Postdoctoral Fellowship: Rehabilitation Policy Research



The **University of Washington**, in partnership with **Columbia University's Health and Aging Policy Fellows Program**, has a two-year postdoctoral fellowship for individuals with an interest in the intersection of aging, disability, and health policy research. This program is funded by the National Institute on Disability, Independent Living, and Rehabilitation Research (NIDILRR).

What is the Program?

The fellowship is a mentored, two-year training experience that includes a salary stipend, funds for travel and coursework, and some relocation expenses. During the first year, fellows will conduct interdisciplinary research in disability and rehabilitation in the Department of Rehabilitation Medicine at the University of Washington in Seattle. In the second year, fellows will relocate to Washington D.C., where they will join the Health and Aging Policy Fellows program, which includes a one-year placement in a federal agency or policy institute.

Who Should Apply?

Applicants with a doctoral level degree including PhD, PsyD, MD, JD (or equivalent) from any discipline with a policy component. This includes rehabilitation sciences, psychology, nursing, social work, PT/PT, epidemiology, public health, health services research, public administration, economics, medicine, or law. We are seeking applications across career stages, from those with new doctoral degrees to those looking for more policy or research training mid-career.

Additional fellowship information: <u>Fellowships – UW RADAR Lab (wordpress.com</u>) Fellowship Expected Start Date (flexible): October 1, 2024

How to Apply:

Step 1: Contact the program coordinator, Aaron Flaster (<u>aflaster@uw.edu</u>) for an informational interview with the co-PI Dr. Tracy Mroz (<u>tmroz@uw.edu</u>)

Step 2: After the informational interview, submit a full application via email to Dr. Molton & Dr. Mroz (ccd Aaron Flaster):

- <u>Curriculum Vitae</u>
- <u>Personal Statement</u> (1 page, single or double spaced) discussing your professional background and why you are a good fit for this fellowship.
- <u>Two Letters of Support</u>: letter writers can submit formal word/pdf documents OR write an email to Dr. Mroz & Dr. Molton as the letter of support.

Application Deadline: March 15, 2024