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| **APPLICATION FOR RAKFOND FUNDING PROGRAM** **RFP # 2020-02** | RAKFOND’S COMPETITION OF RESEARCH PROJECTS IN ONCOLOGY  |

*Use 11 pt or larger font and single or larger line spacing. Application length not to exceed 7 pages.*

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| **1. GENERAL INFORMATION** |
| 1.1. Title |  |
| 1.2. Applicant’s Name | *Last, First, Middle* |
| 1.3. Applicant’s Degrees | *Year, Degree, Organization* |
| 1.4. Link to the Applicant’s public publication activity profile | *Google Scholar, ResearchGate or eLibrary link, or research group’s page with up-to-date publications list, etc.* *Please indicate h-index or similar.* |
| 1.5. Applicant’s Contact Information | Email: *Address for all communications regarding this application.*Phone: *Number for all communications regarding this application.* |
| 1.6. Applicant’s Principal Organization and Title | *Your Principal organization’s name and location (city or town, do not enter full address).**Your title in the Principal organization.* |

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| **2. PROJECT DESCRIPTION** |
| 2.1. Brief Scientific Rationale  |
| *Include a short summary of results and conclusions from previous studies, or from a systematic review as appropriate.**Recommended maximum length - 2000 characters including spaces or approximately ⅔ of a page.* |
| 2.2. Scientific Hypothesis  |
| *In one sentence.*  |
| 2.2. Phase |
| *2 or 3 (for clinical trials of drugs and biologics), or N/A* |
| 2.3. Objectives |
| *Include the primary and secondary objectives.* *Recommended maximum length - 1000 characters including spaces or approximately ⅓ of a page.* |
| 2.4. Endpoints |
| *Include the primary endpoint, secondary and exploratory endpoints.* *Recommended maximum length - 1000 characters including spaces or approximately ⅓ of a page.* |
| 2.5. Statistical Hypothesis |
| *Please state the formal and testable null and alternative hypotheses for primary and key secondary endpoints, specify the type of comparison (e.g., superiority, equivalence or non-inferiority), sample size determination, statistical analyses, etc.* *Recommended maximum length - 2000 characters including spaces or approximately ⅔ of a page.* |
| 2.6. Study Population |
| *Please describe inclusion and exclusion criteria, demographics, etc.**Recommended maximum length - 1500 characters including spaces or approximately ½ of a page.* |
| 2.7. Intervention // Biomarker |
| *Please describe the study intervention. If the study intervention includes a drug or biologic, provide name, dose and route of administration, as well as the origin (ownership). In case of translational research, please describe the investigated biomarker(s).**Recommended maximum length - 1000 characters including spaces or approximately ⅓ of a page.* |
| 2.8. Study Design and Methodology |
| *Please provide the schema of the study. You may insert figures, diagrams or tables.**Recommended maximum length - 3000 characters including spaces or approximately one page.*  |
| 2.9. Research Environment  |
| *Describe the team, organizational support, and other resources available for this study, including unique features of the scientific environment, if any.**Recommended maximum length - 1500 characters including spaces or approximately ½ of a page.* |

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| **3.BUDGET AND SCHEDULE** |
| 3.1. Detailed budget *Insert your budget assumptions in the table below and combine the expenditures into categories. Examples of eligible expenditures include disposables, instrumentation, drugs, research services, etc.**Note that* ***no*** *salaries/consultancy fees, indirect or travel expenses are allowed and no more than 20% of funds may be allocated to subcontracts and outsourced research, which must be mentioned explicitly.**Note that the budget for each stage should not exceed 500 000 (five hundred thousand) rubles.* |
| Expenditure | Amount, RUR |
| Stage 1 (anticipated period: MM.YYYY–MM.YYYY) |   |
| 1.1. |   |
| 1.2. |  |
| ... |   |
| Stage 2 (anticipated period: MM.YYYY–MM.YYYY) |  |
| 2.1 |  |
| 2.2. |  |
| ... |  |
| Total: |  *Not to exceed* *1 000 000 rubles* |

Co-funding:

*Please describe here any additional funding you either received or plan to receive, including source, amount and expenditures. If no additional funding is available, enter “None”.*

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| 3.2. Proposed project schedule |
| Research Activity*For each Research Activity, enter the month number from the project start date when it is supposed to begin and its estimated duration in months.*  | Begins, month # | Duration,months |
| 1. |   |   |
| 2. |   |   |
| ... |   |   |

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| **4. NEXT STEPS** |
| 4.1. What are your next steps after this study is completed?  |
| *Maximum length - 500 characters including spaces or approximately ⅙ of a page.* |
| 4.2. In your opinion, how will the anticipated results influence oncology research and patients’ care?  |
| *Maximum length - 500 characters including spaces or approximately ⅙ of a page.* |

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| **5. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION** |
| *Record here any additional information, which, in your opinion, is important for your project’s scientific evaluation, or put “N/A”.**Maximum length - 500 characters including spaces or approximately ⅙ of a page.* |