



CANADA 150

RESEARCH CHAIRS



Attract internationally esteemed scholars and researchers to Canada

Enhance Canada's reputation as a global centre of excellence in science, research and innovation



Between 15 and 35 Canada 150 Research Chairs, to celebrate Canada's 150th anniversary

\$117.6 million over 8 fiscal years

\$350,000 per year and \$1M per year – for a duration of seven years – expectation of sustainability beyond the award period

One-time investment to increase the opportunities for universities to recruit internationally-based researchers to Canada, including Canadian expatriates.

Overview



Practices for recruiting chairs are expected to be open, transparent and equitable.

Equity and diversity will be given strong consideration in the competition.

Institutions are required to ensure equitable access to opportunities available within the research teams that the program will establish.

Equity, diversity & inclusion



Limited number of applications

Single-phase, rigorous and competitive, peer-review process

Multi-level peer review and decision process:

1. External reviews
2. Expert review panel (multi-disciplinary committee consisting of world-leading researchers)
3. Tri-agency steering committee

**Application &
assessment process**



Registration Forms – *due August 18, 2017*

- * Name of the candidate
- * Basic information including a **public** summary
- * Suggested reviewers

Application Forms – *due September 15, 2017*

- * Based on 4 Selection Criteria

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To ensure that the program objectives are met, proposals are assessed against the four established selection criteria that focus on:

- Research/academic merit of the nominee;
- The quality of the institutional support;
- The institutional equity and diversity considerations; and,
- The contribution of the proposed Chair to the excellence of the Canadian research ecosystem.

Evaluation Criteria



Institutional Eligibility

Degree-granting institutions that have received an average of \$1,000,000 or more from the three federal granting agencies

Candidate Eligibility

Internationally based researchers, including Canadian ex-patriates

Eligibility



Eligible expenses

Grant funds must be used to support the **direct** and **indirect** costs of the Canada 150 Research Chair for which the funds were awarded.

The C150 Research Chairs program will use the Chairs Administration Guide located here:

http://www.chairs-chaires.gc.ca/program-programme/admin_guide-eng.aspx

Administration

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Questions