

Eligibility Requirements		Ph.D. Students 1, 2	Postdoctoral Fellows 3
A.	Identify, approach, and engage a Primary Mentor from the STAGE mentor roster.	X	X
B.	Approach, solicit and receive a nomination from a STAGE Mentor (may be an individual other than the Primary Mentor).	X	X
C.	<p>Be enrolled in the second or subsequent years of their doctoral program in one of three affiliated graduate programs at U of T:</p> <p>Biostatistics, Division of Biostatistics, Dalla Lana School of Public Health (DLSPH) Epidemiology, Division of Epidemiology, DLSPH Statistics, Department of Statistical Sciences OR</p> <p>Be an exceptional, full-time Ph.D. student enrolled in a relevant biomedical program at U of T, with a background in human genetics and evidence of training and strength in quantitative skills.</p>	X	
D.	Have completed at least one full academic year of graduate studies.	X	
E.	Have thesis or practicum research training in any of the three main disciplines contributing to genetic epidemiology research, i.e., Genetic and Molecular Epidemiology, Statistical Genetics and Genomics, or Bio-medical Genetics.	X	X
F.	Have a background or research interest that falls under any of the following disciplines: Epidemiology, Biostatistics, Statistics, Mathematics, Molecular and Forensic Anthropology, Computer Science, or closely related fields, including quantitatively inclined branches of Life Sciences such as Genetics, Bioinformatics, Computational Biology and Psychology, or any other research area that may be relevant to STAGE (see Examples of Research Themes.) 4		X