

One Mind Rising Star Awards

One Mind invites applications from early career investigators in neuroscience, psychiatry, and related disciplines for up to three \$300,000 research grants to accelerate the understanding, diagnosis, treatment, and prevention of psychiatric disorders.



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About

One Mind launched the Rising Star Awards in 2005 under the fundamental premise that investing in world-class early career investigators (ECIs) pursuing innovative, high-risk/ high-reward research would accelerate breakthroughs for psychiatric disorders. Since launch, One Mind has awarded 45 Rising Star Awards to ECIs who are pushing the frontiers of mental health science through their research and leadership.



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Rising Star Awards FAQ

This year, One Mind is offering up to three (3) One Mind Rising Star Awards to advance rigorous, evidence-based scientific research with great potential to benefit people living with psychiatric disorders and the mental healthcare system.



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and therapeutic action, and with the end-goal of identifying or developing biomarkers and therapeutic interventions to better diagnose, treat, and prevent such disorders. In addition, the Award includes participation in the One Mind Rising Star Leadership Program aimed at providing the Awardees with the skills, network, and opportunities to emerge as catalysts for meaningful change in the mental health ecosystem.

The awardees will be selected by One Mind's Scientific Advisory Board based on their academic credentials, research productivity, research proposal, and leadership potential.

Applications are due by Thursday, June 6, 5pm PST, 2024.



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basic/preclinical, translational, and clinical research for psychiatric disorders.

These include, but are not limited to, schizophrenia, bipolar disorder, depression, obsessive-compulsive disorder, eating disorders, post-traumatic stress disorder, anxiety disorders, and suicidality.

Outside the scope:

- Autism spectrum disorder, attention deficit/hyperactivity disorder, and neurodegenerative disorders are out of scope.
- Studies solely focused on addiction/substance use disorders

Each 2024 One Mind Rising Star Award winner will receive:

- A **research grant of \$300,000** over a three-year project period.

— Eligibility

- Applicants must be tenure-track, independent investigators (faculty or equivalent) already employed at the rank of assistant or associate professor (or equivalent) in a non-profit (public or private) academic or non-academic research institution.

— Application Requirements

All applications must be completed and submitted by June 6, 2024, through One Mind's [online grants management portal](#). Please register your account first on the portal and then click the Apply button to start your application.

The application includes the following:

- **Face Sheet:** Please fill in the requested information on the application portal.
- **Project Narrative:** Written in plain language understandable by a lay audience, the narrative should summarize the proposed research

- **Research Proposal:** The proposal should generally include background, significance/impact, hypothesis, rationale, experimental design, brief methods, predicted outcomes/expected datasets, pitfalls, and alternative strategies. The exact format is left to the applicant's discretion. Preliminary data is not required. The proposal should not overlap with existing funding. Please specify when you can start the project and any potential sources of delay (e.g. IRB approval, hiring etc.)
 - Specifications:
 - 2 pages maximum Arial

proposals for feasibility, scientific merit,

Key dates

April 23, 2024 Application portal opens

June 6, 2024 Applications due by 5 P.M.

Awardee Expectations & Policies