

## Cancer Research Training Award Fellow Sought for Environmental Epidemiology

The Epidemiology and Genomics Research Program (EGRP), Division of Cancer Control and Population Sciences (DCCPS), National Cancer Institute (NCI), anticipates an opening for a Cancer Research Training Award (CRTA) Fellow with an interest in environmental epidemiology. This fellowship offers a rich learning experience that will afford the successful candidate the opportunity to work with teams of scientists and public health professionals at NCI, the National Institutes of Health (NIH), and institutions around the country. The successful candidate will interact with scientists from a variety of research disciplines, including epidemiology, genomics, clinical sciences, and public health; and also may have the opportunity to collaborate with researchers active in these arenas, leading to potential publications.

NCI is the primary federal agency responsible for cancer research and is part of the National Institutes of Health (NIH) and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS). EGRP is the largest funder of cancer epidemiology grants nationally and worldwide. EGRP manages a comprehensive program of grant-supported, population-based research on the determinants of cancer. Its offices are located in Rockville, Maryland, a suburb of Washington, DC.

### Position Description

The successful candidate will help coordinate and manage highly visible projects including Program-level activities for existing trans-NIH research projects and initiatives. The incumbent also will assist with the coordination and development of future funding opportunities for the extramural research community. Duties will include performing literature searches, summarizing research findings, and analyzing grant portfolios; organizing meetings, workshops, and teleconferences; preparing briefing materials, reports, and meeting summaries; and developing or updating content for relevant websites. Additional duties and training opportunities will include attending relevant seminars and conferences. In accomplishing these activities, the successful candidates will meet frequently and work closely with EGRP staff.

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### Minimum Qualifications:

- Master's level degree in epidemiology, public health, environmental health or related field.
- A strong interest in cancer epidemiology, modifiable risk factors, population-based health, and public health. Research areas of interest may include, but are not limited to, environmental exposures; infectious agents; radiation, chemical or physical agents; and social determinants of health.
- Experience reviewing, analyzing, and summarizing scientific literature.
- Excellent attention to detail and interpersonal, organizational, writing, and project management skills.
- The ability to work independently and on teams.
- Data management skills and/or experience with spreadsheets.
- Applicant must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident.

### Application Requirements:

- A one-page cover letter explaining your interest in epidemiology and public health, as well as how you see this position furthering your career goals (include your earliest start date).
- CV or resume.
- Contact information for two professional references, along with brief description of type and duration of relationship.

### Stipend and Benefits:

The CRTA appointment is a one year award, with option to renew for an additional year. The salary starts at \$34,500 for a trainee with a relevant master's degree, and could vary depending on years of relevant post master's degree experience. Salary is commensurate with experience and education. Health benefits and training opportunities are provided.

### Application Deadline & Start Date:

The position will remain open until filled. The earliest possible start date is March 2016, but is negotiable.

### How to Apply:

All application materials must be submitted electronically to [nciEGRPjobs@mail.nih.gov](mailto:nciEGRPjobs@mail.nih.gov). Please include the following in the e-mail subject line: EEB CRTA 2016.

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