

**University Delegates Meeting  
May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – 12:30-1:30pm (EDT)  
Meeting Minutes**

**Chair:** Adrian Mota - Associate Vice-President, Research Programs (Operations)

**Moderator:** Allison Jackson – Director General, Operations Support

**1. Federal Budget 2022**

Lynne Scholten, acting Manager, Policy and Government Relations, and Sylvie Gareau, Manager, Financial Planning and Advisory Services, provided the UD Network with an overview of the recently announced Federal Budget for 2022 while highlighting specific announcements for CIHR. The presentation also included the process and timelines to develop a Treasury Board submission and access funding following a Federal Budget Announcement.

More information can be found on the [Department of Finance’s website](#).

**2. Project Grant Competition Update**

***Spring 2022 Project Grant Competition - Important Dates***

Peer review meetings	May 16 to June 10, 2022
Notice of Recommendation	June 30, 2022
Anticipated Notice of Decision	July 14, 2022
Funding Start Date	October 1, 2022

The Chair provided an overview on the Spring competition timelines as well as an update on the upcoming Fall competition deadlines. The Spring 2022 competition is on track and peer review committee meetings will begin mid-May. The Chair thanked the committee Chairs, Scientific Officers, reviewers and CIHR staff for their commitment to delivering this competition with the compressed timelines.

***Fall 2022 Project Grant Competition - Important Dates***

Competition Launch	July 5, 2022
Registration deadline	August 17, 2022
Application deadline	September 14, 2022

### **3. Funding Opportunities**

A list of funding opportunities released in April 2022 can be found in Appendix A of the presentation.

### **4. Question and Answer**

An update was requested on the Gold Leaf Prizes. The competition has been delayed since the onset of the pandemic and will continue to be delayed until at least next year. More information will be shared with the UD Network once available.

### **5. Adjournment**

The University Delegates meeting concluded at 1:07 pm EDT. The Chair thanked Network members for their participation. The next meeting of the University Delegates is scheduled to take place on June 2, 2022.

Please reach out to the UD Support team by email, or to a member of the UDAC, with questions or topics for future UD meetings.