

**Boston University Chobanian & Avedisian School of Medicine
Research Education Component (REC)**

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Advance your career and the future of Alzheimer's disease research!

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Applications are due **June 1st, 2023**. Four applicants will be selected for this exclusive experience —

- Gain knowledge of basic clinical and biological aspects of Alzheimer's and dementia.
- Hone essential research skills and learn about emerging research designs and analytical methods.
- Make connections with leaders and peers in the field.
- Develop a research proposal for Association and NIH funding.

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The overarching goal of the REC programs are to support education activities that complement and/or enhance the training of a workforce to meet the nation's biomedical, behavioral and clinical research needs in ADRD Research.

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Alzheimer's Disease Research Center

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ELIGIBILITY: Postdoctoral trainees, graduate students and junior faculty with an MD, Ph.D. (or the equivalent) in psychology, neuroscience, biochemistry, pharmacology, medicine (neurology, geriatrics, psychiatry, pathology), or related areas. REC support is intended primarily for US citizens and permanent residents, unless there is strong justification otherwise based on exceptional relevance to the NIH and NIA.

APPLICATION MUST INCLUDE (DEADLINE: JUNE 1st, 2022)

- Cover Letter
- 2 Page Statement of Research Experience and Interest (which must include):
 - How the BU ADRC REC Program will help you to meet your career goals
 - Title and description of the research project you intend to focus on during your time in the REC
 - How your project fit with the goals of the BU ADRC
 - Name of your intended research mentor
- 3 Support Letters (one from the intended research mentor)
 - The Research Mentor Support Letter should address the following:
 - Which research project will the scholar undertake?
 - What is your mentoring plan? Including how often will you meet with the scholar and who else might play a role in the project (if anyone)?
 - How much protected time will the trainee have to pursue research?
- Applicant Current CV
- Budget Plan for \$10,000 stipend

[Application are available for submission now](#)

Please direct all questions to Program Manager, Samrana Bertrand at sbertran@bu.edu