



Attachment Research Mentorship (ARM) Program

Call for Mentee Applications

The goal of this program is to nurture mentees' supportive networks and foster professional growth in the field of attachment research and practice.



Open to all trainees

Master's, PhD Students, and postdoctoral research associates in any CARE related field (e.g., research, clinical practice, public health) are eligible to apply



15 mentor-mentee pairs for two years

ARM will consist of fifteen 2-year pairings of a trainee and an academic scholar starting in the Fall of 2025



Quarterly meetings & professional development

Mentors and Mentees will meet quarterly, and attend annual mentorship meetings. Mentees can attend online professional development sessions

Apply by June 1, 2025 via Qualtrics*

ARM will begin in September 2025.

For more detailed information see our [terms of reference](#).

Questions can be directed to carecollaboration@ucalgary.ca.

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Application Guide

The Attachment Research Mentorship (ARM) application has two main sections:

1. Demographic Information and 2. Mentorship Goals & Mentor Identification

The mentorship specific questions are outlined below for prospective mentees convenience

Q1: Please provide a short (3-4 sentences) biographical summary of your research interests and your career goals, plus any other information you believe would be important for a prospective mentor to know.

Q2: Please provide a short (3-4 sentences) summary of what you are looking for in a mentor and explicit ways in which a mentor may support you (e.g., specialized research skills or methodologies, networking, building community partnerships, bridging the research to practice gap, knowledge mobilization, general support, achieving better balance/wellness/work-life balance etc.).

Q3: If applicable, please describe any special circumstances which demonstrates your high priority need for mentorship (e.g., primary advisor not an attachment expert, few mentorship resources available, etc). Please note: This information will be used solely by the CARE team to assess whether prospective mentees might benefit more significantly from ARM. This information will not be shared with prospective mentors.

Q4: Please identify 3-5 potential individuals who you would like to serve as your mentor. Note: prospective mentors must be a member of CARE (see <https://carecollaboration.org/who-we-are/> for a full list). We will try our best to match you with one of the mentors you have listed, but this is subject to prospective mentors' availability.

NOTE: Prospective Mentees should not contact potential mentors ahead of this application. The CARE team will attempt to match the mentee with one of the listed mentors, however it is not guaranteed that the requested mentors will be available.

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