

## **The RWJF Investigator Awards in Health Policy Research**

The RWJF Investigator Awards in Health Policy Research, a national program of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, is designed to support scholars from a range of fields who have innovative projects that can enhance policy to improve health or health care in the U.S. Unlike most NIH or NSF funding opportunities, the program, which provides grants of up to \$335,000 for policy-relevant projects of 2-4 years' duration, is not intended to support a discrete research project but rather to allow a scholar to devote considerable time to a project of greater scope than the usual RO1 grant. The program also offers an unrivaled opportunity to meet, interact, and often collaborate with outstanding scholars in varied fields including medicine, nursing, public health, economics, political science, sociology, law, epidemiology, history, and journalism, among others.

The Call for Applications, tips for applicants, and samples of past successful letters of intent are posted on our website at [www.investigatorawards.org](http://www.investigatorawards.org). The deadline for receipt of 4-page letters of intent is March 25, 2009. Contact the national program office [atdepdir@ifh.rutgers.edu](mailto:atdepdir@ifh.rutgers.edu) if you have questions or need assistance.

Regards,

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