Outline proposals due by 10 March; full proposals due around mid-November 2015.	Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Networking/collaboration	£3,700,000	£1,200,000	-	These support projects that enable the public to explore biomedical science, its impact on society and culture, its historical roots and the ethical questions that it raises. Grants value starts from £40,000 for up to three years.	http://www.nerc.ac.uk/funding/available/researchgrants/large/
Society awards	Wellcome Trust	11 Mar 16	Applications due by 5pm. This call is repeated 2 times a year.	Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Publish, edit, translate, disseminate, Networking/collaboration	-	£40,000	-	These enable UK researchers to undertake a significant piece of publishable work and to advance to a more permanent academic position. Each fellowship provides up to £24,000 per year to cover 50 per cent of the fellow's total salary costs and may include research expenses of up to £6,000 per year. Fellowships are tenable for three years full time, but the trust may consider part time requests.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Public-engagement/Funding-schemes/People-Awards-and-Society-Awards/index.htm
Telescope time grants	Science and Technology Facilities Council	15 Mar 16	Deadlines on: 15 March 2016, 15 September 2016, and repeated annually.	Access to laboratories, telescopes etc., Travel for research purposes	-	-	-	These enable UK investigators to access a range of astronomy facilities. Grants support travel and subsistence costs, and facilities are free at the point of access.	http://www.stfc.ac.uk/1506
Efficacy and mechanism evaluation programme – researcher-led workstream	Department of Health including NIHR	15 Mar 16	Applications due by 1pm. This call is repeated 3 times a year.	Clinical trials, Technology innovation/development, Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	This supports research into interventions based in or used by the NHS and its partners, including clinical trials and evaluative studies of novel and repurposed interventions. There is no fixed limit on project duration. All funding should be clearly justified, but there is no upper limit.	http://www.nets.nihr.ac.uk/funding/eme-researcher-led
Efficacy and mechanism evaluation programme: commissioned call 15/149	Department of Health including NIHR	15 Mar 16	Applications due by 1pm.	Clinical trials, Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc.	-	-	-	The remit of this call is to explore mechanisms underlying the effects of the intervention or the aetiology of the bipolar disorder itself.	http://www.nets.nihr.ac.uk/funding/eme-commissioned
ERA-NET Cofund smart urban futures	JPI Urban Europe	15 Mar 16	Pre-proposals due by 12 noon CET, 15 March; invited full proposals due by 12 noon CET, 20 September 2016.	Institutional development, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Innovation grants, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	-	-	€23,500,000	This aims to create sustainable and economically viable urban areas. Projects may last up to three years. The overall budget for this call is €23.5 million. There are no fixed minimum or maximum limits for a project size.	http://jpi-urbaneurope.eu/en/uf-call/
Collaborative research projects on society, integrity and cyber-security	Nordforsk	15 Mar 16	Applications are invited between December 2015 and 15 March 2016.	Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Networking/collaboration	€1,250,000	€750,000	€4,200,000	These aim to explore research questions on society, integrity and cyber-security through approaches from a variety of perspectives and social science disciplines, and to enable and encourage multidisciplinary research. The total budget is worth €4.2 million, which may fund up to five projects. Each project may receive between €750,000 and €1.25m for a period between three and four years.	http://www.nordforsk.org/en/news/new-call-for-proposals-in-the-field-of-societal-security
Efficacy and mechanism evaluation programme – commissioned calls 15/176, 15/177, 15/178, 15/179	Department of Health including NIHR	15 Mar 16	Pre-proposals due by 1pm. This call is repeated 3 times a year.	Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	Proposals are sought for the following areas: delirium, graft versus host disease, use of cell therapies and mechanisms of action of health interventions. There are no fixed limits on the duration of projects. All funding requests should be justified, but there is no upper limit.	http://www.nets.nihr.ac.uk/funding/eme-commissioned
Efficacy and mechanism evaluation – researcher-led funding	Department of Health including NIHR	15 Mar 16	Pre-proposals due by 1pm. This call is repeated 3 times a year.	Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	This supports research into interventions based in or used by the NHS and its partners, including clinical trials and evaluative studies of novel and repurposed interventions. There is no fixed limit on project duration. All funding should be clearly justified, but there is no upper limit.	http://www.nets.nihr.ac.uk/funding/eme-researcher-led
Partnership for research to improve health services	Arthritis Research UK	16 Mar 16		Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc	£300,000	£50,000	-	Funding supports research which aims to improve the quality of healthcare provided to people with arthritis, by producing evidence on the quality, accessibility and organisation. Grants are worth between £50,000 and £300,000 each.	http://www.arthritisresearchuk.org/news/press-releases/2015/december/research-partnership-to-improve-health-services.aspx
Knowledge exchange fellowship in marine renewable energy	Natural Environment Research Council	17 Mar 16	Applications are invited between 4 February and 4pm, 17 March 2016.	Early-Career fellowships, Senior fellowships, Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration, Mid-Career fellowships	£40,000	-	-	This supports links between the academics and businesses within the UK marine renewable energy community, as well as with relevant regulators and policy makers. Funding up to £40,000 for a maximum period of three years may be requested, and the fellowship will be paid pro-rata at 80 per cent full economic costing in the same way as NERC research fellowships.	http://www.nerc.ac.uk/funding/available/schemes/kefellowskdfellowscall/marinecall/
