

Canada Research Chair (Tier II) Aboriginal Health

Located in Canada's capital, the University of Ottawa is committed to becoming a leader in Aboriginal health and is seeking to recruit an outstanding scholar in this field for a **Tier II Canada Research Chair (CRC)**.

The Chair holder will assume a leadership role and will contribute to capacity building in this area by working with the Faculty of Health Sciences' growing team of scholars in Aboriginal health research. The successful candidate will have outstanding research accomplishments, an exciting research program in Aboriginal health, and a commitment to both postgraduate training and interdisciplinary collaboration spanning the **social, natural and life sciences**.

Required qualifications

1. A PhD or equivalent
2. Active research in Aboriginal health
3. A commitment to postgraduate training
4. A track record in and a commitment to interdisciplinary collaboration
5. Excellent written and oral communication skills in either English or French, with a passive knowledge of the other official language.

Rank and salary: This is a tenure-track appointment at the rank of assistant professor; the salary depends on the candidate's qualifications and experience, in accordance with the University of Ottawa's collective agreement. A higher rank may be considered for applicants with exceptional qualifications and experience.

Deadline: The Committee will begin to consider candidates in November 2009 and will continue the process until the position is filled.

Please send your curriculum vitae, a detailed research proposal, a description of teaching interests and the names of three people able to supply a letter of reference to:

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The University of Ottawa is justly proud of its 160-year tradition of bilingualism. Through its Official Languages and Bilingualism Institute, the University provides training to staff members and to their spouses in their second official language. At the time of tenure, professors are expected to have the ability to function in a bilingual setting. In certain cases, professors must have the ability to teach in both official languages to be granted tenure.