Canadian Immunization Research Network Trainee Application Form

Candidate

Title:

First Name:

Middle Name:

Last Name:

Address:

City, Province:

Postal Code:

Telephone Number:

Email Address:

Supervisor

Title:

First Name:

Middle Name:

Last Name:

Telephone Number:

Email Address:

Project Information

Host Institution:

Research Location:

Department:

Faculty/School:

Level of trainee at start of award: ☐ Master's ☐ PhD ☐ Postdoctoral

For postdoctoral award applicants, please indicate actual or expected date of PhD completion:

For graduate level trainees, please confirm trainee is enrolled as a full-time student: ☐ Yes
   (Only full-time students are eligible for CIRN support)

Duration of funding requested: ☐ 1 year ☐ 2 years

Trainee Start Date:

Trainee End Date:

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Application Details

Project Title

Title of the Research Project your work will support:

Which of the CIRN objectives and/or relevant research areas does your project address? *(check all that apply)*

Objective 1- Non-Covid related research? *(check all that apply)*

☐ Rapid evaluation of vaccines for safety & immunogenicity

☐ Population based methods for vaccine effectiveness & safety

☐ Research on interventions to improve vaccine acceptance & uptake

☐ Vaccine modeling & economic analysis

Objective 2- Covid related research? *(check all that apply)*

☐ Rapid evaluation of candidate vaccines for safety and immunogenicity including COVID-19 vaccine clinical trials

☐ Population based methods to evaluate COVID-19 vaccine effectiveness and safety

☐ Research on interventions that can help to improve COVID-19 vaccine acceptance, hesitancy and uptake including consideration of priority research projects to inform current and future policy

☐ Population prioritization, modeling, and knowledge mobilization that support development and roll-out of public health COVID-19 vaccination strategies

Is this part of a CIRN funded project or in support of a CIRNnetwork? ◯ *Yes*　◯ *No*

If yes, please specify project/network: _____

Is this part of a proposal submitted to the 2022 CIRN Research Proposal Competition? ◯ *Yes* ◯ *No*
(trainees whose funding is included in the budget of a project funded under the 2022 competition will be eligible for recognition as CIRN scholars, but will receive funding through the project budget)

If no to both questions, please indicate amount, and source of funding for the proposed project (100 words max)

If the project is not funded by CIRN or in support of a CIRN network, please describe how this project fulfills CIRN's mandate (150 words max)

Research Goals, Career Development & Training Expectations (250 words max)

Describe how the proposed research project will help in realizing your short and long term career goals at the completion of the CIRN award.

Research Activities and Contributions (500 words max)

Identify a maximum of five activities or contributions that best highlight your contributions to research, defining the impact and relevance of each. A contribution can be a publication, conference, patent or intellectual property right, contract, funding award, etc. Your complete description must include the organization, position or activity type and description, start and end dates, target audience and the basis on which this contribution is highly important. Include knowledge translation-related activities, both traditional and non-traditional.

Lay summary of the project (200 words max)

*This should include a description of the proposed **trainee project** that can be understood by non-scientists and is suitable for inclusion on the CIRN website or annual report.*

Trainee Project Description (1000 words max, not including references)

*This should include the full description of the **trainee project**, including objectives, hypotheses, specific aims, methods, potential pitfalls and solutions, importance/significance, knowledge translation plan, timeline and milestones. A reference list can be uploaded as a separate attachment.*

Training Environment (250 words max)

Justify your choice of research location and describe the facilities, equipment and personnel support that will be available to you. Include details regarding expected interactions with your supervisor and other members of the research team.

Other Activities (500 words max)

Other than direct work on the proposed research project, describe all other academic and non-academic activities you will be involved in (e.g. teaching, courses, supervision, seminars, clinical activities, etc.). Indicate the percentage of time spent on each activity using the time frame (per week/month/year) that best describes the involvement. If available, please include detailed information about your supervisory experience in this section.

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Career Interruptions (250 words max)

Please provide details of any interruptions in your training career, e.g., type of leave(s), duration/date(s), and impact on your training and/or research productivity

External Funding (100 words max)

This should include where external funding for the trainee's stipend was sought, or will be sought

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Candidate Signature: _____   Date: _____

Supervisor Signature: _____   Date: _____

ATTACHMENT UPLOAD:
Candidate's CIHR Academic Common CV (most recent)

ATTACHMENT UPLOAD:
Letter of Support, current or previous Supervisor (must be signed and dated)

ATTACHMENT UPLOAD:
Supervisor's CIHR Biosketch Common CV (most recent)