



EPIC Convergence Postdoctoral Fellowship Application

The EPIC Convergence Postdoctoral Fellowships support postdoctoral trainees who are driving innovative infectious disease-focused projects that bridge two research disciplines. These senior trainees are expected to engage faculty from at least two different departments and/or divisions, with formal co-supervision by each. By linking together expertise from different research areas, EPIC Convergence Postdoctoral Fellowships will help strengthen the connectedness and interdisciplinarity of EPIC's research community while advancing leading-edge research.

Application Checklist

Please submit the application form and all supporting materials as a single, combined PDF document via email to epic@utoronto.ca using the following naming convention:

Convergence_Last name_First name.pdf

Include "Convergence PDF" in your email subject line when submitting your application. Full details of all application materials can be found at [our website](#).

- Application Form
- Supporting materials
 - Plain language summary (maximum 250 words)
 - Project proposal (maximum 1000 words)
 - EDI Statement (maximum 250 words)
 - Common Canadian CV
- Two letters of support
 - Sent by supervisor & co-supervisor directly to epic@utoronto.ca by the application deadline.
 - Please submit as a pdf using the following naming convention:

Convergence_Last name_First name_LOS_Supervisor last name.pdf.
- Demographic survey:
 - All investigators will be asked to complete our demographic survey. Link to be provided. Note that completion of the survey is mandatory for applicants and supervisors. While this survey is required, there is an option to select "Prefer not to answer" for all questions.

All materials should be easily legible, in a minimum of 11-point font with standard document margins (top/bottom: 2.5cm, left/right: 1.9cm).

Deadline for fellowship applications is **April 14, 2023 at 11:59 EST**.

For any questions or concerns, please email epic@utoronto.ca with "Convergence PDF" in the subject line.



Project Title:

Does the proposed work involve (check all that apply):

Human subjects Animal use for research Biologic material or pathogens
Data or materials sharing agreements Other permits or agreements considerations

Applicant Information:

Name Primary Institute Affiliation

U of T Faculty* U of T Department *

Email Address Current position start date

Supervisor Information:

Name Primary Institute Affiliation

U of T Faculty* U of T Department*

Email Address I am an early career investigator as defined
in the selection criteria for this award.

Co- Supervisor Information:

Name Primary Institute Affiliation

U of T Faculty* U of T Department*

Email Address I am an early career investigator as defined
in the selection criteria for this award.

**if primary institutional affiliation is the University of Toronto*

Signatures:

Applicant Signature

Name:

Date:

Supervisor Signature

Name:

Date:

Co-Supervisor Signature

Name:

Date:

Signature of Department chair / Institutional research office**

Name:

Date:

**signatory appropriate to the University of Toronto department or the Hospital Institute research office where funding will be administered