

Fellowship Program

Fellowship Award

Objectives of the Fellowship Award

The Bank of Canada promotes the economic and financial well-being of Canada through its activities in four main areas: monetary policy, currency, financial system stability, and funds management. To help meet its responsibilities, the Bank seeks to foster excellence in research in Canada, and to develop partnerships with key sources of knowledge and expertise outside the Bank.

The Bank of Canada Fellowship Award has been established to encourage leading-edge research and to develop expertise in Canada in a number of areas important to the Bank's mandate: macroeconomics, monetary economics, international finance, financial markets and institutions, financial stability and regulation, labour economics and economic growth.

The Fellowship Award provides financial support for academics at Canadian universities who have been widely recognized for their excellence, and who are undertaking leading-edge research that contributes to the development of knowledge and research capabilities in these fields.

Eligibility

The Fellowship Award is intended to recognize accomplished researchers who have the potential to continue to make significant contributions to fields of study that are of interest to the Bank.

Fellowship recipients must meet the following requirements:

- be Canadian citizens, permanent residents of Canada or be otherwise legally permitted to work in Canada
- conduct and support research in Canada
- have obtained a PhD
- be employed by a Canadian university in a tenure or tenure-track position during the term of the Fellowship Award

Fellowship Award Description

The Fellowship Award is term of up to five years, and is subject to an annual review and confirmation process by the Bank of Canada. The award comprises:

- a research grant of \$50,000 per year
- a research expense allowance of up to \$40,000 per year for related research expenses and for research assistants

A Canadian university may nominate a Fellowship Award recipient for a second term.

Nominations for the 2017 Award

A Canadian university may nominate any candidate who meets the qualifications, including individuals who already hold an academic position at the university or who would agree to accept such a position upon receipt of a Fellowship Award. Individuals interested in becoming potential Fellowship recipients should contact the appropriate university department. Nomination documents must be received at the Bank of Canada by Monday 14 November 2016.

Candidates nominated by a university for the Fellowship Award will be considered by a Nominating Committee that will make recommendations to the Bank's Governing Council. The Governing Council will make the final decision. The Fellowship Award will be announced in March or early April of 2017.

Further Information

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