

**Wellbeing of Women in association with the RCOG is delighted to announce grants available in 2010 for research in gynaecological cancer, pregnancy and birth or quality of life issues:**

### **1. Research Training Fellowships**

The purpose of these awards is to encourage medical graduates to pursue a career in academic medicine. Applications may be in any aspect of basic science, clinical or translational research including feasibility studies. Fellowships are awarded for up to three years and cover the cost of a full time salary per annum for Specialty Registrar grade (or equivalent). Registration fees for a higher degree and reasonable research expenses may be allowed. The upper limit of this award is £175,000.

Wellbeing of Women is delighted that our partnership with the Wellcome Trust will continue. Suitable candidates may be considered by the Trust for the award of a Wellbeing of Women/ Wellcome Trust Research Training Fellowship.

### **2. Entry Level Scholarships**

Entry-Level Research Scholarships are to provide 'pump-priming' funds to enable trainees to be exposed to a research environment, or to obtain pilot data for bids for definitive funding. Applicants will normally be within the first few years of graduation, and would not previously have been involved in substantial research projects. Scholarships may be held in basic science, clinical or translational research and are a single payment up to a maximum of £20,000 to go towards salary and/or laboratory costs.

All awards must be undertaken in the UK.

**The closing date for both awards is 2nd March 2010.**

Application forms are available from the Wellbeing of Women website [www.wellbeingofwomen.org.uk](http://www.wellbeingofwomen.org.uk)

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