Review and Selection

BRIDGES 2.0 leadership will review and accept applications from clinical fellows and junior-mid career faculty, as described under the Eligibility Criteria. Faculty decisions will be based on the quality of the proposed protocol and on the submissions by the applicant and supporter. Submissions will be scrutinized for applicant information supplied, as well as participation assurances provided of the applicant and mentor in the long-term evaluation of the program. In addition to the innovation and quality of the proposed clinical trial, applications will be evaluated on the following:

- Does the question(s) to be answered address a clinical unmet need?
- Is the protocol feasible?
- Does it appear that the institutional environment is conducive to carrying out the work proposed?
- Is there institutional support for participation and trial development?
- How committed does it appear that the program applicant is to an investigative career?
- Does it appear that the applicant has the interest and the capability to carry a clinical trial forward?
- Has the applicant identified a translational science partner for the proposed trial? (this is not a requirement but will be helpful to the Program Faculty in identifying potential program participant-mentor pairings)

It is the intent of the SGO and GOG Foundation, Inc. to enroll a diverse cohort of fellows, mentors, and faculty in the BRIDGES 2.0 Research Initiative. Applicants from racial/ethnic minority groups (as identified by the NCI) that are underrepresented in cancer research are strongly encouraged to submit applications. Applicant selection is conducted on a competitive basis; individuals not accepted are encouraged to reapply in the future.