INNOVATION WORKSHOP: MODULATING TISSUE IMMUNITY

APPLICATION FORM

Please complete this application form (no longer than two sides of A4) and email along with a copy of your CV (also no longer than two sides of A4) to: [research@versusarthritis.org](mailto:research@versusarthritis.org)

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| Each application should be **no longer than two sides, plus a statement of support,** and in a readable and reasonably sized font. Applicants should demonstrate their suitable skills and attitude to participate in the sandpit. We **are not** looking for your academic publication or research track record, but rather how you might approach the challenge using innovative and collaborative ways.    The submission deadline for completed application form and CV is **noon on 11 Feb 2019.** Applications will not be considered after this deadline. | |
| **Name:** | **Dept:** |
| **Email:** | **Institution:** |
| **Primary research area:** | **How did you hear about this workshop?** |
| **Please provide a brief summary of background information about yourself relevant to this sandpit:** | |
| **Please describe how your interests and expertise could contribute to the topics of this multidisciplinary sandpit, including but not exclusive to immune metabolism, tissue biology and checkpoint blockade:** | |
| **Please spend some time responding to the following questions. Your answers to these will be used to distinguish your application and convince us that you have the skills and attitude necessary to participate in the sandpit. (Guide: 75 words each)** | |
| **a. How would you describe your ability to explain your research to non-experts?** | |
| **b. What is your approach to team working?** | |
| **c. The sandpit will be especially suited to individuals who enjoy stepping outside their area of expertise or interest, are positively driven, enjoy creative activity and can think innovatively. The sandpit is an intensive setting requiring you to develop novel approaches with individuals you may not know. How well do you see yourself fitting in?** | |
| **d. What do you hope to gain from participating in this sandpit?** | |

STATEMENT OF SUPPORT

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| **Applicants must provide a covering statement from a representative of their organisation (e.g. supervisor, manager, or other relevant persons), confirming that** **their organisation is willing and able to engage in, and support a collaborative project.** | |
| **Name:** | **Position:** |
| **Supporting statement:** | |

Any personal information you provide us in this form will be shared between and used by Cancer Research UK, Versus Arthritis and any scientific advisors acting on the funders’ behalf for the purposes of considering your application to attend the Innovation Workshop. Cancer Research UK and Versus Arthritis will hold your personal information consistently with their respective privacy policies, available at, for Cancer Research UK, <https://www.cancerresearchuk.org/privacy-statement> and, for Versus Arthritis, at <https://www.versusarthritis.org/statements/privacy-notice/>.