



2024 CSVS CLINICAL INVESTIGATOR GRANT TERMS OF REFERENCE

ELIGIBILITY

The CSVS Clinical Investigator Grant is presented to any member of the Canadian Society for Vascular Surgery researchers with more than 7 years in clinical practice for any deserving project in **clinical vascular or endovascular research**.

PROPOSAL MECHANISM

One (1) blinded copy and one (1) authored copy should be submitted to the Chair of the Research Committee. The manuscript should be no longer than 4 pages (references excluded) double spaced, justified, in Times New Roman. A maximum of two tables and 1 figure may also be added. The manuscript should include:

- I. Covering letter (including title of project)
- II. Project with the following headings:
 - a. Proposal Summary
 - b. Research Question and Objectives
 - c. Backgrounds
 - d. Methods
 - i. Study Design/Participants/bench model
 - ii. Primary and Secondary outcomes
 - iii. Data analysis
 - e. Relevance to Clinical Practice
 - f. Relevance to future research
- III. Budget
- IV. Ethics Approval Status
- V. Other Funding

DEADLINE

Submissions are to be received by April 3, 2024.

SELECTION PROCESS

Review, prioritization and ratification of the candidates will be made by the CSVS Research Committee. *** Please note that only one submission per award will be accepted.**

AWARD AND PRESENTATION

A cheque in the amount of \$5,000.00 will be forwarded to the recipient once the winning submission is selected. The winner will be announced at the 2024 Annual Meeting in St. John's, NL from September 13-14 and must present an update at the 2025 CSVS annual meeting.

All submissions should be sent to the Chair of the Research Committee Dr. Derek Roberts by email: csvs@vascular.ca