



Canada Research Chair Tier 2 in Neuroscience

Faculty of Medicine, Department of Neurology and Neurosurgery and the Montreal Neurological Institute

The Canada Research Chair is also open to internal candidates who already hold a faculty position at McGill University.

Position description

The Department of Neurology and Neurosurgery of McGill University and the Montreal Neurological Institute (MNI) invites applications for a Tier 2 Canada Research Chair in the field of Neuroscience.

The MNI is an integral part of McGill University, located in downtown Montreal. The neuroscience community at McGill and in Greater Montreal is one of the largest and most diverse in North America. Montreal is one of the most multicultural and lively cities in North America that offers an extremely high quality of life.

The Montreal Neurological Institute of McGill University has embarked on a journey to set a global precedent as the first academic institute to fully embrace the principles of Open Science. In that context, the Institute highly encourages its researchers to work under these principles.

If the successful candidate satisfies the specific eligibility conditions of the program, the candidate may be supported by the University for nomination to a Tier 2 Canada Research Chair (CRC) in Neurosciences, which provides protected time for research within a full-time academic appointment.

Tier 2 Chairs are for emerging researchers (individuals who are no more than 10 years from having earned their highest degree). However, career interruptions (e.g. maternity or parental leave, extended sick leave, clinical training, family care, etc.) may be taken into consideration using the [Tier 2 justification process](#) to review the candidate's eligibility. Potential applicants who are more than 10 years from their highest degree with career interruptions may contact the institution to have their eligibility reviewed through the Tier 2 justification process. The eligibility conditions for the CRC chairs are described at http://www.chairs-chaire.gc.ca/program-programme/nomination-mise_en_candidature-eng.aspx#s3.

Job Duties

The successful candidate will be expected to:

- Conduct vigorous cutting-edge, externally funded independent research augmenting our existing efforts in the field of modeling cognitive operations and complex behavior using connectomics, neuroimaging and neuroinformatics.
- Supervise graduate students and to contribute to teaching related to McGill's academic mission.

Qualifications and Education requirements

- Applicant should have a PhD in neuroscience, neurology or related fields, with a track record of successful research, leadership and expertise in neuroimaging, network analysis and neuroinformatics. Candidate should also have an established track record in obtaining research funding, and working in a collaborative multi-disciplinary environment.
- Candidates who do not satisfy the CRC eligibility criteria for a Tier 2 chair are nonetheless invited to apply for the position.

JOB DETAILS

Job Type: Contract Academic Staff

Salary: Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience

Application deadline: Please submit your application within 30 days of the publication of this advertisement.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Applications must be submitted on-line at: <http://www.mcgill.ca/medicine-academic/positionsavailable>.

The following supporting documents are required from external applicants:

- a cover letter and curriculum vitae
- statement of research and teaching interests
- the names and contact information of three referees, with one of the referees being the doctoral supervisor.

Internal applicants to the Canada Research Chair need to submit a recent curriculum vitae and a statement of research interests aligned with the designated subject area for the chair.

COMMITMENT TO EQUITY AND DIVERSITY

McGill University hires on the basis of merit and is strongly committed to equity and diversity within its community. We welcome applications from racialized persons/visible minorities, women, Indigenous persons, persons with disabilities, ethnic minorities, and persons of minority sexual orientations and gender identities, as well as from all qualified candidates with the skills and knowledge to productively engage with diverse communities. McGill implements an employment equity program and encourages members of designated groups to self-identify. Persons with disabilities who anticipate needing accommodations for any part of the application process may contact, in confidence, Professor Angela Campbell, Associate Provost (Equity and Academic Policies) by [email](#) or phone at 514-398-1660.

All qualified applicants are encouraged to apply; however, in accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority.