Applications Open for 2024/25

CAHRE VISITING RESEARCH FELLOW

Description

The Centre for Asian and Ethnic Minority Health Research and Evaluation (CAHRE) invites applications from suitable candidates for the position of CAHRE Visiting Research Fellow in 2024/25.

CAHRE is a network of researchers at the School of Population Health, University of Auckland, with a strong focus on the health issues of Asian and other ethnic minority communities in New Zealand, currently around 17% of the population. Research at CAHRE seeks to improve the health status of this fast-growing and diverse population. CAHRE welcomes collaborations and partnerships with other researchers and practitioners to further its goals.

The Visiting Research Fellowship is a short-term, non-funded residential opportunity open to international and domestic established academics, public sector, and/or community researchers at the School of Population Health, University of Auckland. Priority will be given to inter-institutional exchanges. The Fellowships will run for a period of four weeks to three months. Applications for the 2024/25 fellowship round closes on November 30th, 2023.

We especially welcome people who have a track record of working with, and are currently undertaking research, in the interdisciplinary fields of Asian, migrant, refugee, and/or ethnic minority population health in New Zealand or comparable multi-ethnic societies such as Canada, United States, United Kingdom, and Europe.

As CAHRE Visiting Research Fellow, you will have access to space, library facilities, and a network of colleagues at the School of Population Health who work specifically on Asian and ethnic minority health. We invite you to participate in CAHRE activities and engage with our student and staff body. You will also have the opportunity to deliver guest lectures to undergraduate or postgraduate classes.

Note that this is a non-funded position and will best suit candidates who are on sabbatical or research leave. Interested candidates may also apply for upcoming paid fellowships at the University of Auckland such as the Seelye Foundation Grant. A small grant will be made available to the grantee for incidental expenses. The successful candidate will be expected to present their work at the CAHRE seminar series at the end of their stay.

We particularly invite applications from researchers who wish to extend ongoing connections with or potentially develop new collaborations with existing researchers at the School.
areas of expertise in Asian and ethnic minority health at CAHRE encompass youth health, mental health and wellbeing, women’s health, intimate partner and family violence, racism, environmental health, addictions, chronic illness, identity and belonging, cardiovascular health, to name a few. For details about our work, visit our website here.

If this position interests you, please send us:

(a) a cover letter outlining your interest in this position highlighting the benefits to the community and for collaborations with CAHRE, and your proposed dates of stay;
(b) your curriculum vitae;
(c) a one-page statement of outlining the proposed topic you will work on.

Depending on interest, we may request an interview with potential candidates.

For further information, contact the Co-Directors (Dr. Rachel Simon-Kumar and Dr. Roshini Peiris-John) at cahre_uoa@auckland.ac.nz for further information.