



**LEAD Global Training Program**  
**Training LEADers to Accelerate Global Mental Health Disparities Research**  
*Pre- and Postdoctoral Summer Training & Postdoctoral Fellowship Application*

**Applicant Instructions**

Thank you for your interest in the LEAD Global Training Program. This application must be completed for the following programs:

- **LEAD Summer Training Program (June--early August) -- Deadline: January 4, 2021**
- **LEAD Postdoctoral Fellowship, a one-to-two-year position in-residence at Washington University in St. Louis -- Rolling admission**

For eligibility requirements, please visit <https://sites.wustl.edu/lead/about/>.

**I. Application Form** - Please complete the online application on the following pages.

Each section of the Application Form is automatically saved when you click the "next" arrow to advance. You may resume a partially completed application as long as you are using the same computer since the system identifies applicants by their IP address.

**II. Application Documents** - You will be asked to upload the following supporting documents:

- Current NIH Biosketch - Save as PDF "LastName\_FirstName\_2021\_Biosketch.pdf"
  - <https://grants.nih.gov/grants/forms/biosketch.htm>
- Other Support document (if applicable) - Save as PDF "LastName\_FirstName\_2021\_OtherSupport.pdf"
  - <https://grants.nih.gov/grants/forms/othersupport.htm>
- Career Development Plan (CDP) (2 pages maximum) - Save as PDF "LastName\_FirstName\_2021\_CDP.pdf"
  - The CDP should include the following:
    - Background, including relevant past research experience and coursework
    - Career Goals How this program would advance professional development and research
    - Proposed outcomes and corresponding timelines

**III. References/Letter of Recommendation**

You will also be asked to provide the names of two references who will be contacted via email for Letters of Recommendation. One reference should be from your doctoral dissertation chair, a primary mentor, division supervisor, or the principal investigator on research you are conducting.

**IV. Deadline**

The Application Form, Application Documents and Letters of Recommendation must be received by:

- **LEAD Summer Training Program -- Deadline: January 4, 2021 1-2 year**
- **Postdoctoral Fellowship -- Accepting applications on a rolling basis**

**INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.**

For information, please contact:

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LEAD Global Training Program

**Program Format**

- Applicant Information - Demographics - Diversity - Current Position - Education

Funding - Research - NIH Requirements - Application Documents - References

(\*Indicates a required field)

**\*Select the LEAD Global Fellowship to which you are applying.**

- Summer Training Program (Predoctoral or Postdoctoral) - Ten-week fellowship (Completely virtual – June 1, 2021 to August 6, 2021)
- Postdoctoral - 1 or 2 year fellowship (start and end dates TBD) - NOTE: Fellows accepted into the postdoctoral fellowship will be required to relocate to Washington University in St. Louis for the year.

**\*Please provide the earliest date you are available to start the LEAD Global Training Postdoctoral Fellowship.**

Program Format - **Applicant Information** - Demographics - Diversity - Current Position - Education

Funding - Research - NIH Requirements - Application Documents - References

(\*Indicates a required field)

**\*First Name**

**Middle Name**

**\*Last Name**

**\*Primary Phone**

**\*Email Address**

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Applications accepted online at  
<http://sites.wustl.edu/LEAD>

**\*Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY)**

**\*Country of Birth**

**\*Citizenship**

- U.S. Citizen
- U.S. Non-Citizen National
- U.S. Permanent Resident
- Non-Citizen w/Temporary or Student Visa

Unfortunately, you do not meet the LEAD Global Fellowship citizenship requirement. The National Institutes of Health requires trainees on this T37 funded program to be a U.S. Citizen, U.S. Non-Citizen National or Permanent Residence. Non-Citizens with temporary or student visas are not eligible to participate.

Please consider the Researcher Resilience Training (RRT) Program. Also, funded by the National Institute of Mental Health, the "Strengthening Child Health Research Capacity in a Resource Constrained Setting" study is designed to provide advanced doctoral students and early career investigators of African descent interested in child and adolescent behavioral health, with the necessary research skills to address the significant challenges that exist within resource-poor settings. For more information, visit <https://sites.wustl.edu/rtraining/>.

Thank you.

