

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP POSITION

ISIS Project - Interdisciplinary Study of Inequalities in Smoking

Institut de recherche en santé publique de Montréal / Département de médecine sociale et préventive de l'Université de Montréal

Dr. Katherine L. Frohlich is currently looking for a postdoctoral fellow interested in working on her research team's ISIS project - Interdisciplinary Study of Inequalities in Smoking. The ISIS project is a longitudinal study examining the link between resources in residential neighbourhoods and social inequalities in smoking among a cohort of young adult Montrealers aged 18 to 25 years. The study asks two main questions: 1) Why is it that lower socio-economic status smokers are not diminishing their smoking habits at the same rate as that of the rest of society? and 2) How are attributes of neighbourhoods contributing to create and maintain social inequalities in smoking?

Upon completion of the postdoctoral fellowship the fellow will have undertaken research work derived from the ISIS project, collaborated with the existing team members as well as developed first-authored and other papers for publication in peer-reviewed journals.

Period covered by the fellowship

September 1st, 2012 to August 31st, 2013 (1 year)

Amount of the scholarship

\$36,750

Eligibility criteria

- PhD in public health or in another relevant field.
- Relevant research experience with issues related to social inequalities in health.

Documents to submit

- CV
- Cover letter explaining applicant's academic path, research interests, areas of expertise and career objectives.
- One peer-reviewed publication representative of applicant's work.
- Three reference letters including one from applicant's research supervisor.

Selection criteria

- Excellence of record
- Relevant experience in research
- Quality of publication record

To apply

Interested candidates are invited to submit their application by May 25th 2012, 6 p.m. to :

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Selected candidates will be convened to an interview by phone, SKYPE or in person with the principal investigator of the ISIS project, Dr. Katherine L. Frohlich.

Only applicants selected for an interview will be contacted.