Melanoma Research Alliance

Young Investigator Applicant Eligibility Checklist

This checklist is required to ensure the eligibility of Young Investigator applicants. *For Young Investigator Award applications*: A <u>signed</u> checklist must be returned via email to Kris'tina Ackerman at <u>kackerman@curemelanoma.org</u> before October 20, 2023 (and a copy must be uploaded to the online application). *For Team Science Award applications*: A <u>signed</u> checklist must be uploaded as an attachment to the LOI application in Proposal Central. Electronic/digital signatures are permitted.

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| AD | plicant | Name: |
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Position Title: ______

Title of Project: ______

| YES | NO | Please answer the following: |
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| | | 1. Does the applicant currently hold the title of Assistant Professor or a title that is considered |
| | | by the institution to be a full-time, independent faculty-level position? |

| If answer to question 1 is 'NO', please answer questions 2-3: | | | | |
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| Will the applicant hold by June 1, 2024 the title of Assistant Professor or a title that is considered by the institution to be a full-time, independent faculty-level position? <i>**If you do not hold a title of "professor," but believe your position makes you eligible as a Young Investigator, please contact Rachel Fischer at rfischer@curemelanoma.org to confirm.</i> | | | | |
| | 3. | Is the applicant able to apply for research grants as an independent Principal Investigator? | | |

****NOTE:** You must answer "YES" to either question 1, OR questions 2 & 3, to be considered eligible.

| All applicants please answer questions 4-5 | | | | |
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| | 4. Has the applicant held this, or any other full-time, independent faculty position, at any | | | |
| | institution, prior to November 3, 2018? | | | |
| | 5. Does the applicant currently have, or will have by June 1, 2024, defined laboratory space that | | | |
| | the applicant controls independent from other staff? | | | |

 If the answer to question 5 is 'NO', please answer question 6:

 Will the applicant will be permitted independent laboratory space, for the duration of the proposed project, by another individual? Please provide the Name, Title, and Department of the head of the laboratory where the applicant will be conducting their project:

 (Name, Title, Department) *The above-mentioned individual is required to sign below

****NOTE:** You must answer "NO" to question 4 to be considered eligible. And you must either answer "YES" to question 5, OR answer "YES" and provide a name for question 6 to be considered eligible.



Applicant Signature:

Head of Laboratory where Applicant will be conducting project (*if applicable*):

(Signature)

(Signature)

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| Date: _ | | | |

| Print Name: | |
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| Title: | |
| Date: | |

Department Chair, Division Head, or Dean:

| (Signature) | | |
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| Print Name: | | |
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| Date: | | |