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Office of Graduate Programs and Research

2009 UGF / SSHRC Information Panel



Tuesday, July 7th, 2009, 1:30–3:00pm in Scarfe 310

Wednesday, September 9th, 2009, 12:30–3:00pm in Scarfe 310

↳ (break-out rooms in Scarfe 304A, 308A & 309C)

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Application Deadline:
Monday, September 21st, 2009
to your home Department

Special Notice

As the University Graduate Fellowships (UGF) program will come to an end after the 2009-2010 academic year, this fall's competition (for awards to be held in 2010-2011) will be for Affiliated Fellowships only. These Affiliated Fellowships included the Killam Doctoral Scholarships, Pacific Century Graduate Scholarships, Paetzold Fellowships, and others listed at:
<http://www.grad.ubc.ca/awards/index.asp?menu=004,002,000,000>.

(1) The fall 2009 competition will look much the same as previous competitions: the competition for Affiliated Fellowships will still be combined with the NSERC, SSHRC, and CIHR Master's competition and eligibility criteria, application procedures, selection criteria, and the adjudication process will remain virtually the same as in previous years.

(2) The most significant difference from previous competitions is that this fall's competition will be smaller: because the UGF budget will be added to the budget for the Four Year Fellowships (4YF) program for 2010-2011 onward, less funding will be available through the fall 2009 competition (which offers funding for the 2010-2011 year) because only funding from the Affiliated Fellowships will be available. Therefore, the number of applications accepted from graduate programs will be smaller than in previous years. Graduate programs will be notified of the maximum number of applications they can submit in August.

(3) Master's students are eligible to submit applications for Affiliated Fellowship funding for the second year of their Master's program.

(4) 4YF holders (UGF* and GES*) who are Canadian citizens or permanent residents are required to apply for Tri-Agency funding in the fall 2009 competition, if they are eligible. If they do not, they will forfeit their remaining 4YF funding.

(5) International students offered a GES* by their graduate programs are required to submit an application to the fall 2009 competition. If they do not, they will forfeit their remaining 4YF funding.

(6) As in previous years, application materials for the NSERC, SSHRC, and CIHR Master's competitions, and for the Affiliated Fellowships competition, will be available in August. Graduate programs will be notified as application materials on posted online.