



## George Mines Travelling Fellowship

**The CHRS is pleased to announce that the call for applications for the 2021 George Mines Traveling Fellowship is now open!**

The George Mines Travelling Fellowship provides recognition and funding to outstanding Canadian arrhythmia specialists early in their careers, and provides a reliable supply of future Canadian leaders in this field. The Fellowship will support training abroad for Canadian Arrhythmia Fellows, with the intent of acquiring advanced academic arrhythmia clinical, research and/or educational skills. A total of \$60,000 CAD will be awarded for each Fellowship.

Please visit [our website](#) to review the application guidelines, access the application form and see a list of past recipients.

**Application Deadline: March 1, 2021**

## Career Opportunity Academic Cardiac Electrophysiologist

**Academic Cardiac Electrophysiologist  
University of Ottawa Heart Institute  
Ottawa, ON, Canada**

The Division of Cardiology, University of Ottawa Heart Institute seeks applications for an academic electrophysiologist.

The University of Ottawa Heart Institute is a large tertiary centre providing cardiovascular care to Eastern Ontario and Western Quebec. The successful applicant would join a group of ten cardiac electrophysiologists comprising the arrhythmia service at UOHI. The Cardiac Electrophysiology and Arrhythmia Services Program at the University of Ottawa Heart Institute performs approximately 800 ablations, 800 pacemaker implants and 500 ICD implants per year. The facilities include four state-of-the-art electrophysiology laboratories capable and access to a hybrid operating room for device extraction procedures.

Candidates must hold the FRCPC in Internal Medicine with subsequent certification in Cardiology or equivalent specialty certification. Candidates must have training in the management of inherited arrhythmias +/- the ablation of complex arrhythmias. Candidates should preferably have a strong research interest along with formal research training, and a significant publication record.

Practice profile will be negotiated based on expected academic and clinical deliverables. Academic appointment ranking will be based on qualifications and experience.

Interested applicants should forward their Curriculum Vitae and three reference letters to:

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SEPTEMBER 10-11, 2021

## Comprehensive Guidelines for the Management of Atrial Fibrillation Launched

On December 12, 2020 the [2020 Canadian Cardiovascular Society/Canadian Heart Rhythm Society Comprehensive Guidelines for the Management of Atrial Fibrillation \(AF\)](#) were published. This iteration of the AF Guidelines represents a comprehensive renewal that integrates updates and replaces the past decade of Guidelines, recommendations, and practical tips. It is intended to be used by practicing clinicians across all disciplines who care for patients with AF.

The 2020 AF Guideline includes classification and definitions, epidemiology, pathophysiology, clinical evaluation, screening and opportunistic detection, detection and

management of modifiable risk factors, integrated approach to management, stroke prevention, arrhythmia management, sex differences, and AF in special populations.

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