JAL TATA AWARD APPLICATION FORM

Submission of Application: Deadline - October 15 to CORS.Awards@umanitoba.ca

In memory of Dr. Jal Tata, a faculty member in the College of Rehabilitation Sciences who passed away in 1980, his wife, Liz, and the Tata family, established an endowment fund at the University of Manitoba in 2003. Dr. Tata was committed to research which would advance physiotherapy practice. This scholarship recognizes a student with high academic standing who is conducting research highly relevant to physiotherapy (including, but not limited to, clinical practice, health promotion, health policy, and education).

Eligibility:

1. a four-year bachelor's degree (or equivalent) in physiotherapy;
2. enrolled full-time in the Faculty of Graduate Studies in the Master of Science (MSc) in Rehabilitation Sciences program offered by the College of Rehabilitation Sciences; and
3. achieved a minimum grade point average of 3.5 based on the last 60 credit hours (or equivalent) of study.

RESEARCH INFORMATION

Please outline the following in the spaces provided. We encourage you to provide as much detail as possible in the allowable space.

(1) Statement of the research problem that you are investigating in your thesis work (maximum 300 words, with up to 10 references (not included in word count; there is space for reference list on last page)).

(2) Research purpose and objectives/questions (maximum 200 words).

(3) Briefly state your study design and methods (or anticipated study design and methods) (maximum 100 words).

(4) Anticipated impact of this research on physiotherapy practice including a description of how you will communicate your results to physiotherapists (maximum 300 words).

Reference List (maximum of 10)

Signature of student   Date

Signature of advisor   Date

In signing this form the advisor attests to the fact that the application has been completed by the student and reflects their own understanding of their project, and in the case that their study is part of a larger project, the student has written about their specific MSc study only.