

# MSTE Doctoral Fellowship

Applications for are invited for the 2022-2023 MSTE Doctoral Fellowship, valued at \$5,000.

#### Criteria

The MSTE Group acknowledges the importance of encouraging a cadre of doctoral scholars in the field of MSTE. In an attempt to recognize this, the Group will offer an incentive scholarship to an outstanding candidate: A one-time payment of \$5,000, to be paid in two equal installments of \$2,500.00; one in September and one in January. This payment will be in addition to the minimum guaranteed funding package, allocated by the Office of Graduate Studies and Research.

#### Application procedure

PhD students in years 1 – 4 are eligible. Applicants will provide a letter of interest outlining their suitability for the Fellowship, a cv, and any other documentation they feel is pertinent and relevant. All applications should be submitted as one PDF document.

The MSTE Executive will decide who is offered the Fellowship. A Fellowship is not a guaranteed award each year. In the event a candidate is not available from the first- year cohort coming into the program, then those in their second and later years will be considered. Priority will go to those who have not received a Fellowship previously, although it is possible to receive the Fellowship more than once during one's time in the graduate program.

The successful applicant for the MSTE Doctoral Fellowship will be invited to attend MSTE meetings, and attend and/or participate in MSTE activities as they become available during the year.

### **Application Deadline**

Please submit your application via email to Erin Rennie at <a href="mailto:erin.rennie@queensu.ca">erin.rennie@queensu.ca</a>, no later than Tuesday June 28<sup>th</sup> at 11:59 pm EST.

MSTE mission and terms of reference; <a href="https://educ.queensu.ca/research/groups/mste">https://educ.queensu.ca/research/groups/mste</a>

# 1.1 RBC National Teaching Fund in MSTE

## Purpose of the Fund

RBC National Teaching Fund in Mathematics, Science & Technology Education was established to support the Mathematics, Science and Technology Education Group in the Faculty of Education in ongoing efforts to enhance the teaching and learning of mathematics, science, technology and computer science in Canada.



#### 1.2 MSTE Group Mission Statement

The Mathematics, Science and Technology Education Group is a research and development team at the Faculty of Education, Queen's University, that is dedicated to improving teaching and learning in the mathematics, science and technology fields in schools and in teacher education.

In the pursuit of the mandate stated in the RBC Terms of Reference, and interpreted by the MSTE Mission, the Group's activities are intended to promote:

- (a) greater awareness of the links that can be made between mathematics, science, and technology education;
- (b) the advancement of accessibility to these fields;
- (c) education for social responsibility.