



EQUIPMENT GRANT

The Pathological Society of Great Britain and Ireland has established an award of up to a **maximum of £10, 000** for part purchase of items of equipment and/or software.

The purpose of this grant is to support Pathologists actively engaged in research. It is expected that the equipment and/or software will be of benefit to multiple users and will aid increase in research capacity by expanding currently available facilities for higher throughput or implementation of new methods. Applications for renewal of equipment will also be considered although “project specific” applications are not encouraged.

Applications will be judged by the Research Subcommittee of the Pathological Society and one award will be made in each round.

The Terms and Conditions of the Equipment Grant are as follows:

1. Applications are invited from Members of the Society in good standing for at least 12 months
2. Non-members may apply as co-applicants with a Member of the Society but it is expected that the equipment will be based within the department in Great Britain & Ireland.
3. The sum requested should not exceed £10,000. This sum should be a part of the purchase cost of the equipment/software. Evidence of monies from other sources must be provided with the application.
4. An electronic version of the application must be sent to the Deputy Administrator by 1st April or 1st October.
5. Applications should comprise one electronic version of the following:
 - (a) Covering letter
 - (b) Application (maximum 2-pages of A4) explaining the proposal and justifying the proposed expenditure.
 - (c) 1-page C.V. of the principal applicant and one co-applicant.
 - (d) A quotation for the item of equipment.
6. A two-page report must be sent to the Deputy Administrator within twelve months of equipment purchase detailing its utilization. Failure to provide a report will preclude future support in this and other schemes run by the Society.
7. The Society will normally withdraw funding if the grant is not acknowledged and accepted within 12 months of the offer.

Application is on-line only www.pathsoc.org