

BANTING POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS

Deadline to request institutional endorsement: September 23, 2013 by 12PM

Sponsor Deadline: October 23, 2013

Target applicants: Postdoctoral fellows. Candidates to be hosted by Harvard must be Canadian Citizens or permanent residents of Canada.

Eligible Disciplines: Humanities, Social Sciences, Health Research, Natural Sciences, and Engineering

The objective of the Banting Postdoctoral Fellowships Program is to attract and retain top-tier postdoctoral talent, both nationally and internationally, to develop their leadership potential and to position them for success as research leaders of tomorrow, positively contributing to Canada's economic, social and research-based growth through a research-intensive career. Candidates to be hosted at Harvard must be Canadian citizens or permanent residents of Canada and must fulfill or have fulfilled all degree requirements for a PhD, PhD-equivalent or health professional degree between October 23, 2010 and December 31, 2013 and must have obtained their PhD, PhD-equivalent or health professional degree from a Canadian university. Candidates to be hosted by Canadian institutions need not be Canadian citizens.

This is not a limited submission opportunity, but applications require an [Institutional Synergy and Endorsement](#) letter to be signed the host institution's president (equivalent or designate) on institutional letterhead. FAS Research Development will assist applicants to be hosted within FAS departments in obtaining this endorsement, and can provide a template for host supervisors to utilize in drafting the letter. **Requests from within FAS departments for signature on institutional endorsement letters may be directed to Erin Cromack at cromack@fas.harvard.edu and must be received by September 23, 2013 by 12PM.**

More information on the Banting Fellowship and the application process can be found at <http://banting.fellowships-bourses.gc.ca/home-accueil-eng.html>.

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