

# **Spring 2023 Request for Applications**

Stage I Abstract Deadline – March 31, 2023 Stage II Application Deadline – May 15, 2023

#### **Purpose**

To foster innovative new ideas and team-driven multidisciplinary translational research projects related to infectious disease and immunology.

### **Background**

The ultimate goal of the TIIDI is to take the knowledge gained from basic research in immunology, microbiology, and virology and apply it to problems in human diseases caused by infectious pathogens. This pilot program supports clinical and translational research to understand the etiology and impact of viral, bacterial, and fungal pathogens, the immune responses to them, and to develop and evaluate knowledge-based strategies for their control, treatment, and prevention. Multidisciplinary, team-science approaches to critical issues in infectious diseases are essential to this mission.

### **Eligibility**

Applicants must be full-time tenure or research track faculty at the University of Rochester.

<u>Projects that involve multiple faculty from one or more departments will have priority. Projects must demonstrate</u> the potential to lead to extramural funding (federal, state, or foundational).

#### **Awards**

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The Research Plan consists of items noted below, as applelict should be self-contined and include sufficient

## **Award Process**

TIIDI will notify selected investigators via email by June~1, 2023 Funding will not be released until all UR and NIH regulatory requirements have been met including IRB, IBC, a