Predoctoral Training in Clinical Investigation

Request for Applications

The TL1 Predoctoral Program at Washington University provides career development for medical and allied healthcare doctoral students through didactic coursework, mentored training, work-in-progress research discussions, journal clubs, and conferences.

Applications are open November 1 – February 20 for a June start date.

The Clinical Research Training Center (CRTC) offers three TL1 Predoctoral Programs:

Summer Predoctoral Program
Two-month research core, beginning June 1 and ending July 31

One-Year (Intensive) Predoctoral Program - May enroll in additional coursework to complete MSCI degree
Twelve-month research core, beginning June 1 and continuing through May 31 the following year

Two-Year (Standard) Predoctoral Program - May enroll in additional coursework to complete MSCI degree
1 - 2 year (9 month minimum) appointment concurrent with the student’s doctoral degree program.

Skills Trainees Will Learn

- Design and conduct clinical research
- Analyze data
- Consider relevant ethical and legal issues
- Write manuscripts and grants
- Develop and present scientific posters
- Compete for research funding

Program Benefits

- Monthly Stipend
- Tuition funding for required courses
- Limited Funding for Research Supplies (Intensive and Standard Trainees)
- Travel to National Meetings (Intensive and Standard Trainees)
- Health Insurance (Intensive and Standard Trainees)

Program Leadership

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Visit the CRTC application site to apply.

For additional information on the program, visit the TL1 Predoctoral Clinical Research Program website, or email crtcpredoc@email.wustl.edu.