

Quantum Leap



Main Objective

Support the development of innovative technologies, tools and platforms of interest to large pharmaceutical companies



Evaluation Criteria

Scientific excellence, creativity, innovative nature of research projects, adequacy with the needs of industry

Program Framework



Enable SMEs and university researchers to develop platforms that will impact biopharmaceutical research while positioning them advantageously for commercialization



Application Process

1. Pre-selection: discuss your project and confirm its eligibility with our business development team
2. Submission: offered all year round, but quarterly evaluation



Eligibility

Canadian SMEs, Canadian university researchers, public/private partnership encouraged



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Funding



Total Budget & Duration

- Depends on the selected research project
- Min 1 year, max 3 years



Budget Structure

- 1/3 CQDM
 - 1/3 pharma
 - 1/3 other sources
- or**
- Other models to discuss

Eligible Expenses



Expenditures incurred by research institutions:

- Scholarships and salaries of research staff
- Laboratory equipment, animal fees and platform
- Travel and knowledge dissemination costs
- Intellectual property costs
- Rental and purchase of equipment under \$25,000



Ineligible Expenses

- Purchase and rental of equipment exceeding \$25,000
- Salary of the principal investigator and academic co-investigators