Izaak Walton Killam Memorial Postdoctoral Research Fellowship

Application Form

(to be completed by applicants)

The application form is designed to be completed on your computer using the “TAB” key to navigate through the document, with only the signature being hand-written.

**Part A – Applicant’s Information**

**Please enter your full legal names in the fields below.** Names entered must correspond with the names on your passport. For Canadian citizens and permanent residents, the names must correspond to your Canadian Social Insurance Number (SIN) card. If you prefer to use a nickname for correspondence purposes, indicate the nickname in parentheses beside your legal name(s).

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| **Last Name** (family name) |  |
| **Given Name(s)** |  |
| **Email Address** |       |
| **Telephone Number(s)**with country and area codes | Primary:       | Alternate:       |
| **Date of Birth**(e.g., September 1, 1980) |       |
| **Citizenship** | [ ]  Canadian Citizen[ ]  Permanent Resident of Canada (Landed Immigrant)[ ]  National of (country of citizenship):        |

**Current Address** (from now until March 1, 2014):

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| **STREET ADDRESS** |       | **UNIT / APARTMENT** |       |
| **CITY** |       | **PROVINCE / STATE** |       |
| **COUNTRY**  |       | **POSTAL CODE** |       |
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**Permanent Address** (if different from current address):

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| **Part A – Applicant’s Full Name** |  |  |
|  | Given Name(s) | Last Name |

**Part B – Proposed Research Project**

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| **ACADEMIC DISCIPLINE** |       |
| **TITLE OF RESEARCH PROJECT** |       |
| **summary of research proJECT** (in clear, plain language; maximum of 2000 characters) |       |
| **PROPOSED UBC DEPARTMENT OR UNIT** |       |
| **PROPOSED UBC SUPERVISOR** |       |
| **REASONS FOR WANTING TO COME TO UBC**(maximum of 2000 characters) |       |
| **PROPOSED START DATE** |       |

**Part C – Personal Statement** (maximum of 6000 characters)

* Describe your research experience and relevant work experience
* Describe your personal qualities through other activities such as athletic/artistic achievement, leadership activities, community engagements, volunteerism, etc.
* Describe your career aspirations
* Provide details concerning what teaching, if any, you will be doing and how it is related to your work

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**Part D – External Awards**

Please list all postdoctoral awards and fellowships previously granted, currently held, and under application, along with anticipated values and start and end dates. If you have neither been given another award nor will apply for external funding, please enter “N/A” (not applicable) in the table.

Preference will be given to applicants with no previous postdoctoral award; however, you are encouraged to apply for other awards to be held concurrently with the Killam fellowship and which are either tenable at or transferable to UBC.

If you are successful in obtaining both a Killam fellowship and other external postdoctoral awards, you are expected to accept the external funding. Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies will provide a supplement to make up the difference to the full value of the regular Killam stipend, provided that this protocol is in keeping with the regulations of the agency granting the other award. You will then be entitled to the designation Killam Fellow (Honourary) and have access to the Killam Travel and Research Allowance.

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| **Source / Funding Agency** | **Start and End Dates****of Award** | **Value and Currency****(if known)** | **Status** |
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**Part E – Applicant’s Declaration and Signature**

***Please sign below (pen on paper), and keep a copy for your records.***

I, , declare that the information contained on this form and its attachments is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge as of the date below.

I agree to inform the UBC department or unit to which I am making my application **AND** UBC Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies (killam.fellowships@ubc.ca) in writing of any change to the above information as may occur.

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| **Applicant’s Signature***(pen on paper; above the line)*      |
| **Date Signed** |

**Very important:** Please include a copy of the final checklist (next page) with your application.

**Part F – Final Checklist**

*Please include a copy of this checklist in your application package.*

**Applicant’s Full Name:**

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| **Item** | **INCLUDED** | **TO FOLLOW** |
| A completed, signed, and dated application form | [ ] [ ]  | [ ]  |
| Outline of proposed research (maximum of two pages) | [ ] [ ]  | [ ] [ ]  |
| Ancillary materials (optional, maximum of one page) | [ ] [ ]  | [ ] [ ]  |
| Special circumstances (optional, maximum of one page) | [ ] [ ]  | [ ] [ ]  |
| A curriculum vitae | [ ] [ ]  | [ ] [ ]  |
| A letter of support from proposed UBC supervisor | [ ] [ ]  | [ ] [ ]  |
| Letters of reference (provide referee’s name and institution): |  |  |
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| 2.       | [ ] [ ]  | [ ] [ ]  |
| 3.       | [ ] [ ]  | [ ] [ ]  |
| All undergraduate transcripts or degree confirmations, with translations as necessary, in envelopes sealed by issuing institutions |  |  |
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| *If a PhD transcript is unavailable:*A PhD degree confirmation of conferral OR a confirmation of enrollment and progress, with the anticipated date of completion | [ ] [ ]  | [ ] [ ]  |
| A copy of this final checklist | [ ] [ ]  | [ ]  |
| Notes:      [ ] [ ]  |