Knowledge exchange fellowship – aquaculture	Natural Environment Research Council	17 Mar 16	Applications are accepted between 4 February and 4pm, 17 March 2016.	Hosting conferences, Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	This supports links between the academics and businesses within the UK aquaculture community and provide expert input and advice to the UK aquaculture network. Fellowships are worth up to £100,000 per year and will be paid pro-rata at 80 per cent full economic cost. Fellowships are tenable for three years.	http://www.nerc.ac.uk/funding/available/schemes/kefellowskdfellowscall/aquaculture/

Molecular biology of hearing and deafness conference bursaries	Wellcome Trust	22 Mar 16		Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Directed grants for individual investigators	-	-	-	The conference, to be held from 17 to 20 May 2016 at the campus, highlight and discuss recent discoveries in the field: new genes involved in deafness and new pathways that underlie the development, function, repair and regeneration of the auditory system. Each bursary covers registration costs for a PhD student or junior postdoctoral researcher.	https://registration.hinxton.wellcome.ac.uk/events/item.aspx?e=577
UK-China research and innovation bridges competition	Innovate UK	23 Mar 16	Registrations are invited between 16 November 2015 and 12 noon UK time, 23 March 2016; full applications due by 12 noon UK time, 30 March 2016.	Technology innovation/development, Research calls for business, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Innovation grants, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	-	-	£16,000,000	Funding supports collaborative R&D projects that propose new commercial solutions to critical challenges impacting the socio-economic growth and development of China in relation to energy, healthcare, urbanisation and agri-food. The total budget is worth up to £16 million. The total UK project cost is expected to range in size from £800,000 to £1m; however larger costs may be considered. Projects should last for up to two years.	https://interact.innovateuk.org/funding-competitions/-/competitions/view/china-uk-research-and-innovation-bridges-competition?p_auth=Xh9QM7wM
COMING SOON: Research for patient benefit programme – including obesity themed calls	Department of Health including NIHR	23 Mar 16	Stage one applications due by 23 March; invited stage two applications may be submitted between mid June and late July 2016. This call is repeated 3 times a year.	Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	The Department of Health's National Institute for Health Research will shortly be inviting applications for its research for patient benefit programme, including themed calls. The opening of the call is scheduled for 9 December 2015. The following details refer to the previous call and are subject to change. This aims to support research that directly benefits users of the NHS in England. ***	http://www.nihr.ac.uk/funding/research-for-patient-benefit.htm
Industry fellowships	Royal Society	24 Mar 16 (Forecast)	!! Call has not yet been announced by funder, but this is the approximate deadline we expect. This call is repeated 2 times a year.	Early-Career fellowships, Senior fellowships, Directed grants for individual investigators, Innovation grants, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration, Mid-Career fellowships	-	-	-	These enable academic scientists to work on collaborative projects with industry, or individuals employed in industry to work on collaborative projects with university departments or non-profit research organisations. Fellowships support a period of up to two years and cover fellows' basic salary during the secondment as well as research expenses of up to £2,000 per year.	https://royalsociety.org/grants-schemes-awards/grants/industry-fellowship/
Biomedical catalyst – developmental pathway funding scheme	Medical Research Council	29 Mar 16	Outline proposals due by 4pm on deadline dates. Full proposals by invitation only. Deadlines on: 25 March 2015, 28 July 2015, 2 December 2015, 29 March 2016, 27 July 2016.	Technology innovation/development, Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Innovation grants, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	This supports projects aiming to improve prevention, diagnosis, prognosis or treatment of significant health needs, or projects that focus on research tools which increase the efficiency of developing interventions.	http://www.mrc.ac.uk/funding/browse/developmental-pathway-funding-scheme/
Doctoral studentships in humanities and social science	Wellcome Trust	30 Mar 16	This call is repeated once a year.	Financial aid for postgraduate students, Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators	-	-	-	These enable individuals to undertake a humanities or social science doctoral degree in any area of human and animal health at a university in the UK, Republic of Ireland or a low-to-middle-income country. Awards are for up to three years and include the student's stipend, conference travel, research expenses, overseas fieldwork, and university and college fees at home level.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Humanities-and-social-science/Funding-schemes/Doctoral-Studentships/index.htm
Humanities and social science doctoral studentships	Wellcome Trust	30 Mar 16		Financial aid for postgraduate students, Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators	-	-	-	These enable individuals to undertake a humanities or social science doctoral degree in any area of human and animal health, at a university in the UK, Republic of Ireland or low-to-middle income country. Studentships are available for up to three years and cover the student's stipend, university and college fees, as well as travel, equipment and research expenses. Fees at the overseas rate will only be considered for applicants who are from low- or middle-income countries.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Humanities-and-social-science/Funding-schemes/Doctoral-Studentships/index.htm
