Breast Cancer Alliance - 2016 Exceptional Project Grant

***PLEASE NOTE: ONLY THREE (3) CANDIDATES FROM TUFTS UNIVERSITY MAY SUBMIT LOI’s ****

DEADLINES:

Tufts Internal Email of Intent Deadline: Friday, March 13, 2015 by 4pm
Sponsor Required LOI Deadline: April 2, 2014
Sponsor Full Proposal Deadline: July 24, 2015

For those interested, please send an email of intent to the Office of Research Administration (ORA) researchadministration@tufts.edu informing us of an intention to apply. The email of intent needs to include only the:

1. name of the solicitation,
2. name of the Principal Investigator, and any co-PI’s,
3. subject or title of the proposed project, and
4. 2-3 sentences that briefly describe the potential proposal

If the number of PIs interested is greater than three, ORA will initiate an internal review process by informing those who submitted an email of intent of the next step in the process.

PROGRAM INFORMATION: The mission of the Breast Cancer Alliance is to improve survival rates and quality of life for those impacted by breast cancer through better prevention, early detection, treatment and cure. To promote these goals, we invest in innovative research, breast surgery fellowships, regional education, dignified support and screening for the uninsured and underserved.

To accomplish this, the Breast Cancer Alliance:

- Funds a diversified portfolio of breast cancer research
- Funds Breast Surgery Fellowship programs
- Funds the purchase of equipment for research
- Provides timely information on breast health and the importance of early detection
- Supports outreach and case managerial services, education, counseling and mammograms for underserved and underinsured women in mid to southern Connecticut and Westchester County, New York

This award recognizes creative, unique and innovative research and is open to clinical doctors and research scientists at any stage of their career whose primary focus is breast cancer. The research project must be directly related to the field of breast cancer. Areas of relevant research may include but are not limited to: diagnosis, etiology, immunology, genetics, therapies, prevention and clinical studies.

AWARD INFORMATION: The Award is one year and provides salary support and project costs of $100,000. Administrative costs, which are included in the $100,000 award, must be limited to 8% of grant funds.

FURTHER INFORMATION: http://breastcanceralliance.org/grants-program-overview/

All materials are to be submitted electronically to the Office of Research Administration at researchadministration@tufts.edu.