

### IRI 2019-2020 VA Fellowship Application Form

All application materials must be submitted in English by April 25, 2019. A complete application must include the following, in order:

- A completed application form
- An up-to-date curriculum vitae
- An up-to-date PHS biosketch
- A PHS biosketch for up to two mentors at the applicant's home institution who will support the applicant in future applications for external federal grant funding, including the mentor who provides a letter of recommendation (see below)
- Two letters of recommendations and a Qualtrics survey answered by mentor:
  - One completed recommendation (letter and recommendation form) from your supervisor, dean, or department chair
  - One completed recommendation (letter and Qualtrics Survey) from a senior level MD/PhD who will commit to be an accessible mentor toward the applicant's goal of submitting at least one competitive grant proposal to NIH or VA in the substantive areas of the IRI, during the two years that the applicant would be a Fellow with the IRI. The mentor should also answer a Qualtrics survey (see below). Link available here:  
[https://wustl.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_8v2NeElrBka8DXL](https://wustl.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_8v2NeElrBka8DXL)
- Two samples of published or in press articles (preferably first-authored) in the area of, or closest to, dissemination and implementation research.
- A research concept paper not to exceed 3 single-spaced pages excluding references, size 12 font (see below for details)
  - Although the IRI Faculty recognizes that concept papers will vary according to the author's discipline or professional background, the basic elements below must be incorporated into the text.
    - An analysis of the "problem in care" to be addressed through implementation or dissemination research, its background, and its significance to the field;
    - The research aims to be explored and how they relate to the NIH PARs on "Dissemination and Implementation Research in Health" and NIMH and NIDA Strategic Plans
    - The methods or approaches to be used;
    - The institutional support to be provided;
    - The mentor support to be provided

**NOTE:** Complete applications should be submitted electronically in ONE SINGLE DOCUMENT (PDF format) to [iri@brownschool.wustl.edu](mailto:iri@brownschool.wustl.edu) no later than April 25, 2019, 5:00 pm CT. Letters of recommendation should be sent separately to this email address.

**Applicant Information**

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Last Name    First Name    M.I.

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Current Position Title    Dates in Current Position

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Name of Institution and/or Academic Affiliation

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Proposed Project Title

**Specify the funding agency to which your work applies (check all that apply):**

- NIMH
- VA
- NIDA
- Other (specify)

**Address (Please list the address where you would like correspondence sent)**

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Street

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City    State/Country    Zip Code

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Telephone    Email

**What is your sex or current gender? (Check all that apply)**

- Male
- Female
- TransMale/Transman
- TransFemale/Transfemale
- Genderqueer
- Additional Category (please specify)
- Decline to state

**What is your racial background? Select one or more from the list below that best fit(s) your background.**

- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian
- Black or African American
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
- White
- Hispanic
- More than one race
- Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

**What is your ethnicity?**

- Hispanic or Latino
- Not Hispanic or Latino

**Highest Academic Credential Earned**

Degree	Discipline	Institution	Date degree earned
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**Have you previously submitted a grant proposal to the NIH or VA as PI?    Yes  No**   
**If yes, name the funded project(s).**

NIH or VA Component (i.e., NIMH, NIDA, HSRD)	Mechanism (i.e., K01, F31, R03, R01)	Title	Current Status (i.e., funded, pending, denied)	Dates

Please list other mentor(s) at your home institution who will support you in your future applications for external funding.

Name	E-mail Address	Phone Number
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How did you learn about the IRI Fellowship Program?

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PLEASE COMPLETE THIS APPLICATION AND RETURN IT ALONG WITH REQUIRED MATERIALS BY EMAIL (IN A SINGLE MERGED.PDF FILE) TO [iri@brownschool.wustl.edu](mailto:iri@brownschool.wustl.edu) by **January 14, 2019**

IMPORTANT: INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED