

Selection Criteria

Regular Fellowship

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TRUDEAU PROJECT'S AUDACITY AND CREATIVITY

A Trudeau fellow produces a Trudeau project during their three years with the Foundation. The project is an initiative that is grounded in one or more of the Foundation's four themes. An audacious and out of the box project will be valued.

Examples of projects includes an international workshop in the fellow's area of work; a research-creation or participatory action-research initiative; the edition of a collection of papers authored in part by members of the Trudeau community; and a working group that tackles a particular policy problem. This list is not exhaustive. The successful project fills an important gap in the knowledge about an issue of public import.

SCIENTIFIC PRODUCTIVITY AND NON SCIENTIFIC PRODUCTIVITY

Within their discipline or field of activity, Trudeau fellows have made a significant contribution to the development, enrichment, and dissemination of knowledge. Publications can be academic (peer-reviewed) or not (public communications, op-ed, policy briefs...). Their output is varied and they can also be literary or artistic creations related to one or more of the Foundation's themes.

COMMUNICATION AND PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

Trudeau fellows are experienced and devoted communicators who are adept at capturing the attention of their peers. They know how to tailor their contributions so they are easily accessible by the public and the media. They are often asked to comment on current affairs and to represent their country at international forums.

PARTICIPATORY RESEARCH

Trudeau fellows engage in collaborative, cross-sectoral initiatives, beyond the academic sphere, as a means of sustaining positive social change in areas related to one or more of the Foundation's four themes. They invite interdisciplinary dialogue to fuel their thinking and the work of others. During their mandate, fellows collaborate with the community of mentors, scholars and fellows.