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**Scholar Membership Criteria**

* Membership eligibility and acceptance is decided by the Scientific Director and Managing Director
* Potential members are assessed for eligibility based upon criteria appropriate to the membership level and their position
* HPI reserves the right to revoke membership if deemed that a member is not appropriately contributing to the population health focus of the HPI or is not in good standing
* To be in good standing members must commit to HPI’s commit to the responsibilities as defined on page 2

**Scholar Membership Criteria**

* Member of a university, college, hospital, health care centre or research institute in Atlantic Canada
* Interested and engaged in population health related research and/or knowledge translation initiatives
* Evidence of population health related research funding or research/knowledge translation outputs
* Committed to the vision, mission, and values of HPI

**Values**

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| **Research Excellence** | **Collaboration**  **(Interdisciplinary & Intersectoral)** | **Social Justice** |

**Mission**

* **Collaborate** across research disciplines and sectors to create new knowledge and mobilize evidence for healthy populations
* **Connect** researchers with system stakeholders to ensure that transdisciplinary population health research is solutions-based and addresses regional, national, and international priorities
* **Change** population health of individuals, communities, and under-served

populations by translating research into action

**Vision**

HPI is a leading research institute

that creates knowledge and mobilizes evidence to improve population health and health equity in Atlantic

Canada and beyond

**About the Healthy Populations Institute**

* Established in 1993 as a Senate-approved research centre at Dalhousie University
* A leading multi-faculty Institute for promoting population health and health equity by understanding and influencing the complex conditions that impact the health of communities and populations.
* Supported by the founding Faculties of Health, Dentistry & Medicine

**Healthy Populations Institute (HPI)**

**Moving Health Research Upstream**

**Scholar Membership**

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**Membership Overview for HPI Scholars**

**Responsibilities**

HPI Scholars are expected to:

* Recognize HPI’s support on grant applications, publications and presentations; acknowledge affiliation in CVs and email signatures.
* Seek opportunities to learn about and contribute to HPI Flagship Projects
* Translate research into an infographic to post on the HPI website OR publish a communication piece (i.e., Chronicle Herald, Op Ed, LinkedIn, Dal Newsletter, etc.) translating research to a non-research target audience, acknowledging and branding HPI (minimum 1 KT activity per year)
* Support the Healthy Populations Journal as needed, by being a member of the Committee, peering reviewing submissions and/or attending the Cross- roads Conference
* Attend HPI networking events and speak on re- search interests and progress (speak at a minimum of 1 event per year)
* Advise HPI of any new funding awards, publications, collaborations and recognitions, to be included in the appropriate reports, website & social- media.
* Promote HPI through social media, networking and media

**Opportunities**

HPI Scholars will be given access to various supports, re-sources & activities:

* List status as an HPI Scholar in resume and in signature line on correspondence
* Letters of support from HPI for research grants
* Access to HPI top up funding and support for Post Doctoral Candidates
* Knowledge of, and access to participate in, collaborative interdisciplinary HPI Flagship Project research grants with in-kind support from HPI for grant capture and project management
* Support for knowledge translation planning in grants e.g.: HPI will provide Scholars with access to tools, templates, and in-kind support to review knowledge translation plans for individual grant capture
* Support for integrated knowledge translation activities e.g.: HPI will connect Scholars with relevant system stakeholders and knowledge users to facilitate opportunities for co-created solutions focused research
* Support for communication activities e.g.: HPI will support Scholars to disseminate findings to system stakeholders and knowledge users through various communication channels (i.e., Twitter, LinkedIn, HPI website, etc.)
* Participation in networking events of researchers and students across engaged in innovative, collaborative population health research and innovation

**How to Apply?**

HPI accepts applications year-round.

You will hear back within 4 weeks of application deadline. Your membership starts as soon as you are formally accepted. Upon acceptance, we will need your headshot and bio to include on the HPI website.

There is a 2-year renewable membership for Scholars.

Fill out the application on the next page and send to [**hpi@dal.ca.**](mailto:hpi@dal.ca)

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**Application to become an HPI Scholar**

**Academic Affiliation:**

**What are your population health research interests?**

Click or tap here to enter text.

Surname:

Click or tap here to enter text.

Given Name(s):

Click or tap here to enter text.

Email:

Click or tap here to enter text.

**How will you contribute to the mission, vision, and values of HPI?**

Click or tap here to enter text.

Click or tap here to enter text.

**List your relevant funding, research outputs and/or knowledge translation outputs:**

**Applicant Information:**

Click or tap here to enter text.

**Statement and Signature of Applicant:**

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I hereby apply for membership in the Healthy Populations Institute. I have read the guidelines and understand the privileges and responsibilities of this category of membership. By typing my name below, I certify that the information stated above is true.

Signature:Click or tap here to enter text. Date:Click or tap to enter a date.

**Please send electronic copy of your application to** [**hpi@dal.ca**](mailto:hpi@dal.ca)