Opportunities

Eyes High Postdoctoral Match-Funding Program
This program will award partial salary support (up to $25,000) for postdocs who will be highly competitive for external awards and will help advance UCalgary’s strategic research and innovation plan. Funding will be awarded on a competitive basis.

This funding is intended for individuals who will be new postdocs at UCalgary at the start of their appointment. Applications are to be submitted by the individual applying to be an Eyes High Postdoc, and not by their faculty supervisor.

More information on eligibility and how to apply can be found [here](#).

Deadline: November 5, 2021

Infrastructure Canada/Government of Canada: Research and Knowledge Initiative
The Research and Knowledge Initiative (RKI) is a competitive, merit-based contributions funding program that supports data and research on issues related to public infrastructure and communities. The current Research and Knowledge Initiative call for proposals invites projects that strengthen the development and use of community-level data and research related to public infrastructure in cities, rural and remote areas, and Indigenous communities across Canada. Projects should address a current or emerging public infrastructure issue of broad relevance from a local or place-based perspective, engage a wide range of stakeholders, share knowledge in broad and lasting ways, and be designed to deliver intended results and ensure strong stewardship of resources. Please see [the funding calendar entry](#) for details.

Research Services’ final deadline for the application via RMS is NOON on October 20, 2021.
RSO Contact: Lisa Singh

REMINDER: e2i: Evolve to Innovate
This program aims to help PIs and postdocs with tools to translate their research into practical solutions. e2i fellows will engage in an eight-month experiential innovation curriculum, including mentorship from experienced faculty innovators who have translated research to practical outcomes at the UOC, hands-on workshops, guidance, and a cash allowance. A total of about $1 million will be available for faculty and postdocs to support their research to innovation program.

Info session: September 21, 11:00am – [register here](#).
Application deadline: September 29
Contacts: Adam Cragg at Innovate Calgary and Jeff Ryzner in the VPR office
Opportunities - Health

Health Research Foundation: Fellowship in Health Systems Resilience
The Health Research Foundation invites research that examines the factors that enhance or undermine the resilience of the health system - that is, the capacity to accommodate and adapt to shocks while maintaining and improving effective performance over time for the Fellowship in Health Systems Resilience. Areas of focus with the health system could include, for example, long term care, public health agencies of the provinces, regulation and regulators, organizational development of health systems, accountability, the role of management and the role of science, and international comparative work among others.

See the full funding calendar entry here.

Research Services full application deadline is September 28, 2021 at 12:00pm.

Contact: Emma Koiston

Opportunities – Social Sciences

SSHRC: Emerging Asocial Society
SSHRC is launching a Knowledge Synthesis Grants funding opportunity to foster a deeper understanding of the state of knowledge regarding the growing sense of disconnection, isolation and loneliness in Canadian society. The resulting syntheses will identify roles that the academic, public, private and not-for-profit sectors can play in promoting more connected and resilient communities, and inform the development of effective tools, robust policies and sustainable practices required to support the transition to a more equitable, healthy and prosperous future. See the full funding calendar entry here.

Research Services full application deadline is December 14, 2021 at 12:00pm.

Contact: Emma Koiston

Faculty of Arts SSHRC Insight Development Grant Session
Together with our panelists, we will discuss ideas for strengthening your application, strategies on how to write to the selection criteria, and other useful tips.
When: Tuesday, September 28, 2021
Where: online via Zoom
Time: 10 – 11.30 a.m.
Please RSVP to: artsrsvp@ucalgary.ca, including “SSHRC Insight Development Grant session” in the subject line. Zoom details will be shared three days before the session.

Did You Know?

Science Stores stocks more than 1300 different items (ranging from syringes to safety glasses to chemicals to ferrules) that are commonly used by researchers for e-purchase with next-day pickup? Have a look at the details here and/or in the sci-faculty email sent by Michelle Forgeron (Manager, Technical Support Services) at 8:18am on September 15th.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Dr. Jennifer Adams (CHEM) on her successful U.S. Mission to Canada Public Affairs Grant!