

Canada Impact+ Research Training Awards: Eligibility Checklist

For nominators:

- Nominator holds an active grant from the [eligible list of grants](#)
- Grant received a payment or has a planned payment in the 2025-26 or 2026-27 fiscal year (April 1, 2025 to March 31, 2027)
- Nominator is eligible to supervise doctoral students and/or postdoctoral researchers, as per the institution's policies
- Nominator has accounts in good standing with CIHR, NSERC, and/or SSHRC and has not been deemed ineligible to hold and/or apply for funds for reasons of breach of policies on responsible conduct of research, such as ethics, integrity or financial management policies.

For nominees:

- Nominee is currently studying or working abroad
- Nominee does not have a current affiliation with a Canadian institution
- Nominee is not currently benefiting from other tri-agency funds for the same purpose
- Nominee's research project is within one of the eight Priority Research Areas.

For doctoral nominees:

- Nominee is eligible to enroll in a doctoral program at the nominating institution in Canada as of the award activation date
- Nominee does not hold a tenure or tenure-track appointment or is not on leave from such an appointment (some exceptions apply; see the [Tri-agency research training award holder's guide](#) for details)
- Nominee is not holding and has never held a doctoral-level scholarship from any of the federal granting agencies

For postdoctoral nominees:

- Nominee is qualified to undertake postdoctoral research at the nominating institution in Canada as of the award activation date
- Nominee does not hold a tenure or tenure-track appointment or is not on leave from such an appointment
- Nominee is not holding and has never held a postdoctoral-level scholarship from any of the federal granting agencies