



### WIN A PHYLOTECH GRANT

Submit your proposal by November 1, 2010 to win the most comprehensive and sensitive microbial assay available. Project requires a minimum of 15 good quality samples, not to exceed a total of 20 samples. The winner receives PhyloTech analysis using the award winning PhyloChip assay, including amplification, labeling, fragmentation, hybridization, scanning, analysis and a secure web link to data including standard figures and tables.

To enter, prepare and send your application following the instructions below. Proposals will be scientifically reviewed by an expert panel. **Proposal Deadline: Nov 1, 2010, midnight Pacific Time.**

### GRANT SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

#### Proposal Format

1. Principal Investigator/Organization/Street Address/Telephone/Email
2. Project title and summary/abstract (150 words or less)
3. Significance and background (not to exceed 1 page)
4. Project Description: Specific aims and milestones, research plan, timeframe, expected outcome and potential impact (5 pages including figures, tables)
5. References

#### Proposal Submission

Submit a pdf of your proposal via email, to [grants@phylotech.com](mailto:grants@phylotech.com) by midnight Pacific Time, November 1, 2010.

### CONTEST RULES

1. Proposals received after midnight Pacific Time, November 1, 2010 will not be eligible.
2. Proposals exceeding page limits or missing information will not be reviewed.
3. Human Samples
  - Proposals including human samples must be accompanied by a signed statement that the study participants have consented and that the study has undergone appropriate IRB review and approval.
  - A copy of a blank consent form used in the consenting process must accompany the proposal submission.
4. Project requires a minimum of 15 good quality specimens, not to exceed 20 specimens total. Projects exceeding the 20 specimen maximum will not be reviewed.
5. Project requires 0.2 - 0.5 µg of intact isolated microbial DNA/tube.
6. Samples must be shipped by a mutually agreed upon date in bar coded tubes.
7. PhyloTech will provide sample amplification, labeling, fragmentation, hybridization, scanning, standard analysis, and a secure web link to data reports.
8. Winner is responsible for costs associated with sample collection, DNA isolation, confirming DNA yield and integrity is sufficient for analysis, shipping samples and completing necessary project paperwork.
9. Data generated by the project belongs to the winner.
10. PhyloTech reserves the right to reveal the name of the winner and refer to the study in promotional materials.