

**LADY TATA MEMORIAL TRUST
INTERNATIONAL AWARDS FOR RESEARCH IN LEUKAEMIA
ACADEMIC YEAR 2011-12**

The Trustees of the Lady Tata Memorial Trust invite applications for Awards for personal support for research on leukaemia, in the Academic Year beginning 1 October 2011. Awards are restricted to studies of the leukaemogenic agents, the epidemiology, pathogenesis, immunology and genetic basis of leukaemia. Applications not directly related to the field of leukaemia will not be considered.

Awards are open to suitably qualified investigators of any nationality. Priority will be given to those intending to move to other centres with a view to establishing scientific collaboration between laboratories. In addition, one grant of a studentship for a student entering an M Phil/PhD programme is available.

Awards are usually tenable for one year in the first instance. Awards for two years may be given if this is considered by the Trust to be in the best interests of a particular project. An M Phil/PhD studentship will normally be granted for two years. Renewal for a third year on the strength of eighteen-month progress reports will only be considered for studentships. Awards in recent years have been between £15,000 and £25,000 per annum. To apply for an Award complete the attached application form.

Please note: EIGHT (8) copies of the whole application, including the form, summary of proposed research and two letters of reference (together with TWO self-addressed envelopes) must be submitted before 1 March 2011, and should be addressed to:

Professor D Catovsky, c/o Mr J D Contractor, Tata Limited, 18 Grosvenor Place, London SW1X 7HS. Awards will be announced by the Trustees in June.

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Applicant's Check List

Full name

Postal address

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Telephone number (include country and area codes)

Fax number (include country and area codes)

Email address

	Number required	Number submitted
Whole application form	8 copies	
Summary of proposed research	8 copies	
Two letters of reference	8 copies	
Self-addressed envelopes	2	

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Application for an award for research in leukaemia and allied conditions

A. Personal particulars

Full name		Sex	
		Nationality	
		Date of birth	
Postal address <i>Please include fax and email details</i>			
Qualifications, etc <i>With dates & sources</i>			
Present position			
Previous career			
Scientific publications	<i>Please attach list of principal publications relevant to your application</i>		
Names of 2 confidential referees <i>Enclose letters of reference</i>	1. 2.		

B Particulars of proposed research

Title of intended research <i>Append detailed account of background, aims and methods</i>	
The Institute or Laboratory that has accepted you to work there	<i>Append statement of approval from the Director</i>
Name of Director who has agreed to supervise the work	<i>Not applicable to post-doctoral workers</i>

C Support requested

Personal awards are made according to age, qualification, seniority (pre-doctoral or post-doctoral), and experience. They are awarded for 1 year in the first instance, renewable annually for a maximum of 3 years. The stipends offered are those appropriate to the Institution where the work will be done, and include obligatory bench fees, University fees, superannuation, and annual increments when required. You should ascertain the total sum appropriate to your case from the Institution where you intend to work. Proportionate adjustment is to be made if the work is to be done on a part-time basis.

Has an application been made to any other organization?		
Support sought	1st year	2nd year
Personal Stipend		
Bench fees and/or University fees		
Superannuation		
Total		

Guidelines for research proposals.

The research proposal should be a maximum length of five pages and state clearly:

**Aims of the study,
Background,
Methods and
Relevance to leukaemia**

Please notify the Secretary of the Scientific Advisory Committee at once if you obtain alternative support before an Award is made, or during its tenure.

Signature of applicant

Date

Please send eight (8) signed copies of this form and the whole application to:
Professor D Catovsky, Chairman of the Scientific Advisory Committee, Lady Tata Memorial Trust, C/O Mr JD Contractor, Tata Limited, 18 Grosvenor Place, London SW1X 7HS.