

# SKIN SCIENCE COLLABORATION

## Request For Pre-Proposals

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**Deadline: January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

The Skin Science Collaboration aims to identify projects for research support with the objective of **developing novel in vitro skin models, validating dermatological targets, and identifying dermato-cosmetic compounds** for inclusion in Beiersdorf's over-the-counter brands. In collaboration with Beiersdorf, CTV requests proposals for the following areas with applications across Beiersdorf's core interests in anti-aging and skin diversity research.

### Interests in the field of anti-aging include but are not limited to:

- autophagy, including chaperon-mediated autophagy
- circadian rhythm
- resolution of inflammation
- mitochondrial function

### Interests in skin of color projects include but are not limited to:

- dry skin
- photoprotection
- itch
- scarring

# Beiersdorf

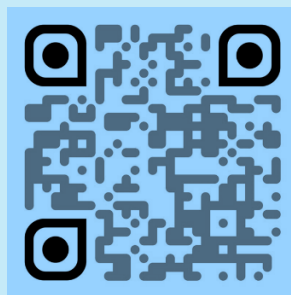
Beiersdorf is a global skin care company with a deep legacy in skin research and more than 170 affiliates worldwide. The company is home to a strong portfolio of renowned brands such as NIVEA, Eucerin, Hansaplast, La Prairie, Aquaphor, and Coppertone. In addition to a state-of-the-art skin research center at its headquarters in Hamburg, Germany, their global research and development network includes two large innovation centers in the US and China as well as development hubs in India, Brazil and Japan. A total of over 1,000 people are employed in R&D worldwide.



Pilot projects are envisioned as short-term projects spanning 6-12 months, with up to 100K USD of direct funds for academic lab research.

Successful pilot projects may be transferred into multiple-year collaboration projects with access to larger funding and support from in-house Beiersdorf facilities including biology labs, formulation labs, safety & toxicology assessment, active skin care ingredient screening and modelling teams.

Please note that Beiersdorf is committed to animal-free research.



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**Use the above QR code or website  
below to submit a Pre-Proposal**

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**More than 140  
years ago, skin  
research was  
the 'nucleus' of  
Beiersdorf -  
and it still is  
today**

– Dr. Gitta Neufang,  
Chief Research and Development  
Officer, Beiersdorf AG