Terms and Conditions:
Cancer Research UK
Engagement Prizes
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1 INTRODUCTION

Cancer Research UK has established three Engagement Prizes to recognise outstanding efforts and success at promoting cancer research in the UK, engaging the general public with cancer research and involving people affected by cancer in research. The three Prizes are: The Inspiring Leadership in Research Engagement Prize, The Rising Star in Research Engagement Prize, and the Patient Involvement in Research Prize.

The aim of the Prizes is to recognise the engagement and involvement efforts of members of the Cancer Research UK research community in raising awareness of cancer research in the UK and to stimulate support for Cancer Research UK’s engagement and involvement work.

1.1 Definitions

Prize or Prizes
One of the three Cancer Research UK Engagement Prizes, which recognise outstanding efforts and success at promoting research funded by Cancer Research UK, or collectively all three prizes.

Recipient
The recipient of each of the Prizes, as recommended annually by the Research Engagement Prizes selection panel.

Primary Recipient
For the Inspiring Leadership in Research Engagement Prize and the Patient Involvement in Research Prize, the first-named person on the nomination form, who will have obtained the agreement of all of the nominated Team members to represent the Team throughout the award process and take responsibility for the administration of the Prize.

Team
The team supporting the Primary Recipient of the Inspiring Leadership in Research Engagement Prize and the Patient Involvement in Research Prize.

Host Institution
The university or other institution at which a Recipient is based.
2 TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF CANCER RESEARCH UK ENGAGEMENT PRIZES

These Terms and Conditions apply only to the administration of the Prizes awarded to the Recipients. For more details see the Cancer Research UK Prizes website\(^1\). In all matters relating to the eligibility, nomination and decision-making processes, the most current published guidelines and terms and conditions will take precedence over any information contained in this document.

All Recipients and their Host Institutions must abide by the Terms and Conditions of these Prizes.

The Prizes will be announced at the Cancer Research UK Researchers’ Retreat following the decision of the selection panel. If Recipients are attending the Researchers’ Retreat, they will receive the prizes at this point; otherwise another suitable prize-giving opportunity will be determined subject to discussion with Cancer Research UK.

Until the announcement is made, all information about the Recipients of the Prizes, and about unsuccessful nominations, is confidential.

Cancer Research UK may share such confidential information among themselves and, without further reference to the Recipients or their Host Institutions, use information about the Prizes and Recipients, including photographs, information provided as part of the nomination and other publishable information held about the Recipients, in their publicity, marketing and fundraising activities.

Cancer Research UK may make reasonable requests of the Recipients to support the work of Cancer Research UK through participation in the Engagement Prize Judging Panel for the following year, advisory committees, consultations, working groups or other means. Recipients should, where possible, support Cancer Research UK in these ways.

2.1 Cancer Research UK Inspiring Leadership in Research Engagement Prize

The purpose of the Prize
This Prize will honour an individual and his/her team, who have demonstrated significant commitment to public engagement with cancer research and embedded a culture of public engagement within their institution or research group. The Primary Recipient and his/her team will have proactively sought to engage the general public with cancer research, increasing public understanding of issues relating to cancer research, and raised the profile of the research funded by Cancer Research UK. No more than one Prize will be awarded.

Summary of eligibility for the Prize
- Nominations may be made on behalf of individuals who are living at the time of the nomination.
- Individuals and their teams may self-nominate.
- Nominees need to be in receipt of, or have been supported either directly or indirectly by, Cancer Research UK funding.

\(^1\) Please see: https://www.cancerresearchuk.org/funding-for-researchers/how-we-deliver-research/research-engagement-prizes
• Cancer Research UK values diversity and inclusion and welcome nominations on behalf of suitable candidates from all backgrounds.
• While the current geographical location of the Nominee does not affect their eligibility a significant proportion of their public engagement work should have taken place in the UK.
• The Prize will be presented to an individual plus their team.
• Institutions or organisations are not eligible for the Prize.

The components of the Prize
• An honorarium of £5,000

The honorarium may be used to support, develop or extend public engagement activity, or to undertake training relating to public engagement. The Primary Recipient (with or without team members) will be expected to liaise with the Research Engagement team at Cancer Research UK on the proposed public engagement or training activity, the nature, date and timing of which shall be subject to discussion with Cancer Research UK.

The Primary Recipient and team should always use the full title of the Prize and refer to themselves as a holder of the Cancer Research UK Inspiring Leadership in Research Engagement Prize where appropriate.

The honorarium
The honorarium will be paid in a single instalment. It will be deposited in a bank account of the Primary Recipient’s choosing, the details of which should be forwarded to Cancer Research UK as soon as possible after notification. The members of the Team are entirely responsible for deciding how the grant will be allocated between members of the Team and what the Prize money will be used for.

Recipients are required to report (no later than 6 months after delivery of the activity/training) on how they have spent the money, and the following restrictions on the use of the money will apply:

1. The money should be used to support the public engagement activity of the Primary Recipient and his/her team, to develop new activities, to extend the reach of engagement currently provided, or to undertake training relating to public engagement. Cancer Research UK may provide guidance on the suitability of the proposed training or activity.

2. The money may not be spent in a way that is contrary to the vision and purpose of Cancer Research UK, or brings Cancer Research UK into disrepute. In particular, Recipients must abide by Cancer Research UK’s Code of Practice on Tobacco Industry Funding to Universities.

