

Research Assistant Position

McLaughlin-Rotman Centre for Global Health Program on Ethics and Commercialization

We are currently recruiting for a position in the following project:

Community engagement in the research and adoption of new health technologies in developing countries

for the Ethical, Social and Cultural (ESC) Program for the Grand Challenges in Global Health Initiative

We focus on understanding the ethical, social and cultural factors involved with the use of new technologies to address global health issues.

All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be given priority

Please submit a cover letter and a copy of your CV/resume (electronic copy preferred) by August 29th, 2008

Please send your information to:

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****Only Applicants that have been selected for interviews will be contacted****

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The University of Toronto is strongly committed to diversity within its community and especially welcomes applications from visible minority group members, women, Aboriginal persons, persons with disabilities, members of sexual minority groups, and others who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas

Research Assistant – Community Engagement Case Study within the McLaughlin-Rotman Centre for Global Health, Program on Ethics and Commercialization (PEC)

The following is a detailed description of the research assistant position within the Community Engagement Case Study. The research assistant will be responsible for:

- Assisting in research related activities within Community Engagement Case Study, with a focus on the following tasks:
 - Management of data [audios and videos], to develop systematic archives.
 - Transcription and verification of transcripts.
 - Data analysis.
 - Referencing and technical support for the publications.
 - Assist in writings based on empirical research and critical review.
 - Structured review of literature.
 - REB coordination.
 - Work plan and budget development.
 - Dissemination and archiving of findings from the Global Case Studies in the form of ‘lessons learned’.
 - Prepare milestone reports and annual report on the research program and other reporting requirements as assigned.
 - Development of the Ethical, Social and Cultural Annual Newsletter and Booklet.
 - Communication to, correspondence and follow up with international collaborators.
 - Planning of meetings, workshops, conference call and publication preparation.
- Communicating weekly updates on the progress of the project(s) to the research team (this will include the project leader, PEC team and Directors).
- Creating project specific details for the PEC web-site.
- Other project duties that may be assigned.
- Provide assistance to related projects within PEC.
- Administrative tasks as are required for the Community Engagement Case Study project.
- Data collection for case studies. May involve out of country trips, depending on the case.