

CANADA RESEARCH CHAIR - TIER 2 HEALTH SERVICES & POLICY RESEARCH

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS – INTERNAL CANDIDATES ONLY

St. Michael's Hospital is announcing an internal call for two [Tier 2 Canada Research Chair](#) (CRC) positions in **Health Services and Policy Research** that will become available in 2018. The CRC competition deadline is in mid-April 2018.

In addition to meeting the criteria of the CRC program below, the hospital has set the following specific criteria:

- The nominee must be a Scientist appointed to the Keenan Research Centre for Biomedical Science (KRCBS) or the Li Ka Shing Knowledge Institute (LKSKI) (please refer to the hospital's [Policy and Procedures regarding Appointments](#), available on the hospital's intranet site)
- In cases where nominees have non-research commitments at the hospital or University (e.g. clinical or administrative), these commitments should be limited so that the nominees can carry out their program of research at the level expected of a Canada Research Chair

As CRCs are a mechanism for the hospital to recover salary support for its researchers, the following individuals who meet eligibility criteria are encouraged to apply: a) individuals that currently do not hold salary awards or b) individuals that hold salary awards but these awards are ending in Spring 2019 or earlier.

Tier 2 Chairs are for emerging scholars and the successful nominees should be within 10 years of receiving their highest degree. To meet the [criteria of the program](#), nominees must be excellent emerging world-class researchers who (i) have demonstrated particular research creativity; (ii) have demonstrated the potential to achieve international recognition in their fields in the next five to ten years; (iii) as chairholders, have the potential to attract, develop and retain excellent trainees, students and future researchers; and (iv) be proposing an original, innovative research program of high quality.

Applicants who are more than 10 years from having earned their highest degree (and where career breaks exist, such as maternity, parental or extended sick leave, clinical training, etc.) may have their eligibility for a Tier 2 chair assessed through the program's [Tier 2 justification process](#).

Applications should include: 1) a letter of interest describing your qualifications and research plans for the position, 2) a full curriculum vitae (not an abbreviated one). All materials should be submitted to Samar Saneinejad (saneinejads@smh.ca) by **December 21, 2017**.

For more information about this specific CRC opportunity and/or if you are unsure of your eligibility, please contact Samar Saneinejad (saneinejads@smh.ca).

St. Michael's Hospital recognizes that scholars have varying career paths and that career interruptions due to personal circumstances can be part of an excellent academic record. Search committee members have been instructed to give careful consideration to, and be sensitive to the impact of, career interruptions in their assessments.

HOSPITAL DIVERSITY STATEMENT

St. Michael's Hospital is strongly committed to diversity within its community and especially welcomes applications from racialized persons / persons of colour, women, Indigenous / Aboriginal People of North America, persons with disabilities, and members of sexual minority groups, and others who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas.

Further information regarding nomination and eligibility criteria [may be found here](#). For more information about the CRC nomination process at the University of Toronto and affiliated hospitals, contact Judith Chadwick, Assistant Vice-President, Research Services – crc@utoronto.ca or visit www.research.utoronto.ca/crc.

LANGUAGE ON COLLECTION OF EQUITY DATA

As part of your application, you will be asked to complete a brief self-identification form, found [here](#). This form is voluntary and any information directly related to you is confidential and cannot be accessed by the search committee. Results will be aggregated for institutional planning purposes as part of St. Michael Hospital's Equity, Diversity and Inclusion initiative.