

Translational Science Interagency Fellowship

What

The Translational Science Interagency Fellowship (TSIF) program is jointly sponsored by NCATS and the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and aims to provide training in both translational science and regulatory science. Fellows will be trained in preclinical translational science, technology development, and regulatory science and review. By combining training in translational science and research-related regulatory review, this program will enable fellows to build awareness of regulatory requirements into the early stages of medical product development, making both the development and review processes more efficient. Fellows in this program will develop skills of value to future careers in academia, the pharmaceutical industry and government.

Who

Applicants must meet the following requirements:

- Have a Ph.D., M.D., or other doctoral degree in a related discipline by their appointment date
- Have completed no more than two years of prior postdoctoral training
- Be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident and have resided in the United States for three of the past five years
- Be able to pass a federal background check
- Be compliant with all FDA Ethics requirements for Nonemployee Scientists

When

The anticipated start date is Sept. 9, 2024. This is a 3-year postdoctoral research program.

Where Fellows will spend roughly half their time at FDA and the other half at NCATS, based on the needs of the project, the fellow and their research groups.

How

Applications are due by 11:59 p.m. EST, Jan. 31, 2024, for an anticipated start date of Sept. 9, 2024.

Please submit the following:

- Curriculum vitae
- Personal statement of research and professional development goals and how these relate to the TSIF program and selected projects
- Three letters of reference
- Academic transcript for terminal degree
- FDA Form 4083 (disclosure of financial) investments and other potential conflicts of interest as an FDA Nonemployee Scientist)

For full application guidelines, please visit our website after the application cycle goes live on Nov. 13, 2023.

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