

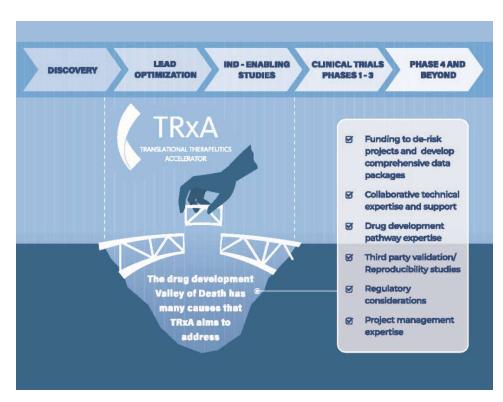
# TRXA BRIDGe Awards - co-funding journey with the Helmsley Charitable Trust

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# TRxA BRIDGe Awards for Drug Discovery





TRxA is a **global** drug discovery and development program that supports **academic scientists** in advancing new, cutting-edge **therapeutics** from the lab to the clinic.

## BRIDGe Awards:

- Stage 1: \$250,000

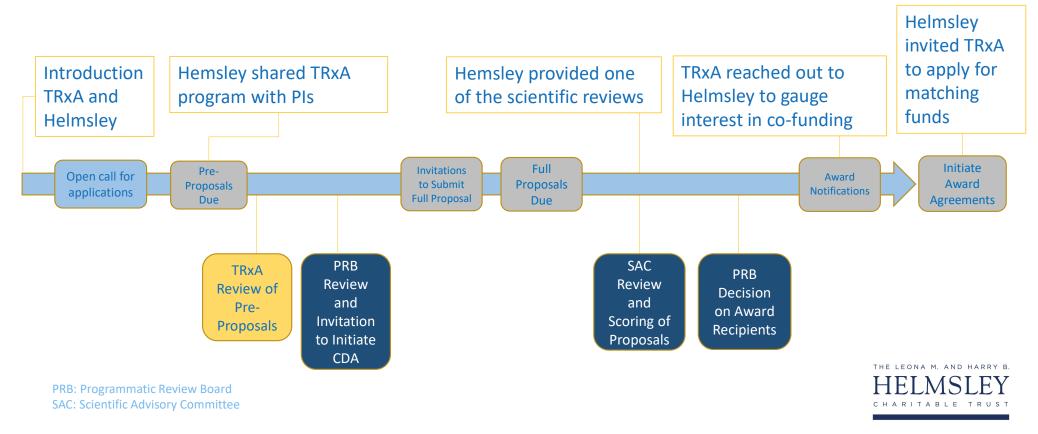
- Stage 2: \$500,000

- Stage 3: \$1,000,000

Therapeutic area agnostic

# Timeline of Events





# TRxA – Helmsley Partnership



### Goal:

Shepherd a new drug for Type 1 Diabetes to the clinic ASAP

## Logistics:

- Funds flow through TRxA, so only a single contract with the institution
- The Helmsley scientist provided feedback on the project plan and milestones
- TRxA requires monthly meetings with the PI; the Helmsley scientist is part of the team

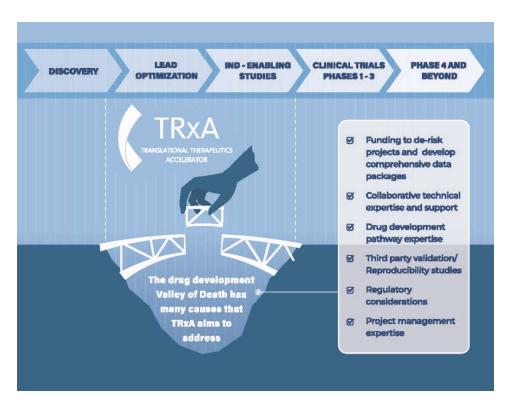
### Keys for partnership:

- Trust between partners helped by regular communication
- Common goal
- Complementary strengths (TRxA: drug discovery; Helmsley: T1D)



# TRxA: Always Looking for Partners!





Current Request for Proposals is open (deadline pre-proposals March 31<sup>st</sup>)

Full proposals invitations by July 1st

- interested in scientific reviewers for certain therapeutic areas
- interested in co-funding either matching, or splitting costs

Want to have the TRxA model applied to your drug discovery grants?

Let's talk: meverts@c-path.org



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