Transnational organised crime – cross-disciplinary innovation awards	Economic and Social Research Council	30 Mar 16	Applications are invited between 13 January and 4pm, 30 March 2016.	Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Innovation grants, Networking/collaboration	£100,000	-	-	This funds innovative research and networking activities which address transnational organised crime, from a range of cross-disciplinary approaches and research perspectives. Awards are worth £100,000 each, at full economic cost, for a duration of 18 months. The council expects to fund approximately 10 projects.	http://www.esrc.ac.uk/funding/funding-opportunities/paccs-transnational-organised-crime-call/
Arctic research station	Natural Environment Research Council	31 Mar 16 (Forecast)	!! Call has not yet been announced by funder, but this is the approximate deadline we expect. This call is repeated once a year.	Access to laboratories, telescopes etc.	-	-	-	Researchers from the UK and their international collaborators may carry out environmental research relevant to the NERC remit at the Ny-Alesund station on the Svalbard archipelago. Funding enables candidates to communicate the research they are involved in and enthuse audiences about that research.	http://www.arctic.ac.uk/infrastructure/research-station/access-to-the-station/
New media competition	Department of Health including NIHR	31 Mar 16	Entries due by 12 midnight. This call is repeated once a year.	Prizes, Publish, edit, translate, disseminate	£250	-	-	Research may be clinical or applied health research, including social care, and may also relate to medical education. The prize winner receives a £250 book token. Runner up prizes are available.	http://www.nihrcc.nhs.uk/NIHRNewMediaCompetition/index.html
Dental academic clinical fellowships	Department of Health including NIHR	31 Mar 16		Early-Career fellowships, Predoctoral training fellowships, Postdoctoral training fellowships	-	-	-	These provide a clinical and academic training environment for a dentist in the early stages of speciality training to prepare an application for a training fellowship leading to a PhD, or equivalent, or if applicable a postdoctoral fellowship. Fellowships are tenable for up to three years, or up to four years for general dental practitioners.	http://www.nihr.ac.uk/career-development-opportunities/nihr-acfs-(dental)-2015---recruitment-is-now-open/2460
Anniversary essay competition – the way we live now, debates eight to 10	Arts and Humanities Research Council	31 Mar 16		Prizes, Student awards	£750	£250	-	This recognises essays linked to a debate series focusing on the theme of 'the way we live now', and more particularly, on the following debates: books and the human; machine world; is British culture a myth. The author of the best essay on each debate receives £250 and the essay will be published in an AHRC publication and website. Each winning essay will also be considered for the overall prize of £500.	http://www.ahrc.ac.uk/funding/opportunities/current/the-way-we-live-now-the-ahrc-anniversary-essay-competition/
Academic clinical fellowships – dental	Department of Health including NIHR	31 Mar 16		Predoctoral training fellowships, Postdoctoral training fellowships, Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators	-	-	-	These enable candidates to undertake specialist dental training as well as research or educationalist training. The NIHR provides £1,000 per financial year per trainee to the host dental school. The maximum duration of a fellowship is three years or four years for GPs.	http://www.nihr.ac.uk/funding/academic-clinical-fellowships.htm
PATT linked travel and subsistence grants	Science and Technology Facilities Council	01 Apr 16	Deadlines on: 1 April 2016, 1 October 2016.	Access to laboratories, telescopes etc., Travel for research purposes	-	-	-	These provide travel and subsistence support for telescope time at STFC's astronomy facilities.	http://www.stfc.ac.uk/funding/research-grants/funding-opportunities/applying-for-time-on-stfc-astronomy-facilities
Medical humanities research bursaries	Wellcome Trust	01 Apr 16 (Forecast)	!! Call has not yet been announced by funder, but this is the approximate deadline we expect. Deadlines on: 1 April 2016, 1 October 2016, and repeated annually.	Access to libraries, Travel for research purposes, Publish, edit, translate, disseminate	£25,000	£5,000	-	These support small and medium-scale research projects based on library or archive collections supported by the trust. Bursaries are usually worth between £5,000 and £25,000, depending on the duration of research.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Medical-humanities/Funding-schemes/Research-resources-awards/Research-bursaries/index.htm
Research training fellowships	Wellcome Trust	04 Apr 16	Applications due by 5pm on deadline dates. The last full application deadline is 4 April 2016. Deadlines on: 4 December 2015, 4 April 2016.	Predoctoral training fellowships, Financial aid for postgraduate students, Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Equipment and materials	-	-	-	These support medical, dental, veterinary or clinical psychology graduates who wish to develop a long-term career in academic medicine. Fellowships normally provide a salary and research expenses for a period of two to three years, however in exceptional cases the funding period may be extended to four years.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Biomedical-science/Funding-schemes/Fellowships/Clinical-fellowships/WTD004435.htm

Public health research programme – researcher-led call for proposals: 15/182, 15/183	Department of Health including NIHR	04 Apr 16	Proposals due by 1pm.	Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Equipment and materials, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	-	This supports research that evaluates public health interventions, specifically to provide new knowledge on the benefits, costs, acceptability and wider impacts of non-NHS interventions intended to improve the health of the public and reduce inequalities in health. There are no fixed limits on the duration of projects or funding and proposals should be tailored to fully address the problem.	http://www.nets.nihr.ac.uk/funding/phr-researcher-led