**\*Race/Ethnicity**

- American Indian or Native American
- Asian
- African American/Black
- Hispanic or Latino/a
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
- White
- Other (Please specify in following questions)

**\*What term best expresses your gender identity?**

- Male
- Female
- Other gender (Please specify in the following questions)

**Do you identify with any of the other underrepresented categories listed below? (Please select all that apply)**

- First-generation college student/graduate
- From a rural community
- LGBT+
- Other (Please specify in the following question)

**Diversity & Underrepresented Populations**

The T37 LEAD Global Training Program at Washington University in St. Louis is an inclusive organization. The choices in the previous questions are not meant to be an exhaustive list for identifying diverse and underrepresented populations.

If you believe you are from a [disadvantaged](#) or [underrepresented population](#) not listed above, please provide a brief explanation.

**Do you have a disability?**

- Yes
- No
- Prefer not to respond

**Disability**

- Hearing loss
- Vision loss
- Loss of ability to speak
- Loss of use of one or more limbs
- Disabling systemic illness
- Disabling mental illness
- Disabling pain
- Other

**\*Current Position**

**\*Dates in Current Position**

**\*Institution**

**\*Department**

**Division**

Program Format - Applicant Information - Demographics - Diversity - Current Position - **Education**  
Funding - Research - NIH Requirements - Application Documents - References  
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**Doctoral degrees currently held**

- PhD
- MD
- PharmD
- OTD
- EdD
- ScD
- DPT

**Other graduate or professional degrees held (ex. MPH, MSW, etc.)**

**Doctoral degree currently pursued**

NOTE: Applicants must be advanced doctoral students (2nd year or more), or postdocs or early career researchers/investigators within 5 years of doctoral degree.

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- MD
- PharmD
- OTD
- EdD
- ScD
- DPT

Other graduate or professional degree currently pursued (ex. MPH, MSW, etc.)

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Funding - Research - NIH Requirements - Application Documents - References

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\*Do you currently receive federal grant funding?

- Yes  
 No

Please list all of your current grant funding.

- Note if the funding is federal or private
- List the name of the funding source
- Provide the start and end dates of the funding.

Program Format - Applicant Information - Demographics - Diversity - Current Position - Education

Funding - **Research** - NIH Requirements - Application Documents - References

(\*Indicates a required field)

\*Provide a brief description of your experiences in mental health research. (500 characters or less)

\*Describe how your research or research interests in mental health could be applied to your work as a trainee/fellow in the LEAD program.

Note: For a list of example LEAD-affiliated sites, please visit [LEAD Global Research Sites](#). This list serves as a general guide to the types of field projects available. Field sites will be confirmed and candidates admitted to the program will be matched with a mentor and research project in Spring 2021. (2000 characters or less)

Program Format - Applicant Information - Demographics - Diversity - Current Position - Education

Funding - Research - **NIH Requirements** - Application Documents - References

(\*Indicates a required field)

ERA Commons Username (if you have one -- <https://era.nih.gov>)

ORCID Number (If you have one -- <https://orcid.org>)

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Funding - Research - NIH Requirements - **Application Documents** - References  
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\*Upload Current NIH Biosketch - (See instructions--<https://grants.nih.gov/grants/forms/biosketch.htm>) Save as PDF  
"LastName\_FirstName\_2020\_Biosketch.pdf"

Upload Other Support document (If applicable -- see instructions here: <https://grants.nih.gov/grants/forms/othersupport.htm>) -  
Save as PDF "LastName\_FirstName\_2020\_OtherSupport.pdf"

\*Upload Career Development Plan (CDP) (2 page maximum) - Save as PDF "LastName\_FirstName\_2020\_CDP.pdf"

The CDP should include the following:

- Background, including relevant past research experience and coursework
- Career Goals
- How this program would advance professional development and research
- Proposed outcomes and corresponding timelines

Program Format - Applicant Information - Demographics - Diversity - Current Position - Education  
Funding - Research - NIH Requirements - Application Documents - **References**  
(\*Indicates a required field)

References will be contacted by the LEAD team via email requesting Letters of Recommendation. One reference should be from your doctoral program director, a primary mentor, division supervisor, or principal investigator (PI) on research work you are conducting.

\*Reference 1 - First Name

\*Reference 1 - Last Name

\*Reference 1 - Title

\*Reference 1 - Institution

\*Reference 1 - Email Address

\*Reference 2 - First Name

\*Reference 2 - Last Name

\*Reference 2 - Title

\*Reference 2 - Institution

\*Reference 2 - Email Address

You have reached the end of the LEAD Global Training Program application.