

# Mitacs Checklist

**PROFESSORS** 

Talent.
Partnerships.
Innovation.





## Are you developing large-scale research, education, and training collaborations like Mitacs funding?

Mitacs can fund your entire research program (up to 5 years+) through a tailored funding model approach with eligible cash-match partners that can support all your students on single (or multiple) applications, where applicable. An application can have multi-students (named and unnamed spots), multi-professor, multi-academic institution and/or multi-partners.

Sample Accelerate budget to show multi-partner, multi-student, multi-start/end dates, named/unnamed students and all degree levels, including alumni (up to 2 years post degree):

| Breakdown of Sample Internships |              |            |               |       | Year  |       |       |       |           |
|---------------------------------|--------------|------------|---------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----------|
| Academic                        | Partner      | Internship | Intern Degree | 1     | 2     | 3     | 4     | 5     |           |
| Institution                     | Organization | Туре       |               |       |       |       |       |       |           |
| UofA                            | Partner 1    | 15k Award  | Post Doc      | \$60K | \$60K | \$60K |       |       | \$180K    |
| UofA                            | Partner 1    | 15k Award  | PhD           |       | \$45K | \$45K | \$30  |       | \$120K    |
| UofA                            | Partner 2    | 15k Award  | Master's      | \$40K | \$40K |       |       |       | \$80K     |
| NAIT                            | Partner 2    | 15k Award  | College       |       | \$30K | \$30K |       |       | \$60K     |
| UofA                            | Partner 3    | 10k Award  | Professional  |       |       | \$20K |       |       | \$20K     |
|                                 |              |            | Degree        |       |       |       |       |       |           |
| UofA                            | Partner 3    | 15k Award  | Undergrad     | \$20K | \$20K |       | \$20K |       | \$60K     |
|                                 |              |            |               |       |       |       |       | Total | \$520,000 |

## Are you offering your contributing partners a full range of funding options?



#### **ACCELERATE EXPLORE**

Students dive into partner data to assess potential to scale up collaboration

#### **ACCELERATE & ELEVATE**

Ensure students are fully **funded** throughout a degree, with outputs tied to thesis/program requirements

### **BUSINESS STRATEGY INTERNSHIPS**

Add students when partners want support in knowledge translation/ innovation projects/prototyping

### Are you missing out on additional leverage?

Mitacs collaborates with NSERC, SSHRC and CIHR, among many other major provincial and federal funding agencies, with joint applications to either provide fast track review options and/or enhanced leveraging with existing cash-match partners.



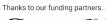








+ collaborative agreements with additional partners

























Example of how you can boost your research funding with a joint application today:

# Boost NSERC Alliance (Option 1) existing partner cash matches by an additional 30%-50% with a joint Mitacs submission



### Think bigger with Mitacs

Leverage up to 3:1 for small to large scale initiatives with existing partner and NSERC Alliance Option 1 cash contributions

| Example of Joint Collaborations                                 | Are you accessing these opportunities?   |  |  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| SSHRC award recipients and<br>Mitacs                            | Secure SSHRC PEG, PDG, PDG1, and PDG2, or Insight grants, and fast track the reviews for Mitacs funds to match partner cash contributions                                  |  |  |  |  |
| NSERC Alliance Option 1/ Mitacs<br>Accelerate joint application | Match all partner contributions with Mitacs to increase the size and scope of your NSERC Alliance Option 1's and secure up to 3:1 leverage.  Must be for a new application |  |  |  |  |
| NSERC Create award recipients                                   | NSERC Create grant recipients get fast track reviews on associated   |  |  |  |  |
| and Mitacs  | Accelerate awards  |  |  |  |  |
| Genome Canada   | Additional leverage through GAPP and LSARP   |  |  |  |  |
| Additional options available                                    | Mitacs has additional collaboration agreements with partner  |  |  |  |  |
|   | organizations to support researchers   |  |  |  |  |

## Do you want to boost your international reach?



Do you have international partners who want to co-fund your research and engage with graduate students?

Leverage our Accelerate International Program (similar funding model as Accelerate)

Key link: Accelerate International



Do you want to recruit international students or send your students to academic institutions around the world?

Globalink offers travel funding between Canada and several international partners
Key links: Globalink Programs

## Are you or your students entrepreneurs?



Mitacs can **co-fund student and postdoctoral entrepreneurs** (including within Faculty-owned companies) to **further develop the research or technology** at the core of their start-up business

Leverage our Mitacs Accelerate Entrepreneur (similar funding model as Accelerate)

Key links: <u>Accelerate Entrepreneur</u>

### Are you collaborating with Indigenous communities or students?



























Mitacs supports research, training, and education collaborations with Indigenous communities, businesses, and students

Leverage our Indigenous Pathways funding (enhanced 3:1 leveraging) Key links: <u>Indigenous Pathways</u>

### Are you talking to your Mitacs rep?

The Mitacs business development team is ready to help you maximize leveraging from partners as well as guide you through the Mitacs submission processes. This is what we can do for you:

- Learn about your research to promote to interested funding partners
- Advise on how to best leverage Mitacs programs and funding models for all disciplines
- Recommend joint application options with major funders, including NSERC, SSHRC, and CIHR, to help you further leverage partner commitments, where applicable
- Educate partners on the benefit of collaborating with academic research experts and ultimately increase researcher funding support through multi-government programs
- Guide you through the application process and review your draft applications, if needed

Meet with a Business Development Team Representative to discuss how Mitacs can support your research, training, and education initiatives.



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