

# Graduate Student (MSc/PhD) Laboratory of Dr. Dominic Roy – Cancer Axis



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A major area of research in our lab focuses on the use of oncolytic viruses as cancer therapeutics. We are particularly interested in understanding the interplay between tumor cell metabolism, virus replication, and antiviral immunity. Our research aims to identify metabolic pathways in tumor cells that regulate oncolytic virus replication and to manipulate tumor cell metabolism to improve oncolytic virus therapy.

Because the induction of potent anti-tumor immune responses is an important mechanism by which oncolytic viruses work, another goal of our research is to understand the impact of metabolism on the function of T cells in the context of cancer immunotherapy.

### Responsibilities

This person will be responsible for:

- ✓ Planning, executing, and analyzing experiments
- ✓ Presenting data at various meetings
- ✓ Applying for scholarships, travel awards etc.
- ✓ Participating in the preparation of manuscripts

#### Qualifications

- ✓ Must hold a bachelor's (BSc) in a relevant discipline
- ✓ Must register in a graduate program with the Université de Montréal
- ✓ Must be able to communicate in both French and (basic) English

## Relevant experience

- ✓ Previous lab experience is an asset
- ✓ Familiarity with techniques such as cell culture, molecular biology, gene expression analysis (gPCR, Western blots), flow cytometry, mouse work is also an asset.



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## Status and advantages

- ✓ Full-time position
- √ Flexibility of the schedule
- ✓ Affiliation with the Institut du cancer de Montréal (ICM)

## To Apply

Interested candidates should e-mail their curriculum vitae, transcripts, and cover letter to: <a href="mailto:dominicguyroy@gmail.com">dominicguyroy@gmail.com</a>

Only successful candidates will be contacted for an interview.

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