



Call for PhD curriculum 2020-2022

Are you a PhD student working in the field of Child Health? Do you want to pursue a career as a Clinician Scientist?

The unique two-year TULIPS PhD curriculum might be just the thing for you! With the help of senior researchers, training weekends and workshops in all major pediatric centers, this TULIPS PhD curriculum enables you to develop competencies, the network and the balance between professional and personal development as needed for leadership positions in pediatric science.

What is the PhD curriculum?

- A two year program with 15-20 selected clinician scientists (PhD students). The program includes:
 - o Workshops in major pediatric centers throughout the Netherlands
 - o The Young Investigators Day (2x)
 - o 3 Training weekends with senior TULIPS researchers

Who can apply?

- Students, preferably in their 2nd or 3rd year of a PhD program in all fields of Child Health (medicine, psychiatry, psychology, pharmacology, physical therapy, nursing, nutrition, etc)

How do you apply?

- By mail/wetransfer submit to info@tulipsforchildhealth.nl :
 - o A personal and original **reflection** (maximum 1 page) shortly specifying who you are, what your developmental goals are (professional and personal, short and long-term). Most importantly, describe your biggest discovery in research and what you like most in your research. In addition, we would like to hear *how* you think the TULIPS PhD curriculum will help to achieve your goals and *what* you can add to the TULIPS curriculum.
 - o A short **video** (maximum 2 minutes) in which you introduce yourself and tell us what you want to have achieved in the field of Child Health five to ten years from now.
 - o A **CV** (maximum 2 pages), including publications, awards, additional activities related to Child Health and/or science and the research groups that you are affiliated with.
 - o A **letter of support** (maximum ½ page), written by your (daily) supervisor, that does not explain *what* you do, but *why* you are outstanding. The letter should be co-signed by the head of the department, expressing commitment to enable participation in the program.

Important information

- please submit your documents and video in English
- closing date for submission: **19th of February 2020**
- costs for the curriculum: €1500 for two years
- 80% presence is expected from all participants
- introduction weekend: 1th and 2nd of May 2020 (please note that this weekend is mandatory)

For further information contact our program manager Kim van der Wel at info@tulipsforchildhealth.nl.