

Young Investigator Applicant Eligibility Checklist

All Young Investigator applicants must have their eligibility confirmed prior to submitting an application. Applicants must upload the Applicant Eligibility Checklist and their biosketch in Proposal Central using the LOI function in the Young Investigator Award by **September 30, 2025.** No LOI is required. MRA will confirm applicant eligibility by email.

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Applic	ant Nam	ne: Position Title:	
Title o	of Project	::	
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YES	, ,		
		1. Does the applicant currently hold the title of Assistant Professor or a title that is considered	
		by the institution to be a full-time, independent faculty-level position?	
If ans	f answer to question 1 is 'NO', please answer questions 2-3:		
		2. Will the applicant hold by June 1, 2026 the title of Assistant Professor or a title that is	
		considered by the institution to be a full-time, independent faculty-level position?	
		**If you do not hold a title of "professor," but believe your position makes you eligible as a	
		Young Investigator, please contact Nico Starink at nstarink@curemelanoma.org to confirm.	
		3. Is the applicant able to apply for research grants as an independent Principal Investigator?	
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All ar	plicants	please answer questions 4-5	
		4. Has the applicant held this, or any other full-time, independent faculty position, at any	
		institution, prior to November 6, 2020?	
		5. Does the applicant currently have, or will have by June 1, 2026, defined laboratory space that	
		the applicant controls independent from other staff?	
If the	answer t	to question 5 is 'NO', please answer question 6:	
		Will the applicant will be permitted independent laboratory space, for the duration of the	
		proposed project, by another individual? Please provide the Name, Title, and Department of the	
		head of the laboratory where the applicant will be conducting their project:	

**NOTE: You must answer "NO" to question 4 to be considered eligible. And you must either answer "YES" to question 5, OR answer "YES" and provide a name for question 6 to be considered eligible.

(Name, Title, Department) *The above-mentioned individual is required to sign below



(Signature)	(Signature)
Print Name:	Print Name:
Date:	Title:
	Date:
Department Chair, Division Head, or Dean:	
(Signature)	
Print Name:	
Title:	
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conducting project (if applicable):