Senior clinical fellowships	Medical Research Council	06 Apr 16	Applications are accepted between 24 February and 6 April 2016.	Senior fellowships, Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Equipment and materials, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	-	These support medically and other clinically qualified professionals, with an effective track record of internationally competitive independent research, to make the transition to research leadership. Fellowships are tenable for five years and cover salary costs, support for research staff, consumable expenses, travel costs and capital equipment appropriate for the research project. There is no limit for funding.	http://www.mndassociation.org/research/researchers/research-grants/
Clinician scientist fellowships	Medical Research Council	06 Apr 16	Applications are accepted between 24 February and 6 April 2016.	Early-Career fellowships, Postdoctoral training fellowships, Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Equipment and materials, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	-	These support medically and other clinically qualified professionals who have gained a higher research degree to lead their own research plans and establish their own research team to make the transition to independent investigator. Fellowships are tenable for four years and cover salary costs, support for research staff, consumable expenses, travel costs and capital equipment appropriate for the research project. There is no limit for funding.	http://www.mndassociation.org/research/researchers/research-grants/
COMING SOON: Programme grants for applied research	Department of Health including NIHR	06 Apr 16	Applications due by 1pm.	Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Innovation grants, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	-	The Department of Health's National Institute for Health Research will shortly be inviting applications for its programme grants for applied research. Applications for this call will open on 10 February 2016 and close on 6 April 2016. The following information is subject to change. This call aims to provide evidence to improve health outcomes in England through promotion of health, prevention of ill health, and optimal disease management, with particular emphasis on conditions causing significant disease burden. **	http://www.nihr.ac.uk/funding/pgfar-guidance.htm
Themed call for research on prevention and treatment of obesity	Department of Health including NIHR	06 Apr 16	Applications due by 1pm.	Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc	-	-	-	-	This call aims to initiate further research into the prevention of type 2 diabetes and into increasing levels of physical activity.	http://www.themedcalls.nihr.ac.uk/?utm_source=Funding+programmes+mailing+list&utm_campaign=6738e8d4e8-Obesity+Themed+Call+announcement_all_progs&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_0ff7d16771-e738e8d4e8-147159717
Efficacy and mechanism evaluation programme: commissioned call 15/185	Department of Health including NIHR	06 Apr 16	Applications due by 1pm.	Clinical trials, Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	-	The aim of this call is to explore mechanisms underlying the development of insulin resistance in obesity and interventions that may prevent or modify its development, though applications across the whole field of obesity are welcome. All funding requested should be clearly justified, but there is no upper limit. This aims to research issues such as prevention from type 2 diabetes and increasing levels of physical activity. There are no fixed limits on the duration of funding of projects.	http://www.nets.nihr.ac.uk/funding/eme-themed
Public health research programme – prevention and treatment of obesity	Department of Health including NIHR	06 Apr 16	Outline proposals due by 1pm.	Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	-	This supports research into the quality, accessibility and organisation of health services, and in particular mixed method studies that focus on weight management services including bariatric surgery that address prevention and treatment of obesity in adults and children.	http://www.nets.nihr.ac.uk/funding/phr-themed
Health services and delivery research programme – prevention and treatment of obesity	Department of Health including NIHR	06 Apr 16	Outline proposals due by 1pm.	Clinical trials, Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	-	This supports primary research or evidence synthesis on affordable interventions that are practicable to be delivered within the NHS and aims to research methods of prevention, treatment and management of obesity and overweight people with Type 2 diabetes.	http://www.nets.nihr.ac.uk/funding/hshr-themed
Health technology assessment programme – prevention and treatment of obesity	Department of Health including NIHR	06 Apr 16	Outline proposals due by 1pm.	Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	-	This supports research into the evaluation of interventions or services for the prevention and treatment of obesity in adults and children. Grants have no fixed upper limit but it is unlikely that projects should receive more than £2.5 million. Feasibility studies and pilot trials are expected to be worth up to £500,000, or up to £1m for complex interventions.	http://www.nets.nihr.ac.uk/funding/hta-themed
Programme grants for applied research – obesity themed call	Department of Health including NIHR	06 Apr 16	Proposals due by 1pm.	Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Networking/collaboration	£2,500,000	-	-	-	This supports research into the evaluation of interventions or services for the prevention and treatment of obesity in adults and children. Grants have no fixed upper limit but it is unlikely that projects should receive more than £2.5 million. Feasibility studies and pilot trials are expected to be worth up to £500,000, or up to £1m for complex interventions.	http://www.nihr.ac.uk/funding-opportunities/programme-grants-for-applied-research-programme-obesity-themed-call3181
