Microsoft Research Faculty Fellowship 2023

Sponsor

Microsoft

Description

The Microsoft Research Faculty Fellowship recognizes innovative, promising new faculty, whose exceptional talent for research and innovation identifies them as emerging leaders in their fields.

Program details and timeline are not yet confirmed. This information will be updated when the program launches.

Eligibility

Full eligibility criteria and nomination guidelines can be found on the Microsoft Research Faculty Fellowship website [1].

Candidates for the fellowship must:

- Be full-time faculty at a degree-granting college or university in North America or South America.
- Faculty must have received their terminal degree (e.g., PhD, DSc) in May 2017 or later (exact date TBD).
- Currently conducting research, advising graduate students, and teaching in a classroom.
- Proposed research must be closely related to the general research areas carried out by Microsoft.

Research areas carried out by Microsoft can be found on the Microsoft Research website [2].

Prize

The recipient(s) of the award will receive $100,000 USD annually for two years paid to the university.

Special Notes

Please note that research activities carried out in the context of COVID-19 need to adhere to the University of Guelph COVID-19 research principles, policies, guidelines and processes as they may be updated from time to time and communicated on the Office of Research web-page [3].

Deadlines

If College-level review is required, your College will communicate its earlier internal deadlines.

Type	Date	Notes
Internal Deadline	Monday, November 14, 2022 - 11:59pm	If you wish to be considered for VPR nomination: 1. We recommend discussing your interest in this award with your College Research Manager and Associate Dean (Research). 2. Complete the Expression of Interest document [4]. 3. Send the completed Expression of Interest document and a CV to research.honours@uoguelph.ca [5] and copy your College Research Manager. Career interruptions due to parental leave, family care, extended illness, or community responsibilities will not negatively impact the committee's assessment of a candidate's research productivity. These will be taken into consideration when EOIs are assessed.
External Deadline	Wednesday, February 22, 2023 - 11:59pm	If your nomination will be submitted by a nominator other

Type	Date	Notes
		than the VPR, please submit directly to the sponsor by the external deadline. Please also submit a copy of the full nomination and OR-5 to research.services@uoguelph.ca [6]. If not nominated by their university, faculty must be nominated by a Microsoft Research lab member or a researcher within an applied research group in other parts of Microsoft.

How to Apply

The Vice-President (Research) encourages nominations for this prestigious award, and will serve as nominator for those nominees recommended by the Honours and Awards Advisory Committee. If you wish to nominate a colleague or to be considered for VPR nomination:

1. We recommend discussing your interest in this award with your College Research Manager and Associate Dean (Research).
2. Complete the Expression of Interest document [4].
3. Send the completed Expression of Interest document and a CV to research.honours@uoguelph.ca [5] and copy your College Research Manager by the internal deadline.

As this is an international prize, the University may engage the Global Excellence Initiative [7] to coordinate external review of nominations.

Career interruptions due to parental leave, family care, extended illness, or community responsibilities will not negatively impact the committee's assessment of a candidate's research productivity. These will be taken into consideration when EOIs are assessed.

If your nomination will be submitted by a different nominee, and therefore does not require the Vice-President's endorsement, please submit a complete nomination and signed OR-5 to research.services@uoguelph.ca [6] by the external deadline. If not nominated by their university, faculty must be nominated by a Microsoft Research lab member or a researcher within an applied research group in other parts of Microsoft.

For More Information

For more information contact research.honours@uoguelph.ca [5] or msfellow@microsoft.com [8].

Alert Classifications**Category:**
Honours and Awards

Disciplines:
Health and Life Sciences
Information and Communications Technology
Physical Sciences and Engineering

**Source
URL:**https://www.uoguelph.ca/research/alerts/content/microsoft-research-faculty-fellowship-2023

Links

[1] https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/research/academic-program/faculty-fellowship/

[2] https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/research/

[3] https://www.uoguelph.ca/research/

[4] https://www.uoguelph.ca/research/document/eoi-template-major-awards-and-honours

[5] mailto:research.honours@uoguelph.ca

[6] mailto:research.services@uoguelph.ca

[7] https://www.univcan.ca/programs-and-scholarships/global-excellence-initiative/

[8] mailto:msfellow@microsoft.com