



2022 Genentech Innovation Fund Application

Aim 3: Promoting Diversity in Undergraduate STEM Pathways (Genentech Foundation)

The 2022 Health Equity and Diversity in STEM Innovation Fund initial application is due on **June 10, 2022 at 11:59PM Pacific Time**. You can access the initial application [here](#). All applicants will need to create a user profile in Genentech’s funding request system (gFRS). Prepare all answers before entry into gFRS and then transpose into the online portal. The system does not allow users to “save & continue.”

Below please find the specific questions that are included in the initial application. All questions require an answer for proposal consideration. Please note, Genentech Giving will not review any attachments provided in the initial application or anything shared outside gFRS.

For more information on the RFP, funding restrictions, evaluation criteria, and decision-making timeline please visit [Gene.com](https://www.gene.com).

For any technical issues, please use this [Contact Us](#) form.

1. Organization Name
2. Organization Tax ID
3. Organization Tax Status
4. Applicant Contact Information
 - a. First and Last Name
 - b. Email Address
 - c. Phone Number
5. Organization Annual Budget
6. **Geographic Focus:** Select the geographic scope of the proposal
7. **Geographic Considerations:** Which of the following geographic considerations does your location meet? Select all that apply
 - a. Need for investment in STEM education
 - b. High levels of racial and ethnic diversity
 - c. Emerging or current biopharma presence
 - d. Genentech site location
8. **Demographic Focus:** Does the grant target

any of the specific populations below?
Select all that apply.

- a. Communities of color (i.e., non-White)
- b. LGBTQ+ communities
- c. Individuals with low-income or financial hardship
- d. Rural communities (i.e., households with limited access to services)
- e. Uninsured / underinsured patients
- f. Primarily ESL / Non-English speaking populations

9. Proposal Title

10. Proposal Description: Provide 1 - 2 sentence description of the proposal. (Character / Space Limit Count = 500)

11. Goals & Intended Outcomes: Please summarize the high-level goals and long-term outcomes of this proposal. (Character / Space Limit Count = 2,000)

12. Opportunity Statement: Please describe what opportunities and / or problems the proposal seeks to address. Inclusion of insights from patients, students, and communities are encouraged. (Optional; Character / Space Limit Count = 1,000)

13. Project Design: Describe the proposal (e.g., activities, approach, methodology). (Character / Space Limit Count = 2,000)
Applicants may consider the following...

- a. To what extent and how does your proposed project address racism as a root cause?
- b. To what extent and how will your

approach direct resources and decision-making power to the communities, patients, and/or students impacted by the proposal?

- c. To what extent and how does the proposal take a novel approach to addressing the opportunity?
- d. To what extent and how do you intend to collaborate or partner with others?

14. Is the programmatic team led or co-led by a Person of Color?

15. Project Team: Describe the extent to which and how the project team is representative of the communities and students impacted by the proposal. (Character / Space Limit Count = 1,000)

16. Evaluation: To what extent and how will communities and students' expertise shape the evaluation process and inform learning? (Character / Space Limit Count = 1,000)

17. Dissemination, Publication, and Learning: Describe plans for dissemination of findings, or other contributions to broader impact in the field. To what extent will findings be shared with communities impacted? (Character / Space Limit Count = 1,000)

18. Budget: Provide a high-level overview of the proposal budget, including staff, materials, and other expenses, including where and how resources might be shared with communities, patients, and students (Character / Space Limit Count = 500)