

# Jeffress Trust Awards Program in Interdisciplinary Research

*Promoting scientific discovery through interdisciplinary collaboration and integration of innovative computational and quantitative strategies*

**Deadline Extension for 2020 Grant Cycle: Tuesday, April 7, 2020**

**Thomas F. and Kate Miller Jeffress Memorial Trust**  
*with support from*  
**Hazel Thorpe Carman and George Gay Carman Trust**  
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**Application Deadline Extended:** Tuesday, April 7, 2020 12:00 PM, US Eastern Time

**Award Amount:** Up to fifteen one-year awards of \$100,000

**Funding Period:** June 30, 2020 - June 29, 2021

**Eligibility:**

Applicants must:

- Work as a full-time faculty member at a non-profit academic or research institution in Virginia

- Have completed no more than seven years since their first faculty appointment as of June 30, 2020
- Propose a project in an eligible research area, including astronomy, biosciences, chemistry, computer sciences, engineering, environmental sciences, material science, mathematics and physics

Please note: Faculty from medical schools and schools of Osteopathic Medicine may not apply as Principal Investigators; however, they are encouraged to collaborate as Co-Investigators.

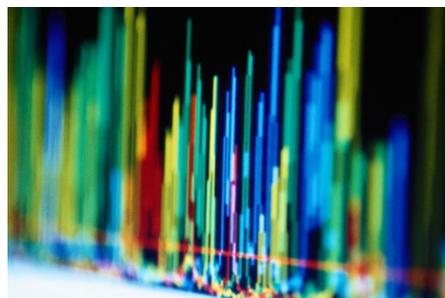
### Application Materials

#### Overview:

The Jeffress Memorial Trust was founded in 1981 by Robert M. Jeffress in memory of his parents and is guided by its mission to benefit the people of Virginia and their research in chemical, medical or other scientific fields.

The Jeffress Trust awards support high impact, innovative one-year projects that integrate computational and quantitative scientific strategies across a broad range of scientific disciplines.

The Hazel Thorpe Carman and George Gay Carman Trust may offer an additional award in support of one project submitted through the Jeffress Awards Program mechanism that meets the criteria of the Jeffress Program and is relevant to the to the funder's focus of either mental health or blood disorders.



#### Questions:

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