Research seminars and strategic network competition	Economic and Social Research Council	08 Apr 16	Proposals due by 4pm. This call is repeated once a year.	Hosting conferences, Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	-	This supports the hosting of research seminars and strategic networks for groups of academic researchers, postgraduate students and non-academics users from different organisations. A total of 20 seminar series grants, worth up to £30,000 each, are available over two to three years. A total of four strategic network grants, worth up to £100,000 each at 100 per cent economic cost, are available for up to one year.	http://www.esrc.ac.uk/funding/funding-opportunities/research-seminars-competition/
Health technology assessment programme: researcher-led workstream – 15/188	Department of Health including NIHR	08 Apr 16	Expressions of interest to full proposal due by 1pm.	Clinical trials, Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	-	This programme supports research that is immediately useful to patients, clinical practice, and policy and decision makers, assessing the effectiveness of technologies within the NHS.	http://www.nets.nihr.ac.uk/funding/hta-researcher-led
Transnational call on photovoltaics (PV4)	ERA-NET SOLAR-ERA.NET	11 Apr 16	Pre-proposals due by 5pm CET, 11 April; full proposals due by 5pm CET, 5 September 2016. All project partners must contact their funding contact point prior to submitting a pre-proposal.	Technology innovation/development, Research calls for business, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Innovation grants, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	-	This aims to fund industrially relevant transnational research technology development and innovation projects in the field of solar electricity technologies. The project duration is limited to a maximum of 36 months.	http://www.solar-era.net/joint-calls/
Virus genomics and evolution conference bursaries	Wellcome Trust	12 Apr 16		Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Directed grants for individual investigators	-	-	-	-	The conference, to be held from 8 to 10 June 2016 at the campus, will provide a multidisciplinary forum for scientists interested in the genomics and evolutionary analysis of viruses and will address the fundamental questions of viral origins, transmission and pathogenesis. Each bursary, funded by Action on Hearing Loss, covers up to 50 per cent of registration costs for a PhD student or junior postdoctoral researcher.	https://registration.hinxton.wellcome.ac.uk/events/item.aspx?e=587
Experiments and methodological innovation for longitudinal studies	Economic and Social Research Council	13 Apr 16 (Forecast)	!! Call has not yet been announced by funder, but this is the approximate deadline we expect. Proposals are invited between 16 February and 13 April 2015. This call is repeated once a year.	Access to libraries	-	-	-	-	This call invites proposals for studies to be incorporated in the Understanding Society panel of data collection from wave nine onwards, with priority given to experiments related to: education; employment; family and household; health, health behaviours, wellbeing; income, housing, wealth, expenditure and deprivation.	https://www.understandingsociety.ac.uk/research/get-involved/innovation-panel-competition
UK-India clean-tech, affordable healthcare and ICT – collaborative R&D	Innovate UK	13 Apr 16	Registrations are invited between 9 November 2015 and 12 noon UK time, 13 April 2016; full applications due by 12 noon UK time, 20 April 2016.	Technology innovation/development, Research calls for business, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Innovation grants, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	-	-	£2,500,000	-	Funding supports industrial, collaborative R&D projects that demonstrate new solutions to challenges impacting the socio-economic growth and development of India, in relation to its clean-tech, healthcare and ICT sectors. The total budget is worth up to £2.5 million. Each project may receive between £350,000 and £450,000 over a maximum period of two years.	https://interact.innovateuk.org/funding-competitions/?p_p_id=tsbcompetitionsearchportlet_WAR_tsbcompetitionsearchportlet&p_p_ifecycle=0&p_p_state=normal&p_p_mode=view&p_col_id=column-1&p_col_pos=2&p_col_count=4&tsbcompetitionsearchportlet_WAR_tsbcompetitionsearchportlet_tabName=forthcoming

Translation fund	Wellcome Trust	15 Apr 16	Concept notes due by 5pm GMT, 15 April; invited preliminary applications due by 5pm GMT, 13 June 2016. This call is repeated 2 times a year.	Travel for research purposes, Technology innovation/development, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Publish, edit, translate, disseminate, Equipment and materials, Innovation grants, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	Awards support the development of innovative and ground breaking technologies that address an unmet healthcare need in the biomedical area. Funding covers direct costs of the project, including modest equipment purchase and maintenance costs.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Technology-transfer/Awards/Translation-Fund/index.htm
Beam time access – ISIS	Science and Technology Facilities Council	16 Apr 16 (Forecast)	!! Call has not yet been announced by funder, but this is the approximate deadline we expect. This call is repeated 2 times a year.	Access to laboratories, telescopes etc.	-	-	-	Academic and industry researchers may apply for free access to neutron and muon instruments, provided by the ISIS Centre for Research in the Physical and Life Sciences, in order to investigate the properties of materials on the atomic scale. The instruments are free to use, provided results from experiments are published in the public domain.	http://www.isis.stfc.ac.uk/apply-for-beamtime/apply-for-beamtime2117.html
Public health research programme – commissioned calls for proposals: 15/129, 15/189, 15/193	Department of Health including NIHR	26 Apr 16	Proposals due by 1pm.	Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc	-	-	-	This supports research on local interventions to reduce intake and harm from alcohol, interventions to build resilience in children and young people or preventing the uptake of smoking by children and young people.	http://www.nets.nihr.ac.uk/funding/phr-commissioned
