



Edmond J. Safra Center-Sheba MC Cancer Center Clinical Bioinformatics Research Grants
(Promoting collaborations between PIs of the Edmond J. Safra Center for Bioinformatics and the Cancer Center at Sheba Medical Center)

Application for \$20,000 seed grants

To foster collaborations between the **Edmond J. Safra Center for Bioinformatics at Tel Aviv University (TAU)** with clinicians at the **Cancer Center in Sheba Medical Center (SMC)**, we are excited to announce a joint **call for research grants** of the **Edmond J. Safra Center** and the **Cancer Center at SMC**. The Edmond J. Safra Center and the Cancer Center at SMC will provide three research grants of up to 20,000 USD each, supporting bioinformatics analysis of clinical data.

Eligibility and Evaluation Criteria:

- Proposals should be an interactive **collaboration** between an **Edmond J. Safra Center member or affiliate** and clinicians at the **Cancer Center at SMC (Oncology, Hematology and Pediatric Hemato-oncology)**. The Safra Center members and affiliates are listed [here](#). A list of clinicians of the Cancer Center at SMC will be distributed.
- Proposals that represent **new** collaborations will be preferred.
- Only one application per PI can be submitted.
- The budget will be divided equally between Safra Center PI and Sheba Center PI.
- Please note that by TAU rules, retired professors are not eligible to apply.

Format and Scope

- 1. Cover page** - Proposal title, PIs names and titles, affiliations, and keywords.
- 2. Research Plan (2 page limit, Times New Roman font 11)** including the following information:
 - Scientific Background (with an emphasis of the medical question)
 - Research Aims
 - Methodology
 - Specific Roles of the two PIs (including a description of how each PI contributes to the research goal)
 - Collaboration Strategy
 - Budget (including information on how the budget will be divided among the two PIs and budget justification)
- 3. References**
- 4. CV of each participant** - NIH Biosketch or TAU CV format (**3 page limit**)
Please submit these four items in one combined PDF.
- 5. Suggestions for potential referees.** Please send it by a separate e-mail.

Submission:

Submissions due: **10 May 2021**

Please send your application to safrabio@tauex.tau.ac.il.

Proposals will be managed by a grant committee and evaluated by both TAU and Sheba reviewers. Award funds are to be used between August 2021 and July 2022. A report summarizing the project results will be required.

Grant Committee: Noam Shomron (Co-Chair) Talia Golan (Co-Chair), Irit Gat-Viks, Raanan Berger.

GOOD LUCK!