

2023 Pathways to Professions Application

Pathways to Professions (P2P) is a 13-week paid summer research program hosted by the New Brunswick Institute for Research, Data and Training (NB-IRDT) at the University of New Brunswick and the Government of New Brunswick (GNB). P2P is a work experience that offers post-secondary students the opportunity to join a professional research team to work on New Brunswick-relevant research projects while attending experiential workplace readiness training sessions.

In summer 2023, P2P will have two streams you can choose to apply for:

		Who Can Apply?	Language Options
NB-IRDT	A stream hosted by NB-IRDT consisting of academic, NB-focused research projects in the areas of health and policy (population demographics and economics)	All undergraduate students at <ul style="list-style-type: none"> University of New Brunswick St. Thomas University Mount Allison University 	English
FutureGNB	A stream hosted by the Government of New Brunswick focused on evaluating GNB services and programming	All students enrolled at any college or university in New Brunswick	French and English

Successful candidates will be assigned to work on a student project team responsible for completing a variety of deliverables. In 2023, the work experience may include remote and office-based work, depending on the needs of the project.

P2P is an opportunity for students to boost their employment prospects through workplace experience, hands-on learning, weekly skills development workshops, mentorship, networking opportunities, and presentations that showcase their communication skills and research results.

Check out the [2022 Program in Review](#) and Promotional [P2P Video](#) and Future GNB ([FR](#) / [EN](#)) Video made by our respective student teams!

2023 Program Dates

May 15 - August 11, 2023

Is This a Paid Program?

Yes! All students will be paid \$6,850 - in bi-weekly installments* for 35 hours a week.

**Standard payroll deductions apply*

What Kind of Work Will I Do?

Students will work in teams led by experienced researchers and mentors to undertake research or evaluation projects relevant to NB. Projects areas are listed on pages 2 and 3. Student contributions could include interviewing community partners, analyzing data, creating visuals and communication tools, reporting outcomes, and/or overseeing project development.

How Do I Submit My Application?

Email your completed application form, 1-page cover letter, 1-page resumé, and unofficial transcripts to nb-irdttraining@unb.ca by March 10, 2023. All applicants will be contacted by April 3, 2023.

In your 1-page cover letter, be sure to address the following questions:

- Why are you applying to P2P?
- Do you have previous research experience?
- Do you have a research area of interest? (e.g., health, policy, economics)
- What are your educational and career goals?
- What is something interesting about yourself that you think we should know?



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Project Information

P2P hosts projects that cover a wide range of topics and subject areas. We place successful applicants into project teams that take into account any indicated preferences plus what we learn about you from your resumé, cover letter, and interview. Previous education or experience in a research area is not required - we encourage students to explore new areas that are of interest to them! All research and projects are New Brunswick-focused.

Student teams will be responsible for both research and communication deliverables. Research tasks may include analyzing, interpreting, and communicating statistical results. Communication tasks may involve finalizing research reports and knowledge translation products through drafting, editing, and refining reports, presentations, data visualizations, and other content. **Students are expected to share tasks, and groups work together to complete their projects.**

Please indicate which area(s) you are interested in. You may choose more than one.

Areas of Interest		
Population <input type="checkbox"/>	Economics <input type="checkbox"/>	Health <input type="checkbox"/>
Policy <input type="checkbox"/>	Labour <input type="checkbox"/>	Education <input type="checkbox"/>

NB-IRDT stream - Students in this stream will use available data to address New Brunswick-relevant research questions and provide possible solutions to those areas. For example, previous research questions included, *How do public resources differ between urban and rural regions of New Brunswick? How cost-effective are pharmacist-administered vaccinations?*

FutureGNB stream - Students in this stream will collect and use data available to GNB to evaluate specific GNB-relevant projects and help policymakers identify best practices going forward. For example, previous research questions included, *Which areas of government are likely to face a labour gap in the coming years? How do New Brunswickers' feelings of "Pride of Place" compare to Canadians' feelings of pride in other provinces?*

Which stream would you like to apply for? You may choose both.	
NB-IRDT stream <input type="checkbox"/>	FutureGNB stream <input type="checkbox"/>

NOTE: Students are not guaranteed their selected area of interest or stream choice. However, preferences will be considered.



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Applicant Information

First Name:			
Last Name:			
Preferred Name:			
Pronouns (optional):			
Mailing Address:			
Street Address			
Apartment Number			
Province			
Country			
Postal Code			
Phone Number:			
School Email:			
Most Checked Email:			
Preferred Language:	French <input type="checkbox"/>	English <input type="checkbox"/>	Either <input type="checkbox"/>
If accepted, which language would you like to use when participating in the program?	French <input type="checkbox"/>	English <input type="checkbox"/>	Either <input type="checkbox"/>

How did you hear about P2P?



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Academic Information

Academic Institute Name and Campus Location:

What program are you enrolled in?

What year of study are you in?

Undergraduate <input type="checkbox"/>		Graduate <input type="checkbox"/>		College <input type="checkbox"/>	
1 st <input type="checkbox"/>	2 nd <input type="checkbox"/>	3 rd <input type="checkbox"/>	4 th <input type="checkbox"/>	5 th <input type="checkbox"/>	

What is your Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA)?

Are you able to work remotely from May 15 to Aug. 11, 2023, Monday-Friday from 9am-5pm AST?

Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
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Are you available to work in Fredericton from May 15 to Aug. 11, 2023? (In-person work may be required for some projects.)

Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
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Are you eligible to work in Canada?

Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
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Academic Reference Information

First and Last Name
Email Address
Relationship To Student



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