

Cancer Immunotherapy Journalism and Mentoring Fellowship Application Form

Application Deadline: 9:00 p.m. EST, on Friday, May 5, 2017

The application package must be delivered by email to jtsang@biocanrx.com and must be received by the deadline.

Please direct questions about the program and application process to Jovian Tsang (Manager of HQP Training Programs, BioCanRx): jtsang@biocanrx.com, (613) 737-8149.

By submitting this application, the applicant agrees and understands that he or she cannot report on unpublished material presented at the conference without explicit consent of the most senior researcher involved in the work.

A. Applicant Information

General Information		
Title:	Surname:	Given Names:
Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Another gender identity:		
Citizenship: <input type="checkbox"/> Canadian (including Permanent Resident) <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign		
Phone number:	Email address:	
Journalism Student Applicant		
Post-secondary institution name:	Name of journalism program:	Year in program (ie. 1st yr, 2nd yr, etc.):
		Year of graduation:
Senior Journalist Applicant		
Employer:	Current position:	

Please note: Student applicants must be enrolled in a Master's of Journalism program during the 2015-2016 or 2016-2017 academic years, OR as a fourth year undergraduate journalism student in 2016-2017.

B. Please provide answers to the following questions

1. Please outline why you consider this a valuable opportunity and why you deserve to be the successful candidate, given your experience and interests. (200-word maximum)
2. Given that the senior journalist and student will work as a team, please outline the strengths you bring to that team. (200-word maximum)
3. Please propose a series of stories that vary in format (e.g., daily news, feature format, blog, in-depth, event reporting) and subject matter (e.g., patient impact, scientific advances, clinical trials, biotechnology product development).

Understanding that you don't know the strengths of the others in the team, please provide a sense of the different formats (print, video, audio, graphics, etc.) you would ideally like to use to tell the stories. This proposal should make good use of attendance at the Summit for Cancer Immunotherapy and represent a reasonable workload for the team. The proposal should also speak to (directly or indirectly) the *Program deliverables* and *Learning objectives* outlined in the Call for Applications. It is also understood the conference agenda is still in the process of being finalized. (No word limit.)

Series title:

Series description:

C. Supporting documents to accompany this application

Senior Journalist:

- Curriculum vitae
- Letter from employer that supports your application, including:
 - acknowledgement that the journalist and employer will be responsible for determining a work arrangement that ensures the journalist can fulfil the requirements of this program.
 - a commitment to publish/broadcast/post stories of suitable editorial quality that result from this program

Student:

- Curriculum vitae
- Letter of recommendation from a faculty member at your journalism program.

Please note: This application has used the term “news organization” and “employer” to identify the organization with which the senior journalist is affiliated and which would publish, post or broadcast the team’s work. However, it is understood that the landscape for delivering journalistic content to the public is varied and senior journalists working in alternative structures may apply, as long as the goals of the program can be fulfilled.