

## **ONCAT Research Grants- Ontario Council on Articulation and Transfer- 2024/2025**

### **Sponsor**

Ontario Council on Articulation and Transfer (ONCAT)

### **Program**

Research Grants

### **For More Information**

Visit the [ONCAT Funding Opportunities](#) [1] webpage.

### **Description**

ONCAT Research Grants support the generation of new insights about issues related to learner mobility.

For the context of ONCAT Research Grants, “learner mobility” includes students transferring from one institution to another, as well as learners who have previously earned at least one course credit from two or more postsecondary institutions or via other sources, such as Prior Learning Assessment and Recognition?(PLAR), Ontario Micro-Credential (OMC), etc.?

**In alignment with ONCAT’s [2023–26 Strategic Plan](#) [2]?, they welcome applications for projects that investigate the following topics:**

- Academic achievement related to learner mobility
- Labour market outcomes related to learner mobility
- Programs that enhance the academic and non-academic transition experiences of learners
- Programs that improve access to postsecondary opportunities for Indigenous learners
- Programs that improve access to postsecondary opportunities for any of the following groups: mature students, francophone learners, learners living in rural areas, learners with disabilities, and learners from demographic groups that are underrepresented in Ontario’s postsecondary sector

ONCAT values diverse and innovative approaches to research activity. To that end, they

welcome applications for projects that investigate issues related to learner mobility through any research methodology or disciplinary lens.

**Eligibility**

- Faculty members affiliated with a publicly assisted college, university, or Indigenous Institute in Ontario are eligible to apply for ONCAT Research Grants.
  - Faculty members holding a non-permanent affiliation (e.g., a limited-term contract) are eligible to apply for ONCAT Research Grants if they can complete the project within the period of their affiliation with a publicly assisted college, university, or Indigenous Institute in Ontario.
- Applications can be submitted on behalf of a principal investigator or a team of co-investigators. For applications submitted on behalf of a team, every co-investigator must be a faculty member affiliated with a publicly assisted college, university, or Indigenous Institute in Ontario.

*Researchers affiliated with not-for-profit organizations or incorporated businesses are eligible to apply for [ONCAT Resource Grants](#). [3]*

**Funding Availability**

- You can request a minimum of \$25,000 and a maximum of \$90,000 in funding for the project.
- [Review the Budget Guidelines](#) [4] for information about eligible expenses.

**Indirect Costs**

10%

**Deadlines**

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

Type	Date	Notes
<b>External Deadline</b>	Thursday, November 14, 2024 - 4:00pm	<a href="#">Expression of Interest</a> [5] to be submitted to <a href="#">Jeffrey Napierala</a> [6], Research Manager at ONCAT.
<b>Internal Deadline</b>	Thursday, December 5, 2024 - 4:30pm	Those invited to full proposal stage are to provide Research Support Services with a copy of the full application and a signed

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		OR-5 form via <a href="mailto:research.services@uoguelph.ca">research.services@uoguelph.ca</a> [7]
<b>External Deadline</b>	Thursday, December 12, 2024 - 4:00pm	Full application due to ONCAT via the online grant portal.

## How to Apply

See ONCAT's [Research Grant program webpage](#) [8] for details.

For Questions, please contact

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### Links

[1] <https://www.oncat.ca/funding-opportunities-0>

[2] [https://oncat.ca/assets/oncat/documents/projects/media-files/strategic\\_plan\\_2023-2026\\_1.pdf](https://oncat.ca/assets/oncat/documents/projects/media-files/strategic_plan_2023-2026_1.pdf)

[3] <https://oncat.ca/funding-resource>

[4] [https://www.oncat.ca/budget\\_guidelines\\_research\\_grants](https://www.oncat.ca/budget_guidelines_research_grants)

[5] [https://www.oncat.ca/assets/oncat/documents/ONCAT\\_ExpressionResearch.pdf](https://www.oncat.ca/assets/oncat/documents/ONCAT_ExpressionResearch.pdf)

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