

Call for Application for Sponsorship to attend McGill Summer Course

With aim of capacity building in research in Infectious Diseases at Manipal University and faculty exchange, MAC ID sponsors deserving faculty to attend McGill Summer Courses.

McGill University and McGill University Health Centre offers several short courses on infectious diseases from June 12-23, 2017, wherein 6 courses are offered over two weeks.

Week 1: June 12-16

- TB Research Methods
- Global Health Diagnostics
- Bioinformatics for Neglected Parasitic Diseases

Week 2: June 19-23

- Advanced TB Diagnostics
- Introduction to Genomic Epidemiology of Infectious Diseases
- Qualitative Methods of Global Infectious Diseases

They are conducted by internationally renowned faculty and encompass excellent lectures and panel discussions, offer numerous chances to network, collaborate, and provide opportunities to meet policy makers from disease-endemic countries

This year 2 - 3 candidates will be sponsored by MAC ID for the McGill Summer course (depending on the availability of MAC ID funds)

MAC ID will cover travel, registration and accommodation expenditure incurred for the same

Eligibility criteria:

- It is open to all MAC ID members
- On return, the awardees are expected to submit their report to MAC ID within 15 days of return.
- The Faculty who attend McGill Summer Course are required to develop and submit a Seed grant proposal to MAC ID during the next Seed Grant Award Competition

Timelines:

Last date to receive applications: 17th December 2016

Announcement of results: 15th January 2017

How to apply for sponsorship:

Interested MAC ID members must apply for the sponsorship by MAC ID in the required format of application along with the CV to macid.mu@manipal.edu

6 Hard copies must be sent to:

Manipal McGill Center for Infectious Diseases

Room Number: 5, Faculty Rooms, KMC

Near KMC Administrative office

Madhav Nagar

Manipal University, Manipal-576104

Extension number: 33505

Sponsorship/ Reimbursement:

The expenditure will be reimbursed by McGill funds.

Once selected McGill will directly pay for awardees' course registration fees, flight and hotel accommodations. McGill staff will be in touch with the awardees after their selection to arrange their travel.

The awardees will need to make arrangements to pay for food and transportation while they are in McGill.

Selection Process:

The applications will be reviewed by the MAC ID Core Committee of MU and the Faculty will be selected by them. It will be scored on:

Criteria	Score
Why they want to attend summer course	10
Value they can bring to MU	20
Has the person worked/have publications in the topic which he/she has chosen for summer course?	20
Total	50

Shortlisted candidates will be called for an interview