



University of Alberta

INTERVENTIONAL RADIOLOGY

GENERAL INFORMATION

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| Location | University of Alberta Hospital, Royal Alexandra Hospital, and Grey Nuns Community Hospital Edmonton, Alberta, Canada |
| Duration | 1 year |
| Deadline for Applications | End of PGY3 / Early PGY 4 |
| Number of Fellowship Positions | 2 total |
| Fellowship Website | http://www.radiology.med.ualberta.ca/Education/Fellowship/Pages/Interventional-Radiology.aspx |
| Contact Information | <p>Fellowship Director: Dr. Rahim Samji</p> <p>Fellowship Coordinator/Administrator:</p> <p>Lynda Loiseau Tel: 780-407-2787 loiseau@ualberta.ca</p> |

WORKFLOW

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| General structure | Fellows will be at a specific site for a week at a time where they will be involved in all types of general interventional radiology procedures. |
| Are there times when fellows overlap and share work? | Fellows do not overlap. |
| How many rounds are you expected to attend? Contribute to? | <p>Attend: Weekly Clinical Rounds, bi-weekly interventional rounds, departmental rounds; and specialized journal clubs. The fellow will attend the angio-interventional rounds when they occur (monthly).</p> <p>Contribute to: Occasional Resident Rounds. The Fellow will make at least one presentation at the Department of Radiology, Grand Rounds.</p> |

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| Other than rounds, are there teaching responsibilities? | <p>Yes, fellows will give occasional lectures to technical staff at clinical meetings and lectures/in-service teaching.</p> <p>Fellows will be invited to present two or three lectures to a variety of students, residents and departments within the Faculty of Medicine.</p> <p>Twice monthly, the mentor (or supervisor) will have a teaching or case review session with the fellow</p> |
| How procedure focused is the fellowship? | <p>Heavy focus</p> |
| Which procedures are you responsible for? | <p>The clinical rotation is primarily in angiography and fluoroscopically guided interventional procedures commencing with initial referral, diagnostic evaluation, procedural work and post procedure care. Fellows are expected to be involved in the interventional clinic, assessment of hospital inpatients and patient evaluation and discharge. Options are available for US and CT guided procedures.</p> <p>The Fellow is expected to provide clinical supervision of patients, learn pre and post-procedural care, and provide on-going support and consultation to clinical services.</p> |
| Additional Comments about Workflow: | <p>This Fellowship program has been designed to allow the fellow to acquire an extensive knowledge of Vascular and Interventional Radiology involving several modalities and to develop procedural skills to a proficient level. By the end of the year, the fellow will have demonstrated proficiency and will be practicing independently. This will be achieved through a combination of clinical service, research and education.</p> <p>During the year the Fellow is expected to have had significant experience of peripheral Vascular/Renal CTA/MRA studies.</p> <p>At the end of one year, the fellows will have examined and reported 200 vascular ultrasound studies and carried out 100 Ultrasound guided interventional procedures.</p> |
| RESEARCH | |
| What are the Research Expectations? | <p>The fellow will be involved in both the clinical and basic science research programs of the department. Dedicated time, case material, library, office space, literature and secretarial support will be made available.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Number of projects: 1 clinical project and 1 basic science project; ongoing departmental research • Number of conference presentations: 2 scientific presentations • Number of manuscript submissions: 2 publications |
| How much protected time is given for research (per week)? | <p>N/A</p> |
| CALL | |
| General | <p>Call frequency weekends/weeknights: Eight weekends total. The equivalent of eight weeks of weeknights</p> |

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| Responsibilities on Call: | Modalities covered: The fellow will be first call for Interventional Radiology across the city Average number of studies completed per call shift: Generally high volume |
| Is there a call stipend? | No |
| Additional comments about call | N/A |
| HOLIDAYS AND PAY | |
| Number of paid holiday's (in weeks): | 23 days |
| Sick and Caregiver time (in days): | N/A |
| Extra time off (in days): | 5 days of conference leave |
| Income before tax (CAD): | \$91,536 |
| Opportunities for additional income (directly related to the fellowship): | No |
| Additional Comments about Holidays and Pay: | You are also eligible for reimbursement of the following expenses: Conference registration and travel expenses - Up to \$2000 University of Alberta Assessment and Registration fee - approximately \$1000 College of Physicians and Surgeons of Alberta, educational registration fee - \$400 Canadian Medical Protective Association - approximately \$1000 Supplementary Health and Dental Insurance Disability Insurance |