



McGill University

INTERVENTIONAL RADIOLOGY FELLOWSHIP

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location	Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal General Hospital, Montreal Children's Hospital and Jewish General Hospital Montreal, Quebec, Canada
Duration	1 or 2 years
Deadline for Applications	Mid PGY 4 Candidates accepted for July and January start dates
Number of Fellowship Positions	Canadian applicants: 1 International applicants: 5
Fellowship Website	http://www.medicine.mcgill.ca/radiology/fellowship_program.htm
Contact Information	Fellowship Director: Dr. David Valenti Fellowship Coordinator/Administrator: Cathy Torchia Tel: (514) 934-8084 cathy.torchia@muhc.mcgill.ca

WORKFLOW

General structure	Fellows will rotate at the three hospital sites for 4 weeks and the case load per fellow will generally vary between 4-12 cases per day depending on the site. There are usually one or two major cases per day, such as a UFE or TACE, and the rest would be considered as usual procedures/cases in IR. At the JGH, many procedures require ultrasound, such as biopsies and cholecystostomy tubes, while at the other sites the abdominal fellows take care of these cases.
Are there times when fellows overlap and share work?	At two of the three hospital sites there are multiple fellows. At the JGH the fellow has to read CTAs and intraoperative angios between procedures. There are opportunities to increase your experience at the Glen site by doing patient consults and CT guided procedures. According to the fellows, there is enough volume to develop a solid skill set and knowledge base for independent practice.
How many rounds are you expected to attend? Contribute to?	Attend: Weekly IR teaching rounds, occasional tumor board rounds Contribute to: Approximately once a month or once every two months

Other than rounds, are there teaching responsibilities?	Yes, fellows are expected to teach residents on their IR rotation.
How procedure focused is the fellowship?	Heavy focus Average about 30-40 cases per week.
Which procedures are you responsible for?	Non vascular and vascular interventional radiology procedures
Additional Comments about Workflow:	Caseload: 4-15 cases/day Option for Combined Research and Clinical Fellowship

RESEARCH

What are the Research Expectations?	Encouraged, but not required. All fellows are encouraged to participate in at least one research project, with the goal of publishing in a major peer-reviewed journal.
How much protected time is given for research (per week)?	N/A

CALL

General	Call is Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Sat and Sunday one week and Tuesday, Thursday the next. The fellow will do this 1 week out of 6. 5:00pm-8:00am weekdays/weekends Home call
Responsibilities on Call:	Modalities covered: Emergent/urgent procedures requiring fluoro (not including ultrasound guided drainage) Average number of studies completed per call shift: Highly variable, usually one procedure per two days of call
Is there a call stipend?	No
Additional comments about call	N/A

HOLIDAYS AND PAY

Number of paid holiday's (in weeks):	20 vacation days and 10 personal days (6 weeks)
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Sick and Caregiver time (in days):	9.6 (3 days can be taken as personal days)
Extra time off (in days):	Conferences: 10 days Study days: 7 days
Income before tax (CAD):	\$75,000 starting July 2016
Opportunities for additional income (directly related to the fellowship):	Yes- reporting coronary angios (you are paid about \$12-18 per study)
Additional Comments about Holidays and Pay:	Fellows are personally responsible for paying the Canadian component of the McGill tuition fees.