Senior non-clinical fellowship	Medical Research Council	27 Apr 16	Applications are accepted between 16 March and 4pm, 27 April; and between 12 August and 4pm, 22 September 2016.	Senior fellowships, Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Equipment and materials, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	This provides non-clinical researchers with a track record of excellence in their scientific field the opportunity to develop themselves into research leaders. The fellowship comprises salary costs, support for research staff, consumables expenses, capital equipment for the research project and travel costs under full economic costs. The fellowship may be awarded for up to seven years.	http://www.mrc.ac.uk/skills-careers/fellowships/non-clinical-fellowships/senior-non-clinical-fellowship-sncf/
Career development award	Medical Research Council	27 Apr 16	Applications are accepted between 16 March and 4pm, 27 April 2016; and between 12 August and 4pm, 22 September 2016. Deadlines on: 24 September 2015, 27 April 2016, 22 September 2016.	Early-Career fellowships, Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Equipment and materials, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	This supports postdoctoral researchers who are not clinically active to consolidate their research skills and make the transition from postdoctoral researcher to independent investigator. The maximum duration of an award is five years.	http://www.mrc.ac.uk/skills-careers/fellowships/non-clinical-fellowships/career-development-award-cda/
Opportunities to work in the new research complex at Harwell – career development awards	Medical Research Council	27 Apr 16	Applications are invited between 13 August and 24 September 2015, between 16 March and 27 April 2016, and between 12 August and 22 September 2016. Deadlines on: 24 September 2015, 27 April 2016, 22 September 2016.	Access to laboratories, telescopes etc., Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators	-	-	-	Applications are sought from researchers wishing to occupy laboratory space in research complex at Harwell and utilise its facilities. These awards are suitable for those wishing to establish their independent research career at the complex. The MRC will provide 80 per cent of full economic cost to the applicant's institution.	http://www.mrc.ac.uk/funding/how-we-fund-research/highlight-notices/work-in-harwell/
Opportunities to work in the new research complex at Harwell – senior fellowships	Medical Research Council	27 Apr 16	Applications are invited between 16 March and 4pm, 27 April, and between 12 August and 4pm, 22 September 2016. Deadlines on: 24 September 2015, 27 April 2016, 22 September 2016.	Senior fellowships, Access to laboratories, telescopes etc., Travel for research purposes	-	-	-	Applications are sought from researchers wishing to occupy laboratory space in research complex at Harwell and utilise its facilities. These fellowships are suitable for exceptional researchers who wish to work in the new research complex at Harwell. The MRC will usually fund on the basis of 80 per cent of full economic costs.	http://www.mrc.ac.uk/funding/how-we-fund-research/highlight-notices/work-in-harwell/
Public engagement small awards scheme	Science and Technology Facilities Council	28 Apr 16	2015B proposals due by 4pm, 8 October 2015; 2016A proposals due between 17 February and 28 April 2016.	Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Equipment and materials	£10,000	£500	-	This supports small, local or pilot projects promoting science and technology. Awards range in size from £500 to £10,000 and may cover expenses for materials, salaries, travel and subsistence.	http://www.stfc.ac.uk/news/public-engagement-small-awards-scheme
Transnational call in maritime technologies	ERA-Net MARTEC II	29 Apr 16 (Forecast)	!! Call has not yet been announced by funder, but this is the approximate deadline we expect. Proposals due by 5pm CET. This call is repeated once a year.	Technology innovation/development, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Innovation grants, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	This supports collaborative research projects aiming at developing new knowledge, new technology and products, in order to improve European competitiveness and to address major societal needs. Funding is available for projects lasting a maximum of 36 months. Each country funds his participants and the form of reimbursement can vary from country to country.	https://www.martec-era.net/index.php?index=60
Career re-entry fellowships in biomedical science	Wellcome Trust	02 May 16	Preliminary applications due by 5pm, 2 May; full applications due by 5pm, 4 July 2016.	Senior fellowships, Postdoctoral training fellowships, Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Travel for research purposes, Publish, edit, translate, disseminate, Equipment and materials, Mid-Career fellowships	-	-	-	These support postdoctoral scientists who have recently decided to recommence a scientific research career after a break of at least two years. Fellowships are tenable for two to four years and cover a salary, research expenses and public engagement costs, as well as modest requests for equipment and funding for re-training.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Biomedical-science/Funding-schemes/Fellowships/Basic-biomedical-fellowships/WT004380.htm
Sir Henry Wellcome postdoctoral fellowships	Wellcome Trust	02 May 16	Preliminary applications due by 5pm, 2 May; invited full applications due by 5pm, 4 July 2016.	Early-Career fellowships, Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Equipment and materials	£250,000	-	-	These enable newly qualified postdoctoral researchers to make an early start in developing their independent research careers, working in the best laboratories in the UK and overseas. Fellowships provide £250,000 over four years, covering salary and research expenses.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Biomedical-science/Funding-schemes/Fellowships/Basic-biomedical-fellowships/WT033549.htm
