The primary objective of this 1-2 year fellowship is to provide training and research opportunities in technological advances in radiation therapy. Several streams are available for successful candidates including applications of IMRT, high dose rate brachytherapy, VMAT and stereotactic radiation therapy.

Potential fellowships of interest include:

1. Breast Cancer Radiation Therapy and Health Services Research/Health Technology Evaluation/Clinical Trial Methods
2. Prostate/Kidney/Bladder (GU), and/or Lung Cancer with emphasis on Translational Research/Clinical Trial Methods
3. Central Nervous System Malignancies with a focus on Stereotactic Radiosurgery/Health Economics Research
4. Esophageal/Lung (HDR Brachytherapy), Head & Neck, or Gynecological (MR-Guided Brachytherapy) rotating fellowships

The Juravinski Cancer Centre serves the region of Central West Ontario and sees approximately 5,000 new cancer patients per year. The Centre is a leading accruer to radiation oncology clinical trials in all phases of development and works with a number of cooperative groups. McMaster University is world renowned for its program in Clinical Epidemiology and Biostatistics and provides a 1 or 2 year program with basic training in health research. The two-year Clinical Research Fellowship provides fellows an opportunity to obtain a Master’s of Science Degree in Health Research Methodology (HRM). Deadline date for admissions into the HRM Program is January 15. For more information please click on the following website http://fhs.mcmaster.ca/hrm/about.html

All qualified applicants are encouraged to apply; however, Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be considered first for this position. To comply with the Government of Canada’s reporting requirements, the University is obliged to gather information about applicants’ status as either Permanent Residents of Canada or Canadian citizens. Applicants need not identify their country of origin or current citizenship; however, all applications must include one of the following statements: Yes, I am a citizen or permanent resident of Canada - or - No, I am not a citizen or permanent resident of Canada.

Preference will be given to candidates who have completed their residency training in Radiation Oncology and have successfully passed their Specialty examination in Radiation Oncology. Qualified candidates will be contacted for an interview by the end of August, 2017.

Positions are available July 1, 2018 and will be funded at a PGY-6 level.

Application Requirements:

1. CPSO License to practice in the Province of Ontario
2. Curriculum vitae - include information on teaching and research positions, list of publications, certificates, awards, scholarships, memberships, etc
3. Three appropriate professional letters of reference, one from the Residency Program Director
4. Covering letter outlining personal learning goals and preliminary thoughts for development of a research/clinical project
5. Medical School transcripts

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