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Centre for Child Development, Mental Health, and Policy

## Centre for Child Development, Mental Health, and Policy (CCDMP) University of Toronto Mississauga – Post-Doctoral Fellow Position

**Position Description:** The Centre for Child Development, Mental Health, and Policy at the University of Toronto Mississauga invites applications for a post-doctoral fellow position in a multidisciplinary, international research environment. Dr. Tina Malti is the director of the Centre for Child Development, Mental Health, and Policy (CCDMP) at the University of Toronto Mississauga in Canada and is also the director of a newly founded Science Center for Child Development at Leipzig University in Germany.

The post-doctoral fellow will be based at the CCDMP in Canada, and will be responsible for overseeing the implementation of a scientific outreach strategy supporting synergies and collaboration between the CCDMP and the Leipzig Center. The postdoctoral fellow will support knowledge translation of the CCDMP's research on social-emotional development and adversity and will support international outreach and cross-cultural, international research. The post-doctoral fellow will also be responsible for overseeing the digitalization and international use of a social-emotional measurement tool. The appointment is for 1 year and to start immediately.

### Duties will include:

- Interfacing with international researchers and policy/practice leaders.
- Developing knowledge translation materials.
- Overseeing cross-cultural and international data collection and data management.
- Conducting data analyses.
- Preparing conference presentations and scientific articles for publication.
- Supervising research assistants.

### Qualified candidates will have:

- PhD in developmental psychology (or a related degree in social, behavioural, or health sciences).
- Outstanding writing and statistical skills and a strong interest in measurement.
- Evidence of independent scholarship and publication productivity in peer-reviewed journals.
- Experience supervising research assistants.
- Background in the following areas will be an asset: social-emotional development, child and family mental health in typical and clinical populations, assessment/measurement development.

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**To Apply:** Please send the following application materials in a single .pdf (file name: FirstName LastName\_CCDMPPostdoc: a cover letter that describes relevant training and career goals, CV, research statement, up to three representative publications, and three references who could provide a letter upon request. Please email your application to Ruth Speidel ([ruth.speidel@utoronto.ca](mailto:ruth.speidel@utoronto.ca)) and cc Tina Malti ([tina.malti@ccdmp.ca](mailto:tina.malti@ccdmp.ca)) Chanel Tsang ([chanel.tsang@utoronto.ca](mailto:chanel.tsang@utoronto.ca)) with "CCDMP Postdoc Application" in the subject line. For more information about us, please visit our website at <https://www.utm.utoronto.ca/ccdmp/>. Review of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled.