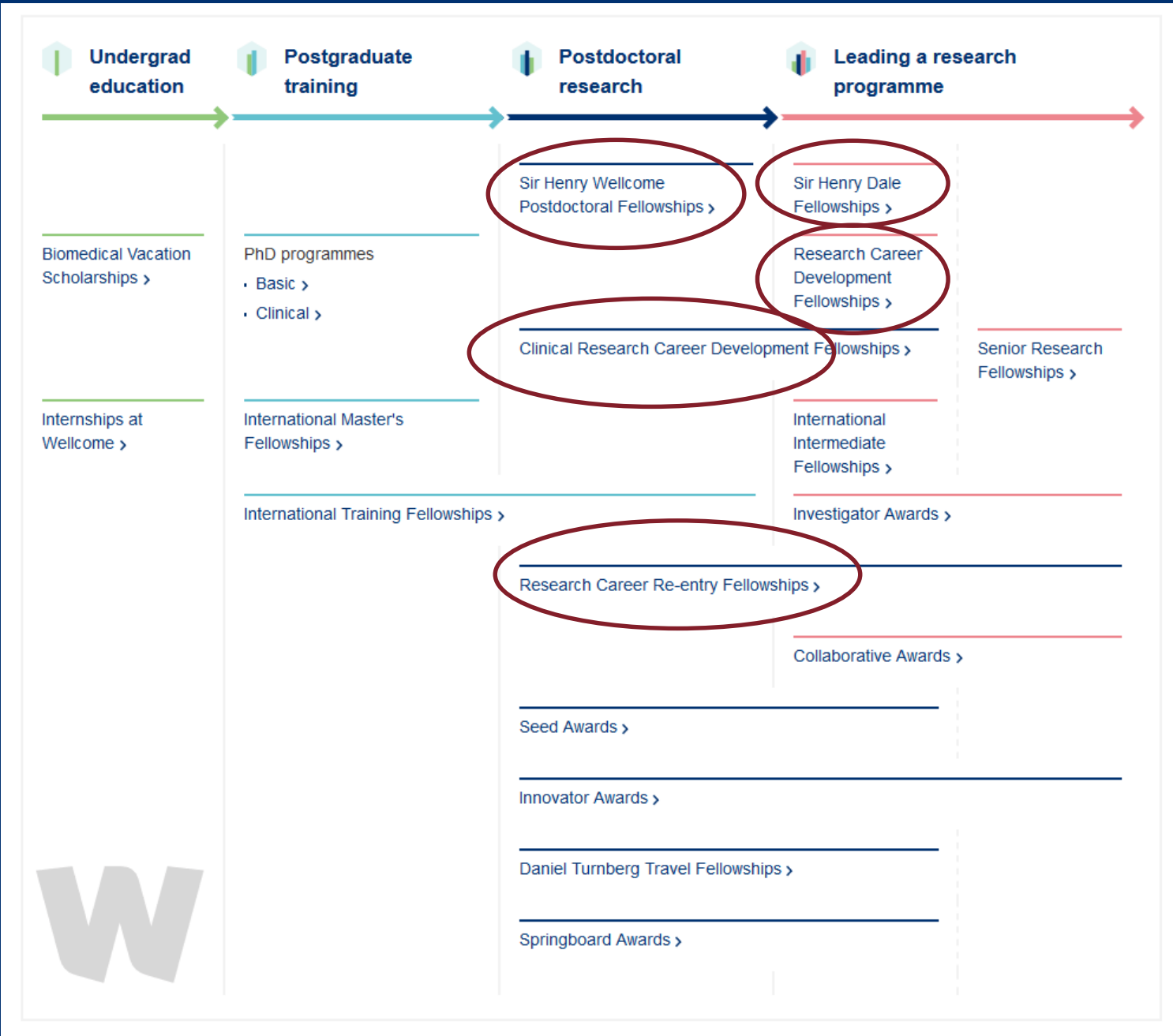




# Wellcome Early-Career Funding Opportunities

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## Early-Career Research Stage

During this stage in your research career, you'll be guided by more experienced researchers while you:

- consolidate your research skills and experience
- explore new research areas
- experience new research environments
- develop your independence
- expand your network of collaborators
- deliver research contributions e.g. publications, talks and presentations, data or policy-related work





# Standard Application Process





# Sir Henry Wellcome Fellowships

## Aims:

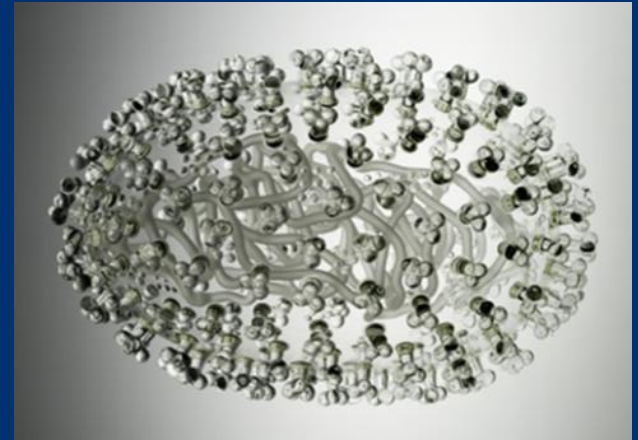
To support researchers to develop their scientific independence and expand their research horizons, so that they can go on to lead their own independent research

## Key details:

- Open to those in the final year of their PhD, or with some postdoctoral experience
- Based at a UK or ROI organisation
- Awards of £300,000 (to cover salary and research expenses)
- 4 years duration

## Deadlines:

- Applications considered twice a year
- Next preliminary application deadline is 9 October 2018





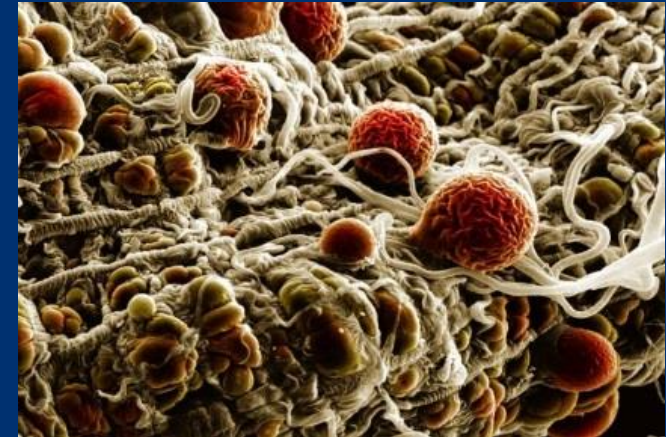
# Research Career Re-Entry Fellowships

## Aims:

To give applicants the chance to re-establish their scientific research careers after a break from research

## Key details:

- Open to those who have had a career break of over two years
- Must have a PhD and postdoctoral experience
- Based at a UK or ROI organisation
- Up to 4 years duration
- Can request salary, research expenses and funds for relevant research retraining



## Deadlines:

- Applications considered twice a year
- Next preliminary application deadline is 9 October 2018



# Sir Henry Dale Fellowships

## Aims:

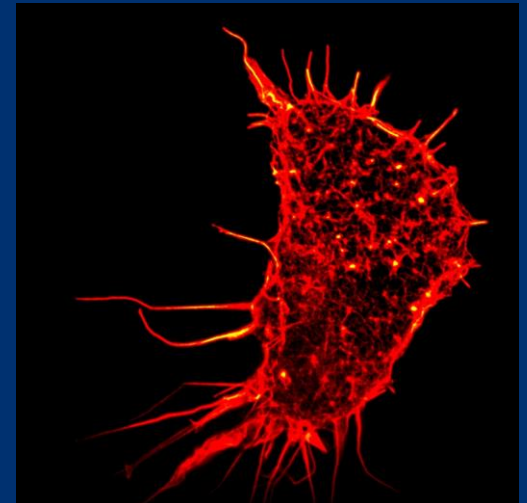
To support applicants who are already leading their own research to set up an independent research group

## Key details:

- Open to those who have a PhD and significant postdoctoral research experience
- Based at a UK organisation
- 5 years duration (can apply for 3 year extension)
- Can request salary, research expenses and a research support post
- Includes contribution from the Royal Society for indirect costs

## Deadlines:

- Applications considered three times a year
- Next preliminary application deadline is 20 November 2018





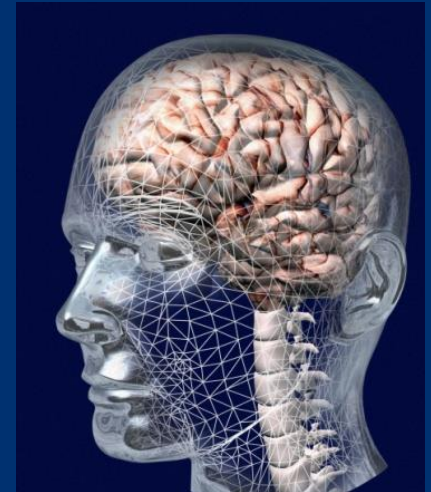
# Clinical Research Career Development Fellowships

## Aims:

To support clinical graduates to do postgraduate research and develop their independence

## Key details:

- Open to medical, dental, veterinary and clinical psychology graduates
- Must have a PhD and be clinically active
- Based at a UK or ROI organisation
- Two stages – up to 5 years per stage and 8 years in total
  - Stage 1: Exploration and consolidation
  - Stage 2: Early independence
- Can request salary, research expenses and a research support post (stage 2 only)



## Deadlines:

- Applications considered twice a year
- Next full application deadline is 11 February 2019





# Advice and information



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