

# **EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)**

# **DISCOVERY RESEARCH PROGRAM**

# Movember Institute Professorial Fellow

ISSUE DATE:	14 NOVEMBER 2025
EXPRESSION OF INTEREST DUE:	10 DECEMBER 2025
LODGEMENT ADDRESS:	ONLINE EOI form

## **EOI PURPOSE**

### Background

The Movember Institute of Men's Health is establishing a new global Discovery Research Program that seeks to develop and connect the next generation of men's health researchers and support growth of the men's health research sector.

The Discovery Research Program will focus on building men's health research capacity, driving innovation, and generating high-impact, translational research.

The Program will support research that addresses one or more of the following key themes in men's health:

- Men's adverse childhood experiences, health impacts and help-seeking
- Loneliness and social connection
- Fatherhood and health

The Program will encourage research that is framed in relation to one or more of the following cross-cutting areas:

- health literacy and communication
- healthy manhood
- equity and intersectionality
- ages and life stages
- health systems and services
- social and commercial determinants of health

The inaugural Discovery Research Program will support Movember Early Career Post-doctoral Research Fellows (<5 years post-PhD) and Movember PhD scholars (nested under each Post-doc Fellow) across Australia, Canada, Ireland, New Zealand, United Kingdom and the United States. Post-doctoral Fellowships (including salary and a small amount of project support) will be funded for 5 years. PhD scholarships will be funded for 3.5 years.

The Discovery Research Program will be coordinated by the Movember Institute of Men's Health and supported by a network of 4 Professorial Fellows, 1 each based in the UK/IRE; CAN; USA; and AUS/NZ.

#### Movember Institute Professorial Fellow

We are seeking to contract the services of Movember Institute Professorial Fellows to commence in 2026. The service contract (with each Professorial Fellow's University) will be for the equivalent of 1 day per week (0.2 FTE) of the Professorial Fellow's time over 5 years.

The Professorial Fellows will work closely with the Movember Discovery Research Program team to support delivery of the Program in their respective region (e.g., UK/IRE). This will include mentorship, potential co-supervision, provision of professional development (i.e., research methods, leadership development), and cohort convening. The Professorial Fellows will also contribute to relevant thought leadership activities (e.g., publications, conferences) and act as a spokesperson and advocate for the Movember Institute's Research Program.

For the inaugural 5-year Discovery Research Program the Professorial Fellows in each region will support approximately 2-4 Movember Post-doc Fellows and their nested PhD scholars. In addition, there will be opportunities during the 5-year period to mentor Research Fellows from other Movember Institute programs.

### Eligibility

- Recognised research track record and expertise in the Discovery Research Program's key research themes in men's health
- Professor or Associate Professor Level
- A tenured or at least 5-year fixed term University position (at the time of this application) leading an established research program
- Outstanding research, publication and grant track record
- Demonstrated research impact in the men's health field
- Post-doctoral and PhD student supervision track record
- Evidence of suitable departmental and university-wide research infrastructure
- Willingness to collaborate and share supervision and mentoring of students with the Movember Institute's internal Research Fellows.

# KEY DATES, CONTACTS, AND SUBMISSION LINK

Below is a list of the key dates for the Expression of Interest process.

Note: Dates are Australian Eastern Daylight Time (AEDT).

Activity	By when
EOI released	14 November 2025
EOI response due	10 December 2025 (11.59pm)
Request for further information and interviews with shortlisted EOI applicants	17 December 2025
Professorial Fellows selected	19 December 2025
Services Agreement executed with University	January 2026
Expected start service provision	February 2026
Expected end service provision (initial)	January 2031

### **Key contact**

The key contact for enquiries at Movember is:

Dr Rebecca Jenkinson

Director, Discovery Research Program Email to: <a href="mailto:discovery@movember.com">discovery@movember.com</a>

#### **EOI** submission

EOIs are to be submitted using this **ONLINE** form requesting information on:

- 1. Contact details, academic qualifications and affiliations
- 2. Suitability for the Movember Institute Professorial Fellow role (300 words)
- 3. Track record in men's health research (750 words)
- 4. Track record in supervision and mentoring (500 words)
- 5. Research infrastructure and support (300 words)
- 6. Other relevant experience/expertise (300 words)