Master's awards in humanities and social science	Wellcome Trust	02 May 16	This call is repeated once a year.	Financial aid for postgraduate students, Directed grants for individual investigators	-	-	-	These support individuals to undertake any humanities or social science master's course which has a predominant focus on human or animal health. Awards include a stipend, as well as UK home student level fees, for one year. Applicants must not have already received postgraduate study support from another funding body.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Humanities-and-social-science/Funding-schemes/Masters-awards/index.htm
Seeding drug discovery	Wellcome Trust	04 May 16 (Forecast)	!! Call has not yet been announced by funder, but this is the approximate deadline we expect. Applications due by 5pm GMT.	Technology innovation/development, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Innovation grants	-	-	-	Funding is available to facilitate early-stage small molecule drug discovery that will be the springboard for further research and development by the biotechnology and pharmaceutical industry in areas of unmet medical need. Projects are supported for up to four years, depending on the stage of development.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Innovations/Awards/Seeding-Drug-Discovery/index.htm
COMING SOON: BBSRC enterprise fellowships	Royal Society of Edinburgh	04 May 16	Applications due by 4pm.	Early-Career fellowships, Senior fellowships, Predoctoral training fellowships, Postdoctoral training fellowships, Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Equipment and materials, Mid-Career fellowships	-	-	-	The Biotechnology and Biological Sciences Research Council, will shortly be inviting applications for the BBSRC enterprise fellowships. The next deadline will be 4 May 2016, and more information is expected to be released shortly. The following call details are from the previous round, and are subject to change. These fellowships enable an individual to advance the commercialisation of existing research and outcomes or technological developments, whilst also receiving formal training in relevant business skills, with the objective to increase exploitation of ideas with commercial potential from BBSRC-funded research programmes.	http://www.royalsoced.org.uk/638_BBSRCEnterpriseFellowships.html
COMING SOON: STFC enterprise fellowships	Royal Society of Edinburgh	04 May 16	This call is repeated once a year.	Predoctoral fellowships, Early-Career fellowships, Senior fellowships, Technology innovation/development, Directed grants for individual investigators, Innovation grants, Academic-Industry links, Mid-Career fellowships	-	-	-	The Science and Technology Facilities Council, will shortly be inviting applications for the STFC enterprise fellowships. The next deadline will be 4 May 2016. More information is expected to be released shortly. The following call details are from the previous round, and are subject to change. These fellowships enable an individual to advance the commercialisation of existing research and outcomes or technological developments, whilst also receiving formal training in relevant business skills, with the objective to increase exploitation of ideas with commercial potential from STFC-funded research programmes.	http://www.royalsoced.org.uk/637_STFCEnterpriseFellowships.html

Energy game changer competition	Innovate UK	04 May 16	Registrations are invited between 28 March and 12 noon, 4 May; video submissions due by 12 noon, 11 May; invited full applications due by 12 noon 7 July 2016.	Technology innovation/development, Research calls for business, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Innovation grants, Academic-Industry links, Networking/collaboration	-	-	£1,500,000	Funding supports technical feasibility studies which encourage new entrants into the energy sector and stimulate the adoption of disruptive technologies that address challenges faced by the energy sector. The total budget is worth up to £1.5 million. Each project may receive between £25,000 and £100,000 for a period of six to 12 months, although larger projects may be considered.	https://interact.innovateuk.org/competition-display-page/asset_publisher/RqE12AKmEBHi/content/energy-game-changer
Health technology assessment programme: researcher-led workstream – evidence synthesis – 15/187	Department of Health including NIHR	05 May 16	Applications due by 1pm.	Clinical trials, Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	This programme supports research that is immediately useful to patients, clinical practice, and policy and decision makers, assessing the effectiveness of technologies within the NHS.	http://www.nets.nihr.ac.uk/funding/hta-researcher-led
British Academy/Leverhulme small research grants	British Academy	11 May 16	Applications due by 5pm. Deadlines on: 14 October 2015, 11 May 2016.	Hosting visits, Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Networking/collaboration	£10,000	£500	-	These support primary research in the humanities and social sciences. Grants are tenable for up to two years and are worth between £500 and £10,000. These enable UK institutions to host eminent researchers from overseas, primarily to enhance the skills of academic staff or students at the host institution. Funding covers maintenance, travel expenses and research costs and supports visits that last between three and 12 months. Travel within the UK, laboratory consumables and essential technical assistance may also be covered.	http://www.britac.ac.uk/funding/guide/srg.cfm
Visiting professorships	Leverhulme Trust	12 May 16	Applications due by 4pm. This call is repeated 2 times a year.	Institutional development, Hosting visits, Equipment and materials, Grants - undirected, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	This scheme provides capital funding for large-scale projects that support public engagement or medical history. Awards are normally worth over £200,000.	http://www.leverhulme.ac.uk/funding/VP/VP.cfm
