

In March 2004, the Fonds de recherche du Québec - Nature et technologies (FRQNT) was mandated by the ministère de l'Éducation, de l'Enseignement supérieur et de la Recherche (MEESR) du Québec to manage the Merit scholarship program for foreign students.

IDENTIFICATION OF CANDIDATE

_____	_____	_____
Family name	Given name(s)	Application no.
Date of birth : _____	Sex : M <input type="radio"/> F <input type="radio"/>	_____
year / month / day		PIN

ADDRESS

Mailing address (in Québec if available)		Permanent address (in country of origin)	
Civic number/ Street	_____	Civic number/ Street	_____
City	_____	City	_____
Province/State	_____	Province/State	_____
Country	_____	Country	_____
Postal code	_____	Postal code	_____
Phone	_____	Phone	_____
Office _____	Extension _____		
E-mail _____		E-mail _____	

DESCRIPTION OF HOST ENVIRONMENT

_____	_____
Family name of supervisor	Given name of supervisor
_____	_____
Place (university or Centre collégial de transfert de technologie)	Title or function
Length of research (minimum one month; maximum four month) _____	Date when research begins _____
	year / month

CHOOSING AN OPTION

Option A - technical or university student
 Option B - researchers with a doctorate
 (No more than five years before the deadline)

SECTOR, FIELD, RESEARCH SUBJECT AND APPLICATION (GENERAL TO SPECIFIC)

A) Identify, by priority (1, 2, 3 or 4), the main research sectors that apply to your application.

_____	Natural science and engineering	_____	Arts and letters
_____	Social science and humanities	_____	Health science

B) To which field of research does your application belong?

C) Identify, by order of importance, the research subjects that apply to your application (maximum two choices).

1. _____

2. _____

D) To which field(s) of application do the research activities in your application apply (maximum two choices)?

1. _____

2. _____

E) Use six key words, from general to specific, that best describe the research activities that apply to your application.

UNIVERSITY FILE**University studies**

Indicate completed, uncompleted, and current university studies, if any. Saved information is automatically sorted by reverse chronological order.

Title of degree	Discipline	Institution	Date of enrolment in the program year / month	Projected or real date the degree was/will be obtained year / month	Grade point average

JUSTIFICATION OF APPLICATION AND INTEREST IN RESEARCH

Explain why you want to do research in this field and justify why you chose your internship supervisor. Also explain why you want to do research in Québec (maximum one page).

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EXPERIENCE AND ACHIEVEMENTS (maximum two pages)

- A) **EXPERIENCE** : (e.g.: research assistant, teaching assistant, lecturer, etc.)
- B) **SCIENTIFIC ACHIEVEMENTS**: list your main publications and other contributions to research based on the below categories. Specify whether you are the first author or a co-author:
- **Articles published in journals with an editorial team (RAC)**
Original edited articles
 - **Published books (LIV)**
As author or editor
 - **Contributions to a collective work (chapters in a book) (COC)**
Chapters written as a guest contributor
 - **Articles accepted for journals with an editorial team (ART)**
Enclose letters of acceptance.
 - **Proceedings (CAC)**
Collective works from conferences or symposia – Peer-reviewed or unreviewed chapters (e.g.: Proceedings of the New York Academy of Sciences)
 - **Conferences with review (COF)**
Communications evaluated by a peer committee. Use an asterisk to indicate the author who gave the presentation.
 - **Patents (BRE)**
Filed or accepted patents – Indicate the numbers and the country where the patent is valid.
 - **Individual creative or performance activities (CRE) or group creative or performance activities (GRO)/ individual or collective literary or artistic works**
Examples: novel, short story, poetry, film, video, visual art, booklet, record, sound design, artist book, collection, exhibition catalogue, etc.
 - **Other achievements (AUT) (articles submitted, research reports, technology transfer, scientific outreach, etc.)**
Attach acknowledgements of receipt for submitted articles.
- C) **CAREER TRAJECTORY**: Show the relevance of your experience and scientific achievements for the proposed postdoctoral fellowship research project.
- D) **SCHOLARSHIPS AND PRIZES OBTAINED**
- E) **OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION**: Include any information relevant to evaluation of the application, and, where applicable, give details as to the circumstances that delayed your training or education (work, part-time studies, sick leave, parental leave, etc).

EXPERIENCE AND ACHIEVEMENTS

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EXPERIENCE AND ACHIEVEMENTS (continued and end)

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DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF INTERNSHIP PROJECT (maximum two pages)

- A) Describe how the internship or professional development project will proceed in general. (In cases where the internship will be carried out in phases, specify these phases.)
- B) Describe the goals of the internship or professional development project and their relevance within the study program.
- C) Describe the nature and role of scientific supervision during the internship.
- D) Describe the timeline for the main phases of the internship or professional development project.
- E) Describe what you have done since you obtained your last degree.

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DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF INTERNSHIP PROJECT (continued and end)

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DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF INTERNSHIP PROJECT

F) Bibliography

Indicate three to five relevant publications (maximum half a page).

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G) Contribution to the advancement of knowledge

Describe the contribution of your internship to the advancement of knowledge.

(maximum half a page).

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INFORMATION ON REFEREES

Specify the names, address, telephone numbers and e-mail of your two referees.

Identification

Surname, Given name :

 Mrs Mr.

Address :

Contact information

Office phone no.

E-mail :

City :

Province/State :

Country :

Postal code :

Identification

Surname, Given name :

Address :

 Mrs M

Contact information

Office phone no.

E-mail :

City :

Province/State :

Country :

Postal code :

We suggest that your thesis director be one of the referees. If not, explain :

CURRENT OCCUPATION

What is your current occupation?

student other

If you are a student, indicate :

- the name of the university :

- the study program :

If you answered "other", specify :

If you have a job, specified :

- the name of your employer :

- the city :

- the country :
