



## Medicine – Division of Gastroenterology UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

### **Name: University of Toronto GI Division Fellowship Award – Top-Up**

**Statement of Purpose:** To provide top-up money of \$10,000 from the University of Toronto GI Division to contribute toward a fellowship either 1) for salary, to reach \$50,000/year salary support or 2) for tuitions

### **The conditions for the fellowship are the following:**

#### **A. The fellow:**

- a. has completed a post-graduate GI training at the University of Toronto and,
- b. is enrolled in a post-graduate program within the School of Graduate Studies at the University of Toronto (Master's program or Ph.D.) or,
- c. is enrolled in a University of Toronto fellowship program

**B. Target applicant:** Excellent candidate.

**C. Financial conditions:** This award is offered providing that

- a. another source of funding is secured to provide a total salary of \$50,000 when the award is used for salary and
- b. There is proof of enrolment in a fellowship or post-graduate program

**D. Nature of Project:** Registered for a Master's degree or Doctoral degree program or for a recognized fellowship program with at least 25% research which include plans for a manuscript submission to peer-reviewed journal at the end of the fellowship year.

**Value & tenure of award from the University GI Division:** \$10,000 for 1 year

**Possible 1 year renewal if enrolled in a post-graduate program or a second year fellowship.**

#### **Application Process:**

1. Letter of Intent (maximum of 2 pages) from the Candidate outlining the plan of the fellowship and anticipated career development over the next 3 years
2. Curriculum vitae of Candidate
3. Letter of Support from U of T Faculty Supervisor for the proposed program outlining the fellowship plan and objectives for the candidate as well as the financial commitment for part or total salary support
4. Proof of enrolment if enrolled in a post-graduate program

**Review:** Awards Committee. To be approved by GI Executive Committee

**Deadline:** Submit all documents to Dr. C A Ottaway before November 1<sup>st</sup>

**Announcement:** December and presentation of the award at the December Gut Club

**Distribution:** January for the academic year.

**Number of awards:** 1 per year