Capital funding for public engagement and medical history	Wellcome Trust	13 May 16	This call is repeated once a year.	General operating support, Buildings (renovation/refurbishment), Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc, Equipment and materials	-	£200,000	-	This scheme provides capital funding for large-scale projects that support public engagement or medical history. Awards are normally worth over £200,000.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Public-engagement/Funding-schemes/Capital-awards/index.htm
Philip Leverhulme prizes	Leverhulme Trust	16 May 16	Nominations are invited between 4 January and 16 May 2016. This call is repeated once a year.	Prizes	£100,000	-	£3,000,000	These recognise the achievement of outstanding researchers whose work has attracted international recognition and whose future career is promising. Up to 30 awards are available, each worth £100,000 over two to three years.	http://www.leverhulme.ac.uk/funding/PLP/PLP.cfm
Intermediate clinical fellowships	Wellcome Trust	18 May 16	Preliminary applications due by 5pm, 18 May and 5pm, 30 October 2015; invited full applications due by 5pm, 13 July 2015 and 5pm, 11 January 2016.	Early-Career fellowships, Postdoctoral training fellowships, Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Publish, edit, translate, disseminate, Equipment and materials	-	-	-	These enable medical, dental, veterinary or clinical psychology graduates to continue their research interests at a postdoctoral level in an appropriate unit or clinical research facility. Fellowships provide research expenses and a salary for up to four or five years.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Biomedical-science/Funding-schemes/Fellowships/Clinical-fellowships/WTD004402.htm
Health technology assessment programme: commissioned call 15/33	Department of Health including NIHR	19 May 16	Proposals due by 1pm.	Clinical trials, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc	-	-	-	The HTA programme aims to ensure that high quality research information on the effectiveness, costs and broader impact of health technology is produced in the most efficient way for those who use, manage, provide care in or develop policies in the NHS. Proposals are sought for projects on promising pharmacological therapy for patients with treatment resistant bipolar depression.	http://www.nets.nihr.ac.uk/funding/hta-commissioned
Senior research fellowships in basic biomedical science	Wellcome Trust	24 May 16	Preliminary applications due by 5pm, 24 May; full applications due by 5pm, 27 July 2016. This call is repeated 3 times a year.	Senior fellowships, Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Travel for research purposes, Publish, edit, translate, disseminate, Equipment and materials, Networking/collaboration, Mid-Career fellowships	-	-	-	These support outstanding postdoctoral scientists based in academic institutions in the UK and the Republic of Ireland. Fellowships are tenable for five years in the first instance, and provide a basic salary, normally of up to £65,000 per year, with an additional trust supplement of £12,500 per year, research programme costs, including equipment and collaborative travel, inflation allowance and public engagement costs.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Biomedical-science/Funding-schemes/Fellowships/Basic-biomedical-fellowships/WTD004442.htm
Senior research fellowships in clinical science	Wellcome Trust	24 May 16	Preliminary applications due by 5pm, 24 May; full applications due by 5pm, 27 July 2016. This call is repeated 3 times a year.	Senior fellowships, Travel to conferences, meetings etc., Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Publish, edit, translate, disseminate, Equipment and materials, Networking/collaboration	-	-	-	These enable clinical investigators to further develop their research potential and to establish themselves as leading investigators in clinical academic medicine. Fellowships are tenable for five years and cover basic salary, research expenses, including equipment and collaborative travel, inflation allowance and public engagement costs. Additional funding is available to enable institutions to recruit exceptional scientists to the UK from overseas.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Biomedical-science/Funding-schemes/Fellowships/Clinical-fellowships/WTD004445.htm
Mary Seacole awards	NHS Employers	29 May 16 (Forecast)	!! Call has not yet been announced by funder, but this is the approximate deadline we expect. Applications are accepted between 27 February and 29 May 2015. This call is repeated once a year.	Personal development, Directed grants for individual investigators	£12,500	-	-	These support specific healthcare projects or other educational or developmental activities that aim to improve the health outcomes of people from black and minority ethnic communities. Awards are worth up to £12,500 each.	http://www.nhsemployers.org/your-workforce/plan/building-a-diverse-workforce/get-involved/the-mary-seacole-awards
Community resource for wheat transformation	National Institute of Agricultural Botany	31 May 16		Directed grants for individual investigators, Directed grants to institutions, research groups etc	-	-	-	Funding provides capacity for genes to be transformed into wheat lines of choice, with half of the resource reserved for researchers working on model crops to encourage early testing of novel genes in wheat, and the remaining half reserved for researchers working on cereal crops, wheat and barley.	http://www.niab.com/transgenic
Sir Henry Dale fellowships	Wellcome Trust	01 Jun 16 (Forecast)	!! Call has not yet been announced by funder, but this is the approximate deadline we expect. Preliminary applications due by 5pm on 1 December 2015; invited full applications due by 5pm, 12 February 2016.	Early-Career fellowships, Travel for research purposes, Directed grants for individual investigators, Networking/collaboration, Mid-Career fellowships	-	-	-	These enable postdoctoral scientists who wish to build their own UK-based independent research career to address an important biomedical question. Fellowships are tenable for five years in the first instance, with the potential to apply for competitive renewal for an additional three years.	http://www.wellcome.ac.uk/Funding/Biomedical-science/Funding-schemes/Fellowships/Basic-biomedical-fellowships/WTD031823.htm