
Postdoctoral Scholar in ADHD and Resilience

The **School & Applied Child Psychology** program in the **Werklund School of Education** at the University of Calgary is accepting applications for a **Postdoctoral Scholar in ADHD and Resilience**.

Supervisors:

- Dr. Emma A. Climie (eaclimie@ucalgary.ca), Registered Psychologist, Associate Professor, Director of Strengths in ADHD research lab (<https://werklund.ucalgary.ca/adhd-kids>) School & Applied Child Psychology, Werklund School of Education
- Dr. Meadow Schroeder (schroedm@ucalgary.ca), Registered Psychologist, Associate Professor, School & Applied Child Psychology, Werklund School of Education

Area: ADHD, resilience, intervention in children, youth, & emerging adults
Duration: 2 years
Start date: ~December 1, 2024 (or at agreed upon time)
Annual Stipend: \$60,000/year plus extended health care benefits

Job Description

A full-time Postdoctoral Scholar (PDS) opportunity is available at the University of Calgary, Canada, to begin on or about **December 1, 2024** under the supervision of Drs. Schroeder and Climie. This PDS will contribute to a variety of projects aimed at gaining deeper insights into individuals with attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) across childhood, youth, and emerging adulthood, with a particular emphasis on recognizing and harnessing their strengths. Potential research projects may include:

- Examination of the strengths, stigmatization, and experiences of children & youth with ADHD and their families
- Collaboration with partner organizations to carry out exploratory national research projects related to knowledge of ADHD, stigma, and knowledge translation
- Supporting the transition to higher education

The PDS will have the opportunity to collaborate on projects with researchers from various faculties across campus (e.g., psychology, medicine, community health, computer science), community organizations, and institutions across the country. In addition, **the PDS will expand research in these areas through the development of complementary research proposals and projects.**

Qualifications

Requirements include:

- PhD in a relevant social science discipline (e.g., school, counselling, clinical, developmental, or health psychology); note: Applicants must have completed their degree within the last 5 years
- Expertise in clinical research related to ADHD, mental health, children/youth, lifespan development
- A strong background in quantitative data analysis

- Knowledge of quantitative data analysis
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills
- Demonstrated productivity for peer-reviewed publications
- Interest in working collaboratively with national and local research partners, as well as supervision and mentorship of graduate and undergraduate students

Application details

Applications are welcomed from Canadian and international candidates. Preliminary inquiries by e-mail are welcome. To apply, individuals should submit:

- A curriculum vitae
- A letter of interest describing how your research experience, qualifications, research interests and career goals fit with this position
- The names of 2-3 individuals who would be willing to provide a reference upon request
- Samples of up to three related peer-reviewed publications

Applications should be submitted as a single PDF to Dr. Emma Climie (eaclimie@ucalgary.ca). **Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled.** Applicants are thanked in advance for their interest, however, only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.

Additional Information

To learn more about postdoctoral scholar opportunities at the University of Calgary and all we have to offer, view our **Postdoc website**. For more information about the Werklund School of Education visit <https://werklund.ucalgary.ca/>

About the University of Calgary

The University of Calgary is Canada's leading next-generation university – a living, growing and youthful institution that embraces change and opportunity with a can-do attitude. Located in the nation's most enterprising city, the university is making tremendous progress on its Eyes High journey to be recognized as one of Canada's top five research universities, grounded in innovative learning and teaching and fully integrated with the community it both serves and leads. The University of Calgary inspires and supports discovery, creativity and innovation across all disciplines. For more information, visit ucalgary.ca.

To succeed as one of Canada's top universities, where new ideas are created, tested and applied through first-class teaching and research, the University of Calgary needs more of the best minds in our classrooms and labs. We're increasing our scholarly capacity by investing in people who want to change the world, bringing the best and brightest to Calgary to form a global intellectual hub and achieve advances that matter to everyone.

About Calgary

Calgary is one of the world's cleanest cities and has been named one of the world's most livable cities for years. Calgary is a city of leaders – in business, community, philanthropy and volunteerism. Calgarians benefit from the strongest economy in the nation and enjoy more days of sunshine per year than any

other major Canadian city. Calgary is less than an hour's drive from the Rocky Mountains and boasts the most extensive urban pathway and bikeway network in North America.

The University of Calgary recognizes that a diverse staff/faculty benefits and enriches the work, learning and research experiences of the entire campus and greater community. We are committed to removing barriers that have been historically encountered by some people in our society. We strive to recruit individuals who will further enhance our diversity and will support their professional success while they are here. We encourage all qualified applicants to apply, however preference will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada.