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Title of Proposal:

Please use the following checklist if your submission is eligible for more than one of the following awards. At most you can only receive one award.

Submit only one application with checklist attached.

☐ Janice Scully Dorman Endowed Omics Research Fund Award
The Janice Scully Dorman Endowed Omics Research Fund was established by Dr. Jan Dorman, the Founding Director of the School of Nursing's current T32 training grant in genomics. The fund shall be used to provide support for Omics research conducted by full-time graduate student(s) or current faculty member(s) at the School of Nursing. The fund may be renewed in successive years. The fund may not be used to support travel costs.

☐ Judith A. Erlen Nursing PhD Student Research Award
The purpose of the Judith A. Erlen Nursing PhD Student Research Award endowment is to provide awards to students in the University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing PhD Program. Awards shall be used for student expenses related to their dissertation, pilot study, or other research-related activities.

☐ Ruth and Bill Fincke PhD Student Research Award
The Ruth and Bill Fincke PhD Student Research Award was established to support scholars in their efforts to discover and extend scientific knowledge that advances the science and practice of nursing and clinical care for individuals with chronic disorders.

☐ Leslie A. Hoffman Endowed Acute Care Nursing Research Fund
The Leslie A. Hoffman Endowed Acute Care Nursing Research Fund was created to honor Dr. Leslie Hoffman’s life-long commitment to nursing research, the advancement of nursing practice, and continued improvements in patient care. Leslie Hoffman, PhD, RN, FAAN, served as a division head and later the Chair of the Department of Acute and Tertiary Care at the University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing from 1992-2010.

☐ Newmeyer-Thompson Doctoral Student Award
The Newmeyer-Thompson Doctoral Student Award was established to provide support to qualified PhD student(s) in the School of Nursing. The funds may be used for travel, dissertation expenses, dissemination of findings, or other related education expenses.
Juliana Shayne Research Fund Award
The Juliana Shayne Research Fund shall be used to provide support for graduate student research projects in the School of Nursing. Preference shall be given to Doctor of Nursing Practice students conducting geriatric or cancer research. The fund will be administered by the Dean of the School of Nursing or their designee.

Swigart/Gold Doctoral Award for Scholarship in Nursing Ethics
The Swigart/Gold Doctoral Award for Scholarship in Nursing Ethics provides support to PhD students who are developing a dissertation focused on ethics-related topics. Possible foci are issues of discrimination in health care, ethical problems in clinical practice, care of vulnerable populations, palliative care, death and dying, quality of life, issues of human or women’s rights, and methods for teaching nursing ethics. Selection of award recipients will be made by current nursing ethics faculty and as customary will be approved by the Dean of the School of Nursing.

Jayne F. Wiggins Memorial Scholarship Award
The Jayne F. Wiggins Memorial Scholarship in the School of Nursing shall provide annual support to the University of Pittsburgh School Of Nursing by providing a dissertation award. This award is to go to a student whose approved dissertation proposal is found to be well-designed with the potential to make a substantive contribution to clinical nursing practice. The award will be selected by a committee independent of the dissertation committee.

Margaret E. Wilkes Scholarship Fund Award
The Margaret E. Wilkes Scholarship Fund Award was established to provide support for a nursing student pursuing their PhD in order to help with the shortage of nursing educators. Mrs. Wilkes hopes that the recipient of this scholarship will one day use the education attained to teach other nurses. The applicant must demonstrate financial need at the time of submission. Cindy Henderson (hendersn@pitt.edu, 412-624-2406) in Student Affairs and Alumni Relations can provide assistance with completing the necessary forms.