Pain: Individual Experience, Public Health Problem

Online Program
University of Toronto
Toronto, Canada

August 16 - November 13 2021
Toronto Pain Institute is focused on supporting professional development for pain science and clinical trainees. This program combines learning and intentional networking opportunities with experts in the pain research, education, and clinical community. The goals of the program are to cultivate research survival skills, foster networking among future leaders, and promote personal goal setting and growth.

**Key features of the program include:**

- One-on-one with program leads meetings to discuss personal goals and opportunities for professional growth and development
- VIP small group discussions with leaders in the pain field
- Learn from people with lived experience
- Survival skills panels with working professionals in the pain field
- Peer-to-peer discussions and networking
What 3-month fellowship with a focus on mentorship, networking. Tuition is free! Funds may be available for lunch.

Who Participation is limited to 25 national and international graduate students, post-doctoral fellows and clinical trainees.

When/Where August 16 - November 13 | Virtual

Commitment Approximately 3 hours/week for 3-months.

Application Deadline extended until July 9, 2021.
Include a reference letter from your supervisor, a CV, and a short biosketch describing your research and level of training. Please send application to Nancy Mitchell nancy.mitchell@utoronto.ca

APPLY BY JULY 9
Week 1
August 16 - 20

Launch Party: introductions, objectives, goal setting

Resiliency in Research: pivoting, taking risks, moving beyond your expertise

Week 2
August 23 - 27

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Anna Taddio, PhD
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Productively Engaging Patients in Research: challenging assumptions, avoiding tokenism, and including diverse voices

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What is ECHO?

Health Education program that supports healthcare providers’ care of complex patients by connecting them with inter-professional specialist teams and a community of learners, by videoconference.

Each session includes a didactic lecture by a content expert & real (anonymized) patient case discussions presented by participants.

Advantages

- Open to all health care providers
- No cost (fully funded by the MOH)
- Accredited (Earn CPD credits)
- Online (all you need is internet access & a computer/smartphone)
- Access to specialist team. Support for complex patients

More information: www.EchoOntario.ca
Week 5
September 13 - 17

Artificial Intelligence and Precision Medicine

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Week 6
September 20-24

Social Inequalities and Pain: The Untold History of Blacks and Chronic Pain

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University of Toronto Centre For the Study of Pain
The Business of Doing Research: thinking outside the grant box - approaching an NGO and engaging the donor space

Katie Graham
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Major Gifts, SickKids Foundation

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Week 8
October 4 - 8

Engaging Policy Makers

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System Platform
Week 9
October 11-15

Canadian Thanksgiving: No Scheduled Event

Money, Research, and Conflicts of Interest

Week 10
October 18 - 22

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Who is not at the Table: the often understudied, underheard voices in pain research

Emeralda Burke, BSc, CHIM
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Person With Lived Experience

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Program Manager
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The Hospital for Sick Children

Nida Mustafa, PhD
Research Lead
Toronto Academic Pain Medicine Institute

Lanre Tunji-Ajayi
President/Chief Executive Officer
Sickle Cell Awareness Group of Ontario
Week 12
November 1 - 5

Careers: Academia and Beyond

Kasey Hemington, PhD, MSc
Data Scientist
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Rebecca Hancock-Howard, PhD, MSc, BScH
Associate Director
ACE: Accessing Centre for Expertise
Assistant Professor
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Wrap up Party, Reflection and Feedback

Week 12
November 8-12
PLANNING COMMITTEE

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To front:

28+ national & international faculty

25 fellows: masters, PhD, clinical

variety of lectures, panels, networking and professional development

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