HBS Blavatnik Fellowship in Life Science Entrepreneurship

Application for Admission

Ideal Candidates

- Harvard Business School MBA alumni within the last 7-10 years.
- Post-doctoral researcher in a Harvard research lab or Harvard-affiliated hospital within the first 5 years of completing their doctoral program.

Guidelines to consider when applying

- Receive $100K stipend over 12 months and access to benefits.
- Apply for $35K operating funds to support enterprise creation.
- Commit and attend regular Fellowship meetings and events from July 2021- June 2022.
- Work in the Pagliuca Harvard Life Lab (when permitted).
- Reside in the Boston area for more than 60% of the year.
- Preference given to applicants already working on a viable technology.
- Sign the Community Standards, Confidentially, and IP agreements, if offered admission, available on www.hbs.edu/blavatnik.

Application timelines

Application dates for the 2021-2022 class (Fellows start on or about July 1, 2021) are below. Applications received after February 12, 2021 will not be considered. To submit an application or for further questions please contact Tracy Perry, Assistant Director, at tperry@hbs.edu.

- Admissions Timeline:
  - Applications due: February 12, 2021
  - Interview Pitch Day: February 23, 2021
  - Decision Letters: March 8, 2021
  - Admitted Fellows acceptance: by March 26, 2021

Applicant information

Name:

HBS class year or post-doc year: If dual degree, which program:

City of residence during Fellowship:

Email: Cell phone:

Amount of time in life science enterprises (yrs.):

December 2020
Will you apply for or receive any financial support from a company, organization, government agency, past employer, or other part of Harvard, as of July 1, 2021?  
[ ] Yes  
[ ] No  
If yes, please list source and amount:

How did you learn about the Blavatnik Fellowship?

**Supporting materials (Include in PDF or word document)**

[ ] Statement of Interest: In an essay (approximately 500 words) describe:
   (a) Why is this program of interest to you?
   (b) How would your acceptance accelerate your development as a life science business leader?
   (c) What is the technology or company on which you are working?
   (d) Have you raised money into the venture?
      • If so, how much?
      • Whom are your investors?
   (e) What do you hope to achieve by the end of the Fellowship period?

[ ] A copy of your resume/curriculum vitae
[ ] Contact information for 2 professional or academic references

I understand that by submitting an application I agree to fulfill all of the obligations of the HBS Blavatnik Fellowship in Life Science Entrepreneurship. The information contained in this application is my own, accurate statement to the HBS Blavatnik Fellowship in Life Science Entrepreneurship Admissions Committee.

I understand and agree that any misrepresentation or omission of facts will justify a denial or revocation of my Fellowship award. I also understand that the Admissions Committee may verify any or all parts of my application and supporting materials.

In compliance with federal law, all persons hired will be required to verify identity and eligibility to work in the United States and to complete the required employment eligibility verification documents upon hire. We are an equal opportunity employer and all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability status, protected veteran status, or any other characteristic protected by law.

Signature: _________________________________________________

Date: ______________________________________

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