

The development of a safe and effective HIV vaccine is one of the greatest biomedical research challenges of our time. The HIV Vaccine Trials Network (HVTN) is now accepting applications for Research and Mentorship Program (RAMP) Scholar Grants to attract BIPOC medical students who want to make a difference in their communities and contribute to the development of an effective HIV vaccine.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS:

- 8 -10 week or 9 -12-month research projects in the areas of clinical, laboratory, or socialbehavioral research
- Structured mentorship by HVTN investigator(s)
- Travel to an HIV Vaccine Clinical Research Site in the US or abroad
- Attendance at an HVTN Full Group Meeting
- Oral and poster presentations and potential for publication
- Opportunity to return as a RAMP Alumni

PROGRAM RESOURCES:

- Up to \$20,000 for short-term projects (8-10-weeks)
- Up to \$70,000 for long-term projects
 (9-12 months)
- Funding includes salary, materials, and travel
- Career mentoring and access to HIV vaccine research expertise
- Training webinars through the course of the year and a professional development workshop at the conclusion of the program
- Professional development funds for courses and non-HVTN conferences

Please visit hvtn.org/RAMP or contact: Linda Oseso at loseso@fredhutch.org

Applications are due by 5:00pm PST on January 02, 2024

