Freedom to Choose Grant Terms and Conditions

1. Eligibility
    a. The Ubiquitome Freedom to Choose Grant (the "Freedom to Choose Grant") is available to individuals who are at least 18 years old and are a researcher or scientist who is either (i) currently enrolled in a life science undergraduate, graduate, or postdoctoral program, or (ii) currently employed in an organization that performs life science research. Eligible individuals are not required to buy Ubiquitome products nor pay any fees to participate. Employees of Ubiquitome and members of the immediate families of such employees are not eligible. Employees of authorized Ubiquitome distributors are not eligible.
    b. The Freedom to Choose Grant is not available in all geographic regions. Please check with your Ubiquitome representative or authorized Ubiquitome distributor for availability in your area. Void where prohibited by law. Please consider that your organization's internal policy may not allow you to receive incentives or your employer's permission may be requested before participating in the contest. Limit one entry per person.

2. Entry and Prizes
    a. Go to the Freedom to Choose Grant Application to apply. Deadline to enter is Friday, October 6, 2023, 11:59pm PDT. Recipients will be notified no later than Friday, October 13, 2023, 5:00pm PDT.
    b. The following illustrates the information you will be asked when submitting your entry to the grant contest.
        i. Contact Information: First name, last name, e-mail address, telephone, job/role, institute, street address, city, state/province (as applicable), postal code/ZIP, country, social media accounts (as applicable).
        ii. Experimental Information: Sample type, sample organism, real time PCR and/or isothermal assay and any other support needed.
        iii. Abstract: Submit a brief abstract (under 500 words) describing your research and how real-time PCR and/or isothermal detection fits into your project.

    c. Three (3) recipients will be selected by a committee of judges from Ubiquitome (the "Ubiquitome Selection Committee") based on information submitted in the application form.
    d. In the event a recipient cannot receive their prize for any reason, the prize shall be awarded to an alternate recipient as determined by the Ubiquitome Selection Committee.
    e. Grant recipients will each receive:
        i. Their own Liberty16 mobile real time PCR and isothermal detection device valued at US$5,995. Please allow 1 to 6 weeks for approval and delivery;
        ii. Access to a Ubiquitome scientific mentor for training, experimental design, technical support and troubleshooting.
    f. By applying for a Freedom to Choose Grant, recipients agree to share information or data collected for marketing or commercial purposes. Specifically, recipients agree to:
        i. Provide biographical information and a profile picture so Ubiquitome can feature them as a recipient.
        ii. Share stories from their research with Ubiquitome in the months following the delivery of the free product, including stories related to the integration of Liberty products into their workflow.
        iii. Support promotional activities at Ubiquitome's request for 12 months following accepting the grant, which could include, but is not limited to, interviews, webinar presentations, website story features, videos, photoshoots, blogging, data sharing, and/or presenting at conferences or seminars. This content will be shared on the Ubiquitome website (www.ubiquitomebio.com) and Ubiquitome social media accounts including LinkedIn and X.
        iv. Acknowledge Ubiquitome in scientific publication(s) authored by the award recipient related to the research performed and supported by the grant.

3. General
    a. In case of a dispute regarding the identity of the person submitting an online entry, the entry will be deemed to be submitted by the person in whose name the e-mail account is registered. The winner may be required to provide evidence that they are the authorized account holder of the e-mail address associated with the winning entry. Return of any prize notification as undeliverable will result in forfeiture of the prize.
    b. Entry information shall be the property of Ubiquitome. No prize transfer or cash redemption will be permitted. No prize substitution will be permitted, except by the sole discretion of Ubiquitome, in which case a prize of comparable or greater value may be awarded.
    c. Taxes, import duties and permits on prizes are the sole responsibility of the winners.
    d. Ubiquitome reserves the right to substitute any prize of equal or greater value or to cancel, suspend, and/or modify the contest at its sole discretion.
    e. By participating, entrants agree to abide by and be bound by the rules and decisions of Ubiquitome which shall be final in all respects relating to this Freedom to Choose Grant, including without limitation the interpretation of this rule. Participants agree to release, discharge and hold harmless Ubiquitome, its subsidiaries, affiliates, and their officers, directors, agents and representatives and their respective employees from any and all claims, charges, injuries, liability, losses and/or damages of any kind resulting from or arising out of their participation in the Freedom to Choose Grant and/or the acceptance, use, misuse or possession of any prize received by the Freedom to Choose Grant.