

# **Tri-Agency Cohort Program**

## **Description & Scope**

- > The Cohort Program will support the development of competitive external funding applications through a program of instructional workshops and peer review.
- Programs supported include: NSERC Discovery Grant, SSHRC Insight, SSHRC Insight Development, CIHR Project Grant, CIHR/Sick Kids New Investigator Research Grants, SHRF Establishment Grants, and SHRF Solutions Grants.

### **Program Components**

- Applicants are expected to attend workshops, feedback sessions, and consult with their Research Facilitator throughout the development of their proposal. For 2023, the workshops will be held remotely.
- Workshops are designed to provide insight into the elements of a successful application, and opportunities for discussion and feedback with senior scholars and peers.
- > Applicants will develop their proposal in stages, allowing for the integration of critical feedback throughout the process.
- > Further review and input from external peer reviewers may be available.
- No funds are available to Cohort participants. Researchers needing initial funding support for their projects are encouraged to apply to either the President's Seed Grant (for health, science and engineering related projects) or SSHRC Explore Grant competitions.

## Eligibility

Academic faculty in permanent, term, probationary, and adjunct appointments at the University of Regina (including federated colleges) that meet funder eligibility requirements are eligible to apply to the Cohort program.

#### **Application Process**

- Completed expression of interest forms should be submitted to the Research Office by Monday, April 10, 2024. The application form is available at <u>https://www.uregina.ca/research/for-faculty-staff/find-funding/internal-grants/tri-agency-cohort-program.html</u>
- Applicants will be contacted by a Research Facilitator to meet and discuss their participation in the Cohort program.

#### **Contact Information**

For more information, please contact the applicable Research Facilitator in the Research Office:

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