



University of Ottawa

CARDIAC RADIOLOGY

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location	The Ottawa Hospital Ottawa, Ontario, Canada
Duration	1 year
Deadline for Applications	Early PGY 4 (Usually the end of September)
Number of Fellowship Positions	2 total (Canadian and international medical graduates)
Fellowship Website	http://www.med.uottawa.ca/radiology/Cardiac_Radiology/eng/fellowships.html
Contact Information	<p>Fellowship Director: Dr. Carole Dennie cdennie@toh.on.ca</p> <p>Fellowship Coordinator/Administrator: Avril D'Silva Tel: 613-737-8899 ext. 73249 adsilva@toh.on.ca</p>

WORKFLOW

General structure	<p>Vast majority of time is spent at the Heart Institute imaging area, covering either Cardiac CT or Cardiac MR on alternating days. Occasional chest CT coverage at the Civic.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monday: Heart Institute - Cardiac CT Tuesday: Heart Institute - Cardiac MR Wednesday: Heart Institute - Cardiac CT Thursday: Civic - chest CT Friday: Academic day
Are there times when fellows overlap and share work?	Although cardiac radiology fellows don't share work with each other, they often have to share cases with Cardiology fellows who are also training in imaging. Usually cases are split amongst the fellows each morning, and then if there are not many cases they can be double-read for added experience.

How many rounds are you expected to attend? Contribute to?	Attend: Congenital cardiac rounds. Contribute to: Occasional cardiac surgery rounds.
Other than rounds, are there teaching responsibilities?	Teaching radiology residents rotating through Cardiac Imaging - no formal teaching assigned, but a lot of teaching often happens while going over cases.
How procedure focused is the fellowship?	Little/no focus
Which procedures are you responsible for?	Observation of at least 50 coronary angiograms - with CT angiogram correlation; observation of at least 100 echocardiograms
Additional Comments about Workflow:	N/A
RESEARCH	
What are the Research Expectations?	At least one project which results in presentation at a national conference and is ultimately published.
How much protected time is given for research (per week)?	One day per week.
CALL	
General	Frequency: 1-2 weekdays per month; staying after work until around 10:00/11:00pm. Up to 1 weekend a month - coming in at 8am, staying until about 3:00-4:00 pm (no set time). In-hospital call for the time it takes to report the necessary studies.
Responsibilities on Call:	General comments: Weekend plain film reporting - reporting mainly emergency and inpatient plain films (chest, abdominal, MSK). Modalities covered: X-ray. Average number of studies completed per call shift: Quite variable - on a weekend day, probably around 60 in a day.
Is there a call stipend?	No
Additional comments about call	N/A

HOLIDAYS AND PAY

Number of paid holiday's (in weeks):	4 weeks of vacation, plus additional 5 days over Christmas or New Year's.
Sick and Caregiver time (in days):	N/A
Extra time off (in days):	Up to 7 days off for academic conference trips.
Income before tax (CAD):	N/A
Opportunities for additional income (directly related to the fellowship):	N/A
Additional Comments about Holidays and Pay:	Up to \$1500 in funding is available for academic conference poster/oral presentations (travel expenses, etc.)