

The Owerko Centre Training and Education Award

Description:

The Owerko Centre Trainee and Education Award provides an opportunity for Owerko Centre graduate students and post-doctoral fellows to obtain further training in new methods and techniques that will enhance their research skills and projects. The training and education opportunities must be external to the University of Calgary, thereby giving recipients access to a broader set of experiences not currently available at the University of Calgary.

Number of available awards: 2

Award value: Up to \$5,000 each

Duration of award: Must be used within 12 months of award acceptance

Application deadline:

11:59 PM on March 15, 2022

Eligibility:

- Registered graduate student (Masters, PhD) at the University of Calgary
- Post-Doctoral Fellows
- All applicants must have an Owerko Centre investigator as one of their supervisors

Application requirements and instructions:

- Completed Owerko Centre Trainee and Education Award application form
- A single page description of the proposed training opportunity and why it is uniquely relevant to your research studies
- High-level proposed budget of program of study
- Confirmation of training opportunity (e.g., letter of invitation, admission materials)
- A 2-page version of the applicant's CV
- Combine all documents into a single PDF document and send to owerko.centre@ucalgary.ca

Application considerations:

- Demonstrate that requested training is not available at the University of Calgary
- Demonstrate that training in technique/methods will advance research skills and program

Evaluation criteria:

Eligible applications will be reviewed by members of the Owerko Center Executive Committee, in conjunction with the Owerko Centre Education Committee. Applications will be adjudicated based on the following criteria:

- Significance and quality of the proposed program of study;
- Applicability of the training program in enhancing the research skills and projects of the trainee; and
- Alignment of the proposed program of study with the mission, vision, values and goals of the Owerko Centre.

Please submit any questions to mark.agius1@ucalgary.ca.