2022-23 NSERC Collaborative Research and Training Experience (CREATE)

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NSERC has just informed us that they will be offering a webinar to provide information for potential applicants interested in applying to the Collaborative Research and Training Experience (CREATE) Program.

The CREATE program supports the training of teams of outstanding students and postdoctoral fellows from Canada and abroad through the development of innovative training programs that encourage collaborative and integrative approaches, address significant scientific challenges associated to Canada's research priorities, and facilitate the transition of new researchers from trainees to productive employees in the Canadian workforce.

This program involves a two step process. The first step involves the submission of a Letter of Intent (LOI). Those selected at the LOI stage will proceed to the second step and submit a full application. Please note that there is a maximum number of LOI’s that can be submitted. In the past, the University of Toronto has been able to submit up to 6 LOI’s. We are waiting confirmation of our quota from NSERC. If more than 6 LOI’s are submitted, we will conduct an internal peer review to select the top rated projects using the same evaluation criteria as NSERC.

VALUE: $1,650,000 over six years.
**NSERC INFORMATION SESSION:** NSERC will be offering two information sessions via MS Teams on the following dates:

**English session:** *February 10th, 2022, 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. (ET)*

**French session:** *February 11th, 2022, 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. (ET)*

Registration is not necessary – anyone can connect using the link provided below.

Microsoft Teams meeting

**Join on your computer or mobile app**

[Click here to join the meeting](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meeting/1?l=en&耕地ert=7tE9wX-FvFhhzg586p9Ez0aOidkeqE3n3Cg)

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*Additional details about the webinar can be found on our [Research Funding Opportunities page](#).*

**DEADLINES:** If you are interested in submitting an LOI, please advise Jessica Keating ([jessica.keating@utoronto.ca](mailto:jessica.keating@utoronto.ca)) **by March 1, 2022** so that we can put together an internal review panel

**Internal LOI Deadline** – **Friday March 11, 2022 10:00AM (FIRM)**

**Sponsor LOI Deadline** - **May 1, 2022** (if selected in internal process)

Additional Information on the NSERC Collaborative Research and Training Experience (CREATE) Program can be found on our [website](#) and the [NSERC website](#).