

2021-2022 Approved Grants



CHIEF INVESTIGATOR	RESEARCH PROJECT TITLE	OTHER INVESTIGATORS	LOCATION	Priming Scheme	Amount	Grant Name
Jamie Craig	Is pseudoexfoliation syndrome triggered by viral infection?	Owen Siggs, Joshua Schmidt, Sean Mullany	Department of Ophthalmology, Flinders University, SA	No	\$49,494	ORIA Grant
Robyn Jamieson	Therapies for the cone-rod dystrophies	John Grigg	University of Sydney, Save Sight Institute and Children's Medical Research Institute, NSW	No	\$50,000	ANZSR Grant
Stephanie Watson	The Bacterial Ocular Surveillance System (BOSS)	Monica Lahra, Richard Mills, Steve Wiffen, Maria Cabrera-Aguas, Evan Wong, Jonathan Chung-Wah-Cheong	University of Sydney, Save Sight Institute, NSW	No	\$50,000	ORIA Grant
Fan Fan Zhou	Develop novel therapy for human Uveal Melanoma	Robert Max Conway, Svetlana Cherepanoff	The University of Sydney, Sydney Pharmacy School, NSW	Yes	\$49,904	ORIA Priming Grant
Ling Zhu	Targeting Nrf2-MAFF pathway in Müller cells to treat macula degeneration	Mark Gillies, Ting Zhang	Save Sight Institute, Faculty of Medicine and Health, the University of Sydney, NSW	No	\$49,856	ORIA Grant
Vivek Gupta	Amyloid and Tau targeting to protect Retinal Ganglion Cell and Optic Nerve in glaucoma	Stuart Graham, Mehdi Mirzaei	Macquarie University, NSW	No	\$49,856	ORIA Grant
Kathryn Burdon	Genetic indicators of treatment response to anti-VEGF intraocular injections for diabetic macular oedema	Nitin Verma, Rajya Gurung, Brendan Vote, Bennet McComish	University of Tasmania, Menzies Institute for Medical Research, TAS	No	\$48,430	Humbley Foundation Grant
Ayub Qassim	Identifying cardiovascular disease parameters with high clinical relevance in primary open-angle glaucoma	John Landers, Henry Marshall	Department of Ophthalmology, Flinders, SA	Yes	\$49,718	ORIA Grant
Peter van Wijngaarden	Hyperspectral retinal imaging perfusion maps for retinal vascular diseases	Xavier Hadoux, Lyndell Lim, Amy Cohn, Darvy Dang	Centre for Eye Research Australia, VIC	No	\$49,994	ORIA Grant
Devaraj Basavarajappa	The next generation of medicine-Gene therapy for glaucoma	Nitin Chitranshi, Deepa Viswanathan	Macquarie University, NSW	No	\$49,811.20	NSW RANZCO Grant
Jessica Mountford	Establishing zebrafish morpholino as a model to study early-onset myopia.	Livia Carvalho, Patricia Jusuf, Antony Clark	The University of Western Australia/Centre for Ophthalmology and Visual Science, WA	No	\$42,194.33	Perth Eye Foundation Grant