Cancer Research UK’s understanding is that a prize which is unsolicited, and which is awarded as a mark of honour, distinction or public esteem in recognition of outstanding achievement in a particular field, including the field in which the Recipient operates professionally, is not chargeable to UK tax. However, it is the responsibility of the Recipient to clarify their personal tax situation with their relevant tax authorities. Cancer Research UK will not offer advice on the tax implications of the Prize.
2.2 Cancer Research UK Rising Star in Research Engagement Prize

The purpose of the Prize

This Prize will recognise impact of research engagement carried out by an individual researcher or an individual who supports the delivery of high-quality research engagement activities. It is expected that the Recipient will have demonstrated exceptional commitment to stimulating enthusiasm and interest in cancer research from the general public, through creating innovative ways to engage people with research funded by Cancer Research UK. No more than one Prize will be awarded.

Summary of eligibility for the Prize

- Nominations may be made on behalf of individuals who are living at the time of the nomination.
- Individuals may self-nominate.
- Nominees need to be in receipt of, or have been supported either directly or indirectly by, Cancer Research UK funding.
- Cancer Research UK values diversity and inclusion and welcome nominations on behalf of suitable candidates from all backgrounds.
- While the current geographical location of the Nominee does not affect their eligibility a significant proportion of their public engagement work should have taken place in the UK.
- The Prize will be presented to an individual.
- Institutions or organisations are not eligible for the Prize.

The components of the Prize

- An honorarium of £1,000

The honorarium may be used to support, develop or extend public engagement activity, or to undertake training relating to public engagement. The Recipient will be expected to liaise with the Research Engagement team at Cancer Research UK on the proposed public engagement or training activity, the nature, date and timing of which shall be subject to discussion with Cancer Research UK.

The Recipient should use the full title of the Prize at all times, and refer to themselves as a holder of the Cancer Research UK Rising Star in Research Engagement Prize, where appropriate.

The honorarium

The honorarium will be paid in a single instalment. It will be deposited in a bank account of the Recipient’s choosing, the details of which should be forwarded to Cancer Research UK as soon as possible after notification.

Recipients are required to report (no later than 6 months after delivery of the activity/training) on how they have spent the money, and the following restrictions on the use of the money will apply:

1. The money should be used to support the public engagement activity of the Recipient, to develop new activities, to extend the reach of engagement currently provided, or to
undertake training relating to public engagement. Cancer Research UK may provide guidance on the suitability of the proposed training or activity.

2. The money may not be spent in a way that is contrary to the vision and purpose of Cancer Research UK, or brings Cancer Research UK into disrepute. In particular, Recipients must abide by Cancer Research UK’s Code of Practice on Tobacco Industry Funding to Universities.

Cancer Research UK’s understanding is that a prize which is unsolicited, and which is awarded as a mark of honour, distinction or public esteem in recognition of outstanding achievement in a particular field, including the field in which the Recipient operates professionally, is not chargeable to UK tax. However, it is the responsibility of the Recipient to clarify their personal tax situation with their relevant tax authorities. Cancer Research UK will not offer advice on the tax implications of the Prize.

2.3 Cancer Research UK Patient Involvement in Research Prize

The purpose of the Prize

The Patient Involvement in Research Prize recognises an individual or team who involve people affected by cancer in research in a high quality and meaningful way. Our 2020 Patient Involvement in Research Prize will be awarded in honour of Peter Rainey. A hugely influential and committed patient representative, Peter contributed a great deal to patient involvement and sadly passed away in 2018. No more than one Prize will be awarded.

Eligibility for the Prize

- Nominations may be made on behalf of individuals who are living at the time of the nomination.
- Individuals and their teams may self-nominate.
- Nominees need to be in receipt of, or have been supported either directly or indirectly by, Cancer Research UK funding.
- Cancer Research UK values diversity and inclusion and welcome nominations on behalf of suitable candidates from all backgrounds.
- While the current geographical location of the Nominee does not affect their eligibility a significant proportion of their public engagement work should have taken place in the UK.
- The Prize will be presented to an individual plus their team.
- Institutions or organisations are not eligible for the Prize.

The components of the Prize

- An honorarium of £1,000

The honorarium may be used to support, develop or extend patient involvement activity, or to undertake training relating to patient involvement. The winner may also be asked to give a public lecture, host a patient engagement activity, write a public-facing article for Cancer Research UK, or undertake a similar task, the nature and timing of which shall be subject to discussion with Cancer Research UK.
The Recipient should always use the full title of the Prize and refer to themselves as a holder of the Cancer Research UK Patient Involvement in Research Prize, where appropriate.

The honorarium
The honorarium will be paid in a single instalment. It will be deposited in a bank account of the Recipient’s choosing, the details of which should be forwarded to Cancer Research UK as soon as possible after notification.

Recipients are required to report (no later than 6 months after delivery of the activity/training) on how they have spent the money, and the following restrictions on the use of the money will apply:

1. The money should be used to support the patient involvement activity of the Recipient, to set up, develop or extend the reach of activity to involve cancer patients and their relatives in research, or to undertake training relating to public and patient involvement.

2. The money may not be spent in a way that is contrary to the vision and purpose of Cancer Research UK, or brings Cancer Research UK into disrepute. In particular, Recipients must abide by Cancer Research UK’s Code of Practice on Tobacco Industry Funding to Universities.

Cancer Research UK’s understanding is that a prize which is unsolicited, and which is awarded as a mark of honour, distinction or public esteem in recognition of outstanding achievement in a particular field, including the field in which the Recipient operates professionally, is not chargeable to UK tax. However, it is the responsibility of the Recipient to clarify their personal tax situation with their relevant tax authorities. Cancer Research UK will not offer advice on the tax implications of the Prize.