

FAQ

Evidence Analysis Center Summer Fellowship

Any questions not answered by the FAQ document can be directed via email to Nicci Brown, MS, RDN, FAND, Program Director, Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics Foundation at nbrown@eatright.org with the subject “EAC Fellowship.”

Timing

Q: Is there any flexibility in the deadline to apply?

A: No. All applications must be received by 3:00 pm CT on Thursday, March 30, 2023 to be considered.

Q: When will I hear back about my application?

A: Interviews will likely be extended to select applicants by mid-April, and the fellows will be selected shortly after. Applicants not selected for this fellowship will be notified after that.

Q: Can you provide interim feedback on my application status?

A: Unfortunately, we are unable to provide this.

Q: Is there any flexibility in the start date of this fellowship?

A: There may be limited flexibility for the right candidate.

Q: Is relocation required for this fellowship?

A: No. This fellow will be able to telecommute.

Fellow Position Requirements

Q: Do I need to be an RDN or pursuing my RDN credential?

A: Yes, this is a firm requirement. If you are not yet an RDN but will be by the time interviews begin, please update the review committee of your status by emailing Elisha Reichling, MS, RDN, Foundation Program Coordinator at ereichling@eatright.org.

Q: Is being in a doctoral program required?

A: Yes. Either being currently enrolled in a doctoral program or being a recent graduate is required.

Q: I am still a student. Can I apply?

A: Yes.

Q: Can I apply if I am not a citizen of the United States?

A: Yes.

Q: I am not qualified for this position but I am very passionate about this work. Is there another way I can help?

A: Please feel free to express your interest to Nicci Brown, MS, RDN, Senior Program Manager, Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics Foundation at nbrown@eatright.org and she will be happy to put your name on a list and share future opportunities with you.

Application Details

Q: What are the tailored resume and letter of interest?

A: These documents will aid the review committee in selecting qualified candidates for interviews. The letter of interest should be a PDF document, not an email. Both the letter and the resume should be tailored to this position, outlining relevant experiences and qualifications. These documents should be submitted as two separate PDF files.

Position Details

Q: Is there more than one position?

A: Yes, at this time there are two fellowship positions.

Q: Is there flexibility in the award amount?

A: No. This is the amount approved by the Foundation Board of Directors for this fellow and project.

Q: What is the time commitment?

A: This is a full-time, 12-week fellowship. Additionally, fellows will be expected to contribute some time throughout the fall to finalize their papers for publication.

Q: Can I keep my current job/position?

A: It is unlikely that the fellow will be able to maintain other full-time employment. Continued part-time employment may be possible depending on the individual. Unique situations will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis for qualified finalists for this position.

Q: What are the details of the project?

A: Details have been included in the fellow position posting. Additional details will be shared with finalists.