

**Tier 1 Canada Research Chair and Director of the University of Ottawa
Brain and Mind Research Institute**

Applications are invited for a Tier 1 Canada Research Chair (CRC) tenure-track position and to be the Director of the University of Ottawa's [Brain and Mind Research Institute](#) (uOBMRI). The uOBMRI was established in 2010 to foster scientific collaborations of the highest quality in the neurosciences and behavioral sciences across the Ottawa region and to integrate basic and clinical research and research training activities related to the brain and mind. To orchestrate innovative and highly collaborative research, the Institute focuses on seven themes and unites over 250 members from many uOttawa faculties (Medicine, Science, Engineering, Health Sciences, Education, Social Sciences) and affiliated hospitals (The Ottawa Hospital, Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario, The Royal, Bruyère, and Hôpital Montfort) and their research institutes.

The successful candidate will be an international leader in neurosciences and/or mental health research, with strong mentorship skills. The incumbent must also have a demonstrated record of leadership, particularly in managing multidisciplinary teams, seeking out large-scale grants, fundraising, forging and maintaining partnerships. The Director of the uOBMRI will develop a strategic plan for the future growth of the Institute in alignment with the vision of the University of Ottawa and the affiliated hospitals. In addition, the Director is expected to maintain an exemplary research program that complements ongoing research efforts and engages with local, national, and international research networks.

Tier 1 Chairs, tenable for seven years and renewable once, are for outstanding researchers acknowledged by their peers as world leaders in their field. For more information on the CRC Program, visit the CRC website at: http://www.chairs-chaire.gc.ca/about_us-a_notre_sujet/index-eng.aspx. New CRC nominees are also eligible for infrastructure support from the [Canada Foundation for Innovation](#) (CFI) to help acquire state-of-the-art equipment essential to their work.

Required Qualifications: A PhD and/or MD in a relevant field, superior research achievements in the CRC's identified area(s) and proof of interdisciplinary collaborations, a solid record with respect to teaching and training of students at graduate level, strong record of external research funding, excellent communication skills in either English or French. A passive knowledge of the other official language would be an asset.

Rank and salary: Regular tenure-track academic appointment in the relevant Faculty, with a salary consistent with the collective agreement of the Association of Professors of the University of Ottawa.

Application Package:

- A cover letter;
- An up-to-date curriculum vitae (include career interruptions that might have affected research productivity);
- A research plan (2 to 3 pages);
- A statement of teaching interests (1 to 2 pages); and
- The names of three people who may be contacted by the University for letters of reference.

Self-Declaration Form: The University of Ottawa supports an inclusive and diverse workplace environment. We encourage all applicants from the four designated groups (i.e. women, Aboriginal Peoples, members of visible minorities and persons with disabilities) to fill the following form: https://research.uottawa.ca/sites/research.uottawa.ca/files/uo_self_id_crc_en.pdf.

Deadline: July 6th, 2018

The selection process will begin in July and will continue until the position is filled. Only candidates selected for an interview will be contacted. Please send the application package to the following address or by email to:

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If you are invited to continue the selection process, please notify us of any particular adaptive measures you might require by contacting the Office of the Associate Vice-President, Faculty Affairs at 613-562-5958. The Canada Research Chairs Program imposes no restrictions on nominees with regard to nationality or country of residence. Procedures to allow non-Canadian chairholders to work in Canada have been established by Employment and Social Development Canada and Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada.

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 their spouses in their second official language. At the time of tenure, professors are expected to be able to function in a bilingual setting. In certain cases, professors must have the ability to teach in both official languages to be granted tenure.