



IMPACT

Thrombotic Microangiopathies

Early Career Immersion Award

Application Deadline: May 1, 2026

Apply here: <https://grants.rarediseasesnetwork.org/grants/IMPACT-EC>

IMPACT is pleased to support Early Career Scholars with a 12-month translational or clinical immersion experience in thrombotic microangiopathies (TMAs). Early career scholars will complete a mentored TMA research project (at home institution), travel to a TMA expert site for an additional TMA immersion sabbatical (4-8 weeks) and receive online professional development in research methods. Physicians from all specialties that treat TMAs (hematology, nephrology, pathology, transplant medicine, etc) should consider applying.

Stipend:

- \$17,500 used toward awardee travel expenses or toward the research project

Scholar Experience:

- Mentored research experience
- 4–8 week TMA immersion sabbatical with a TMA expert
- Research Educational Professional Development modules
- Attendance at TMA research meetings to get detailed feedback on the scholar's TMA mentored research project, network with TMA experts, TMA patients, and TMA care providers

Eligibility:

- 1st, 2nd, or 3rd year of an US fellowship or have an Assistant Professor or Instructor equivalent title at a US institution
- Able to commit effort to research and training activities over the course of 12-months
- Applicants must have a hematology or TMA mentor at home institution

As part of the application applicants will submit:
Mentor NIH biosketch or SciENCv, Applicant NIH biosketch or SciENCv, personal statement describing interest in TMAs, short abstract describing potential TMA project, and two letters of recommendation.

Questions? Contact

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