

# Postdoctoral Fellowships

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## Value and duration

- \$45,000 per year for 2 years

## Important dates

- Application deadline: October 19 at 8:00 p.m. (ET)
- Announcement of awards: end of January

## Location of tenure

- Canadian universities
- Provincial research institutions in Canada
- Other appropriate research laboratory in Canada
- Universities and research centres abroad  
(*PhD must be from Canadian institution*)

## How to apply

- NSERC online system

# Program overview





Canadian citizen or permanent resident of Canada



Not held a previous federal PDF award



Hold or expect to hold a doctorate in one of the fields of research that NSERC supports



Have completed all requirements for PhD within two years of the deadline date

# Eligibility criteria





**70%**

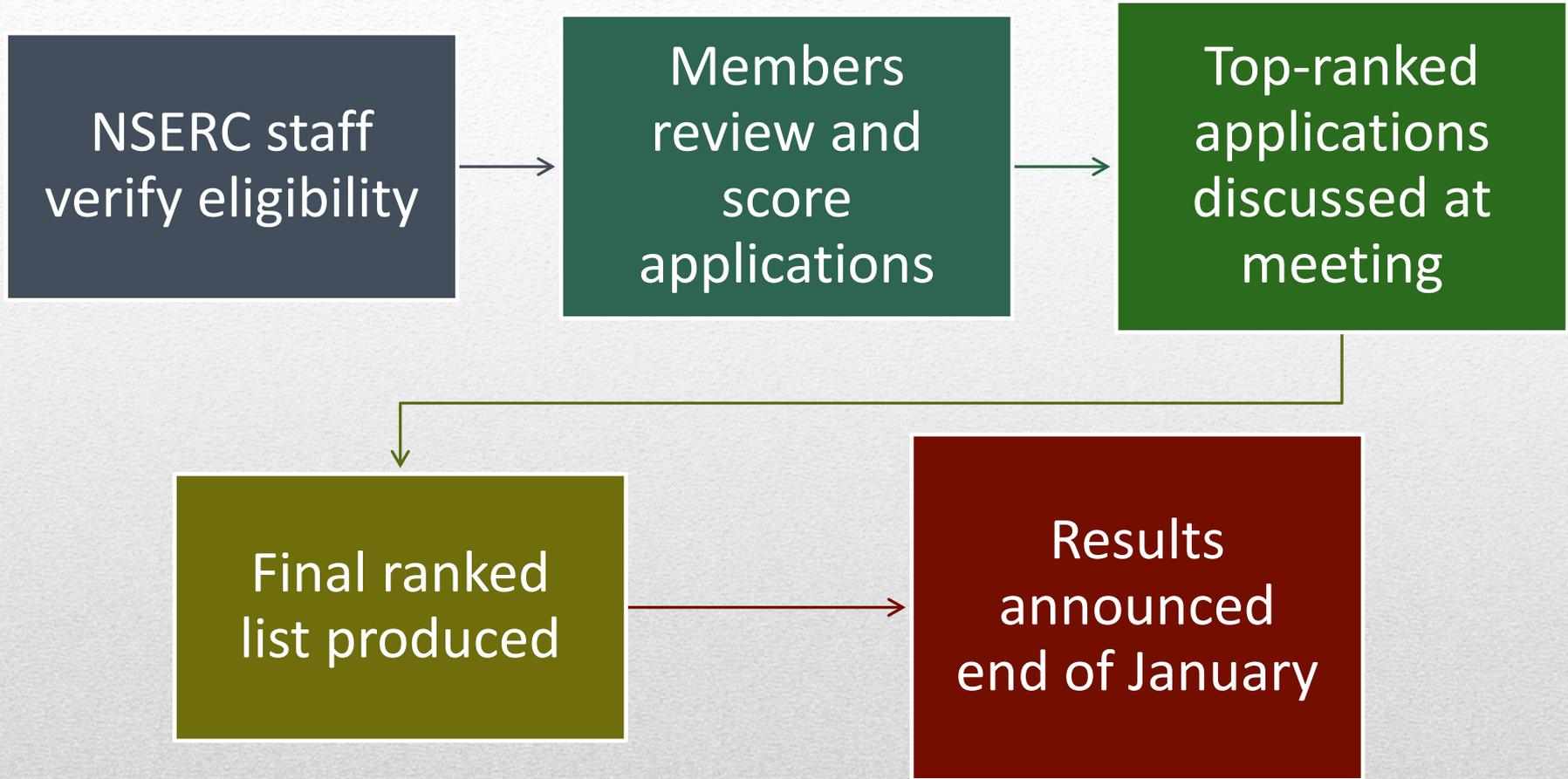
Research ability and potential

**30%**

Communication, interpersonal,  
and leadership abilities

Selection criteria





# What happens at NSERC?

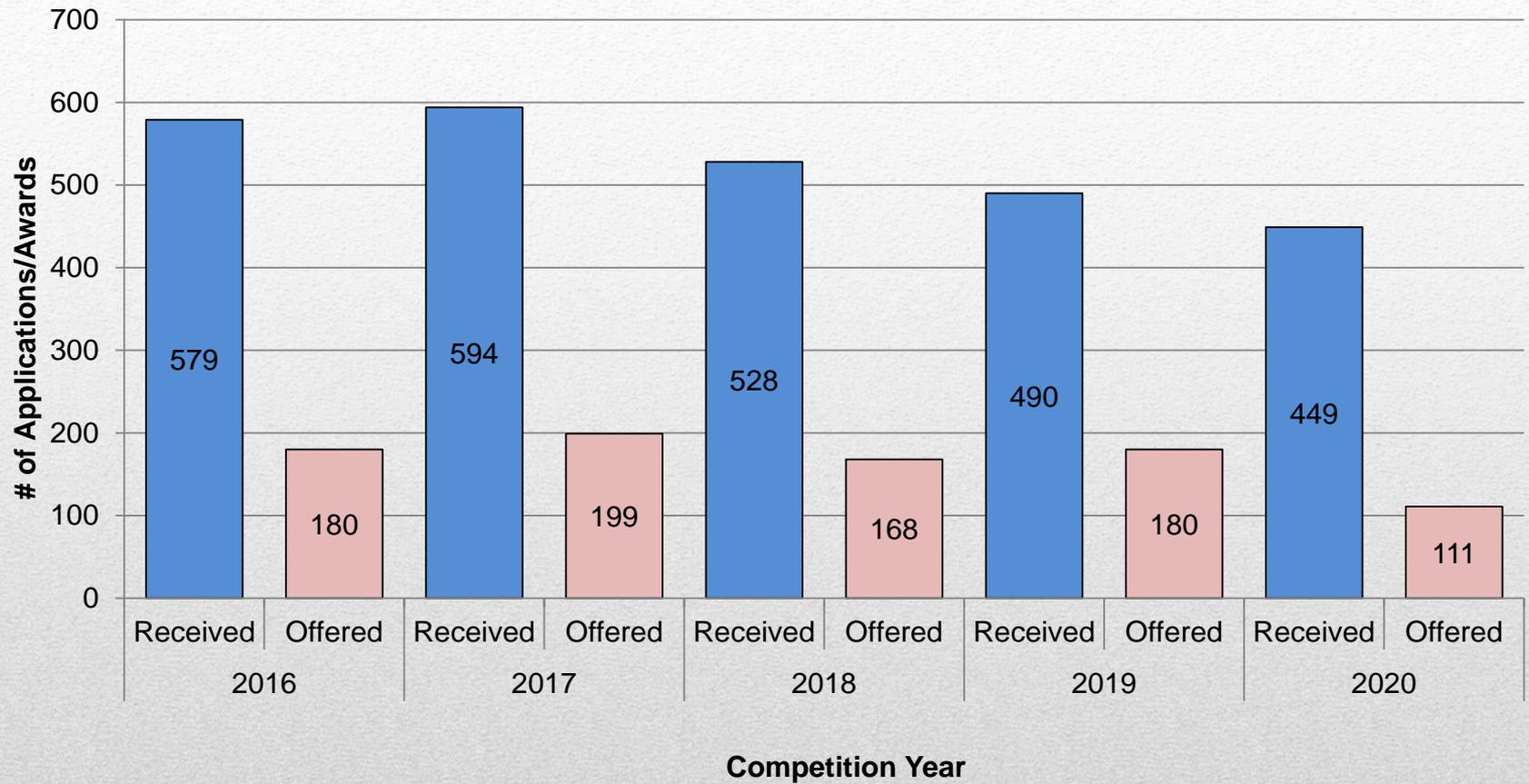


Cellular and molecular biology	Geosciences
Chemical, biomedical, and materials science engineering	Mathematical sciences
Chemistry	Mechanical engineering
Civil and industrial engineering	Physics and astronomy
Computing sciences	Plant and animal biology
Evolution and ecology	Psychology
Electrical engineering	

***IMPORTANT: The research subject code you select in your application determines the selection committee.***

## Selection committees





# Application statistics



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