

# Funder Spotlight

This new series highlights public and private funders you may want to learn more about. Sign up for the funder's listserv or newsletter to keep updated on future grant announcements, or create a reminder on your calendar to check back on the funder website.

**Want to search for other grants?** Log into [Atom](#). Access a training on how to use Atom [here](#). Find a tipsheet for getting the most out of Atom [here](#).

**Want to discuss** your project idea or possible funding sources, get feedback on your grant documents, or access other grant seeking support? Contact [Melanie Bauer](#), the NSU Grant Writing Manager.

## *Burroughs Wellcome Fund*

<b>Type</b>	Private foundation
<b>Priorities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Biomedical sciences</li><li>• STEM workforce and education</li></ul>
<b>Link to Grants</b>	<a href="https://www.bwfund.org/grants/">https://www.bwfund.org/grants/</a>
<b>Fast Facts about Funding History</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Founded in 1955 as the corporate foundation of a pharmaceutical firm, but since independently incorporated and headquartered in NC</li><li>• Awarded \$39.8M in grants in fiscal year 2024 (most recent data available), with the majority going to biomedical science mini-sabbatical awards (25%), physical/math/computational science and engineering career awards (20%), infectious disease (14%), and reproductive science (11%)</li></ul>
<b>Notable Grant Opportunity</b>	<a href="#">Climate Change and Human Health Seed Grants</a>

Small grants (up to \$50K) to promote the growth of new connections between scholars, practitioners, educators, and/or communicators working to understand, spread the word about, and mitigate the impacts of climate change on human health.

### Other Things to Know

- Especially focused on early career investigators (faculty, postdocs, graduate students) and the basic biomedical sciences
- Learn more about their recent funding history in their [2024 Annual Report](#)
- Encouraged to reach out to speak to a Program Officer about your project idea and/or to attend scheduled webinars/office hours

### What Should You Do Next?

- Find more grant opportunities using [Atom](#)
- Reach out to staff in the [Grant Lab](#) to discuss a grant or funder
- Access proposal development [templates and guides](#)
- [Find a collaborator at NSU](#)
- Sign up for grantsmanship [trainings](#) to upgrade your grant seeking skills
- Get more guidance as a [new investigator](#) throughout the research life cycle

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