

School for Primary Care Research capacity and development

Awards

The School awards aim to complement and not duplicate the opportunities offered by NIHR Trainees Coordinating Centre <http://www.nihr.ac.uk/funding/training-programmes.htm>

Post	Number of posts in SPCR budget	Post length (start date)	Date Advertised	Closing Date	SPCR Funding (total)	Funding includes:
ST3 It is hoped that each SPCR partner will have at least 1 ST3 trainee during the current contract (2015-20)	2017 - 5 2018 - 4	2 years @ 50% WTE (August)	Depends on HEE but in 2015 for 2016 appointments was early autumn	As per HEE deadline	2017 start - £109,760 2018 start - £112,529	University salary and associated overheads Research costs Masters fees (or Masters level training costs)
PhD fellowships (studentships)	2017 - 9 2018 - 9	3 years (October)	November and January	January and March	2017 start - £66,916 2018 start - £44,698 (College fees and London weighting paid where appropriate)	£16,000pa stipend Tuition fees £2,000pa research costs
GPCP fellowships	<i>12 months</i> 2017 – 1 2018 – 1 2019 – 1 <i>24 months</i> 2017 – 1 2018 - 2	Between 12-24 months @ 50%WTE (August)	January	March	<i>12 mths:</i> 2017 £56,868 2018 £58,291 2019 £59,754 <i>24 mths:</i> 2017 £118,134 2018 £121,110	University salary and associated overheads Research costs
Launching Fellowships	<i>24 months</i> 2017 – 3 2018 - 3	2 years (October)	January	March	2017 - £135,000 2018 - £135,000	Salary (to be decided locally) plus balance for research costs

Training and development opportunities

	Date Advertised	Application Deadline	Period (start date)	Open to:	Selection	Details	Funding from SPCR
NIHR Research Training Camp	January /February	March	3 full days in July	By invitation only. SPCR allocated two places per camp.	<p>Doctoral students in SPCR member departments are asked to submit a short document stating why they would like to attend, what they will gain from attending and what they can contribute.</p> <p>SPCR Training Lead and Manager make selection.</p>	http://www.nihr.ac.uk/our-faculty/nihr-infrastructure-doctoral-training-camp.htm	Trainee's own award or local seed corn for travel. Course costs covered by NIHR.
NIHR Doctoral Exchange Programme	January	March	Up to 3 months but can be for longer	NIHR funded or supported doctoral and MD trainees. Up to 3 applicants from SPCR.	<p>Applications from members of SPCR member departments are submitted to NIHR TCC via the SPCR Training lead. Applications will be reviewed and scored by an expert Panel who will make recommendations to the Department of Health.</p>	http://www.nihr.ac.uk/our-faculty/infrastructure-doctoral-training-exchange-scheme.htm	NIHR award of up to £5000
TUTOR PHC Transdisciplinary Understanding and Training on Research – Primary Health Care	November	December/early January	1 year (May-April)	One competitive place for SPCR	<p>Early career researchers in SPCR member departments are asked to submit a short document stating why they would like to attend, what they will gain from attending and what they can contribute.</p> <p>SPCR Training Lead and Manager make selection.</p>	<p>http://www.uwo.ca/fammed/csfm/tutor-phc/index.html</p> <p>On-site (Canada) symposium in Spring</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 x 3wk online research skill development workshops • 2 x 7-8wk online interdisciplinary discussion groups 	Air fare and tuition fee
Oxford International Primary Care Research Leadership programme (previously known as Brisbane Initiative)	January	Mid-March	3 years	Any member of SPCR member department	A selection committee will choose the best applicants. Selection criteria include: demonstration of leadership skills; initiative; publications; and research activities. Nominating universities need to demonstrate their support of the participants throughout the programme. The SPCR will support the two highest ranked applicants per cohort.	http://www.oxfordleadershipprogramme.co.uk/	Programme fee

Mentoring	All year	All year	N/A	All researchers in SPCR member departments	Mentoring scheme developed with SAPC for non-clinical trainees TCC is manager of AMS (Academy of Medical Sciences) mentoring programme & recommends to clinical trainees.	https://www.spcr.nihr.ac.uk/trainees/mentoring_scheme https://sapc.ac.uk/article/mentorship-programme	Trainee's own award or local seed corn for travel. Mentor training course
SPCR Annual Trainee Event	Registration details required June	N/A	2 days in September	All SPCR funded trainees (including those funded by seed corn funds)	All trainees expected to attend	Trainee directed.	Trainee's own award or local seed corn for travel. Accommodation costs covered by SPCR.
TCC annual trainee meeting	Early September	October	2 days in late November/early December	All NIHR funded trainees	First come, first served	http://www.nihr.ac.uk/our-faculty/annual-trainees-meeting.htm	Trainee's own award or local seed corn for travel. Accommodation costs covered by NIHR.
Ashridge Leadership programme	Depends on cohort. Currently July 2016	16.9.16	January to April 2017	Senior trainees exclusively funded by the NIHR. All applicants must have completed a PhD and have a minimum of two years postdoctoral research experience.	The final selection will be made by an Ashridge-NIHR panel who meet to review all of the applicants.	https://sites.google.com/a/nihr.ac.uk/nihr-leadership-programme/trainees	Programme costs, including all professional fees and one night of residential Costs (for each of the three workshops and the Self-Designed Conference) at Ashridge will be met in full by NIHR. Costs associated with travel, however, will not be covered, nor costs associated with over-night accommodation when participating in Optional Masterclasses or visits to industry sites.

