JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY
Research Projects Administration
is accepting nominations for

THE HARTWELL FOUNDATION
Individual Biomedical Research Award for 2010

Description:
The Hartwell Foundation provides funding for “early-stage, innovative, and cutting-edge” biomedical research with the potential to benefit the health of children in the United States. The Foundation is principally interested in proposals from faculty in medicine and biomedical engineering and in work that may be considered high-risk. This foundation seeks out projects that address an unmet need, will have a major impact on the health of children, make use of technology, have a significant potential for clinical application in five (5) to eight (8) years, and are not yet eligible for funding from other sources. Applicants must be U.S. citizens.

Special Note: Faculty members at any level are eligible to apply.

Funding:
The Foundation will select ten (10) individuals to receive an Award that will provide research support totaling $300K (to be distributed in increments of $100K each year for a period of three years). Johns Hopkins can submit four (4) nominations for this program. For more specific information, please see the accompanying document “2010 Application Process and Administrative Guidelines.” Please note information in the Financial Benefit section (page 8) and the Interview of Nominees section (page 9).

Internal Application/Nomination Procedure:
The deadline to submit preliminary applications for internal review is Friday, August 20, 2010, to ensure the internal review and selection process will be completed in a suitable time period. Interested applicants should submit their materials to Mike Alexander at malexander@jhu.edu, indicating in the subject line: “Hartwell-IBRA 2010 internal application.” Please send the following documents in sequence via one PDF:

- JHU Limited Submission cover sheet (attached)
- Curriculum vitae (2-4 pages, listing all sources of funding)
- Research proposal (4-5 pages text: double-spaced with 12-pt type and one-inch margins, not including figures and references)
- Letter of recommendation from the candidate’s department chair/director
- Budget (one page maximum)

Each applicant should expect to receive a confirmation of receipt within 48 hours. If you do not receive an acknowledgement, please contact Mike Alexander at: (410) 516-8734 or by e-mail. Completed applications must be received by the Hartwell Foundation no later than Monday, November 1, 2010.