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IRED RESEARCH GRANT 2022 REGULATIONS

The IRED Research Grant is intended to support a scientific project in the field of dental medicine and related fields.

The main objective of the Institute for Research and Education in Dental Medicine (IRED) is to support scientific research projects and the dissemination of new knowledge, thereby promoting clinical progress and improving the life quality of patients with dental diseases and anomalies in the oral and maxillofacial region.

1 APPLICANTS

The IRED research grant is intended for dentists from Switzerland or any other country. We welcome applications both from universities and private offices.

2 RESEARCH PROJECTS

The IRED Research Grant supports clinical and experimental scientific research projects in the area of dental medicine. The applicant may also apply for contributions from other funds or grants for the same project, but this must be declared.

In 2022, the research grant will be granted to projects in the area of implant dentistry and related fields.

The research grant can be used for:

- Funding of the purchase or rental of materials, equipment, software
- Payment of auxiliary staff, auxiliary assistants, software specialists, epidemiologists, statisticians, costs of the ethics application, etc.

The research grant can not be used for:

- Participation in meetings, congresses, workshops and similar events (travel expenses, congress fees, etc.)
- Already completed research projects in the publication phase, where data collection and analysis have already been carried out

3 APPLICATION

a Project Description

- Introduction including aim of the study and hypotheses
- Material and methods including sample size analysis
- Expected results and conclusions
- Bibliography

b Project Execution

- Names and roles of the investigators
- Timeline indicating the endpoints for the following phases: writing of the final protocol, ethics committee application, study intervention, data collection, statistical analysis, submission of publication(s), end of project
- Place of implementation and clinics/departments involved

c Budgeting

- Detailed information and calculations on where and how the grant is to be used within the project.
- Equipment, apparatus, etc.: invoices, prices, rental fees
- Personnel: hourly expenditure, calculation of remuneration
- Patient compensation: hourly expenditure, calculation of compensation

4 SUBMISSION

The application must be written in English and sent by e-mail to info@ired.swiss.
Deadline for the submission of the IRED Research Grant 2022 is 01.07.2022.

5 REVIEW AND DECISION

The clinical relevance and scientific quality of the projects are decisive for the awarding of research grants.

A review board appointed by the IRED Scientific Committee will review the applications. The reviewers are assigned to the different applications according to their field of expertise and under consideration of greatest impartiality. The final decision for funding of a research proposal is made by the Scientific Committee. The Science Committee takes final decisions unanimously. Biased committee members (e.g. co-applicants, mutual institutional affiliation) are excluded from the decision making process.