



# Laboratory Medicine & Pathobiology UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

## Graduate Programs

### **LMP Visiting Trainee Graduate Award**

A new Departmental award has been established to support PhD students in good standing who wish to attend a workshop or visit an international laboratory in order to learn a state-of-the-art research methodology. The awards are used to partially defray costs associated with travel and/ or accommodation. Up to two awards at \$1000 each will be given annually on a first come basis. Students should be within the first three years of their graduate program, and are eligible for one award only.

Applications can be made at any time of the year and should include the following:

1. A two-page proposal discussing:
  - a. the nature of the methodology,
  - b. the reasons for selecting a particular workshop or laboratory to visit,
  - c. the potential impact of the methodology on:
    - i. the student's dissertation,
    - ii. the research program of the student's laboratory,
    - iii. the research programs of others at the University of Toronto in general, and LMP in particular.
2. The student's CV
3. A letter of support from the student's graduate supervisor
4. When applicable, a letter of support from the host laboratory

A committee chaired by the Graduate Coordinator will make the recommendation for the award to the Department Chair. At the Annual Graduate Research Day, award recipients will, where possible, give a presentation on their research, describing the use of the new methodology.

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