CLIRPath-AI Discipline Hopping Conference Fund

CLIRPath-AI is an EPSRC funded network that aims to link academics and clinicians in the fields of spectroscopy, digital pathology, and artificial intelligence to find cross-disciplinary solutions to improve diagnosis and benefit patients.

The Discipline-Hopping Conference Grant will enable researchers and clinicians to attend conferences in another field from their own speciality to gain a better understanding of the other areas of the CLIRPath-AI network. Its goal is to aid in building long term-collaborative partnerships and providing a forum for the development of novel lines of inquiry and interpretative frameworks.

These grants cover the cost of registration, travel and subsistence for conference attendance and should not normally exceed £1500.

Who can apply

The CLIRPath-AI Discipline-Hopping Conference Grant is open to academics, early career researchers and clinicians looking to gain a better understanding and stimulate inter-disciplinary research linking Spectroscopy, Digital Pathology and AI.

To apply you must be a UK resident and currently be employed at a University or NHS trust, hospital, board, primary care trust or general practice. Unfortunately, our funding does not cover PhD students or anyone based outside of the UK.

You must show how attendance at a discipline hopping conference will benefit your understanding of the selected field, and how it fits into the remit of the CLIRPath-AI Network. The grant will not cover attendance to conferences in your own field.

You can apply for a Discipline-Hopping Conference Grant at any time as there is no fixed deadline.

We also offer a Discipline-Hopping Training Grant that covers temporary visits to other labs. Please see our website for more information
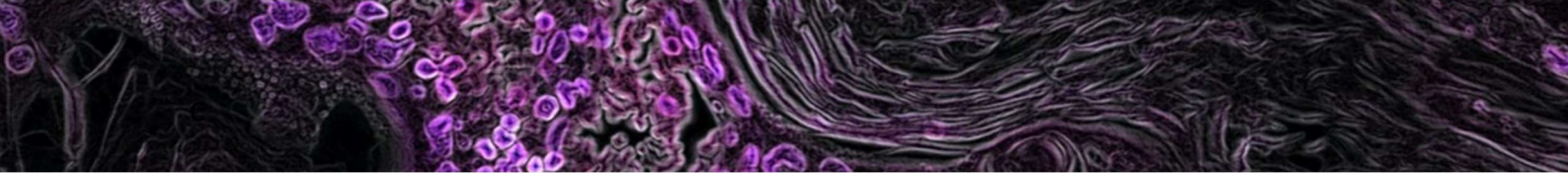
What the grant covers

The Discipline-Hopping Conference Grant requires the following essential criteria to be satisfied:

- It must fit into the remit of CLIRPath-AI, aiding in linking at least two of the disciplines of Spectroscopy, Pathology and AI and benefiting the network.
- Amount requested must be justified and normally be no more than £1500
- Must be UK-based

The grant will cover:

- Conference registration
- Reasonable travel and subsistence spends

How to apply

You must complete the CLIRPath-AI Discipline Hopping Conference Application Form as found on our website and submit it to admin@CLIRPath-AI.org

Contact Details

Please contact admin@CLIRPath-AI.org