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The University of British Columbia's Department of Occupational Science and Occupational Therapy is inviting applications for a 1-year Postdoctoral Fellowship with possibility of extension in MS Rehabilitation. This fellowship is designed to inspire a new researcher to build skills and contribute knowledge in the development of novel approaches and show the potential benefits of rehabilitation services and programs for improving lives of people with MS.

As the Postdoctoral Fellow, you will be supervised and mentored by Dr. Susan Forwell, an established researcher who has conducted studies in the several aspects of rehabilitation in MS. You will also have the opportunity to work with an extensive network of researchers in rehabilitation sciences, social science and medicine, as well as collaborations with the Western Pacific Research and Training Center in MS and the CanDo Research Unit. Working with the mentor, co-mentors and collaborators, you will select and engage in research studies related to rehabilitation in MS.

This fellowship is supported by a grant from the National MS Society. There are limited funds available, with restrictions, to cover the costs of relocation, extended health and dental coverage as well as start-up funds.

For additional information on the institution and collaborators, you are encouraged to visit the following websites:

- UBC Occupational Science and Occupational Therapy: www.osot.ubc.ca
- UBC CanDo Research Unit: <http://osot.ubc.ca/research/cando-researchers/>
- Western Pacific Research and Training Center in MS: <https://www.endmsnetwork.ca/en/RegionalCentres/Western-PacificendMSRRTC/Pages/default.aspx>

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Application Process

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- The candidate's doctoral requirements are expected to be complete prior to commencing the fellowship.
- The candidate's doctoral requirements were completed no more than three years before commencing the fellowship unless the candidate took maternity leave after completion of the doctorate.
- We invite candidates from rehabilitation academic disciplines to apply. MS experience is not necessary, but an asset.

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Please include the following documents in your application:

- Letter of Interest describing your areas of interest and your suitability for this fellowship.
- Curriculum vitae, including a list of publications, grants and awards
- 2 letters of reference of which one must be a recent academic reference.

Send all materials to Dr. Susan Forwell at:

UBC Department of Occupational Science and Occupational Therapy
Faculty of Medicine
T325-2211 Wesbrook Mall
Vancouver, BC, V6T 2B5

If you have any questions or would like to discuss the fellowship, contact Dr. Forwell at susan.forwell@ubc.ca or 1-604-822-7410.

UBC hires on the basis of merit and is committed to employment equity. All qualified persons are encouraged to apply. UBC is strongly committed to diversity within its community and especially welcomes applications from visible minority group members, women, Aboriginal persons, persons with disabilities, persons of any sexual orientation or gender identity, and others who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas. However, Canadian and permanent residents of Canada will be given priority.