The Partners in Research program at Georgetown University Medical Center allows donors to join forces with scientists who conduct ground-breaking research.

Georgetown University Medical Center (GUMC) is an internationally recognized academic medical center whose missions of research, teaching and patient care are carried out with a strong emphasis on community outreach and the Jesuit principle of cura personalis—care of the whole person.
This program is incredible, and it has truly been the highlight of my Georgetown experience. Thank you for acting as champions for science when you tell people what the scientists at Georgetown are doing. You are performing the greatest service you ever could to the scientific community. You are so valuable to this process and we thank you.”

—Crystal A. West, PhD
Grant Recipient
Cultivating innovation

At Georgetown University Medical Center, we look for ways to expand, innovate, and discover.

Accordingly, we are pleased to announce our new Partners in Research Breakthrough Award, through which a $100,000 grant will be awarded to research scientists at Georgetown who are furthering biomedical discoveries, encouraging new areas of exploration, and translating new knowledge into practical and life-changing ways of preventing, diagnosing, and treating disease.

The Breakthrough Award will support high-risk research and challenge investigators to push boundaries to advance our goal of enhancing the health and well being of those we serve in our local and global communities.

In addition, we will partner with Georgetown Lombardi Comprehensive Cancer Center to include more cancer-related research projects in our grant funding selection process, beginning in the 2017–2018 academic year.

For more information, please contact Rosemarie Martini, Associate Director of Development, at 202-687-8463 or rosemarie.martini@georgetown.edu.
Making a significant impact

As a result of Partners in Research funding, Dr. Daniel Pak has received a $1.25 million grant from National Institutes of Health to advance the preliminary research results achieved with Partners funding. His team will be able to test more drug candidates for Alzheimer’s disease, optimize drug treatments, and understand the mechanism of drug actions.

“All of the results that we’ve gotten for the past three years came directly as a result of Partners. Now we’re excited to be able to take these findings and develop them further so that they can be used potentially as therapies for humans.”

—Daniel T.S. Pak, PhD
Grant Recipient

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