



# MIT IMPACT program

*The program runs twice per year, in the fall and spring semesters*

*Open to trainees across the Boston region*

**QUESTIONS?**  
[impact-program.org](http://impact-program.org)  
[impact@mit.edu](mailto:impact@mit.edu)

**Application deadline**  
May 13

**Program start**  
September 10



## CAREER PREPARATION

### for Post-doctoral and advanced Pre-doctoral trainees

IMPACT supplements your current training program, challenging you to refine your research focus and to identify the most promising paths to achieve impact. Expert faculty from a broad range of institutions and companies in the Boston area will help you reflect on your work to gain new insights into your approach, as well as to learn how to share your story with others. IMPACT alumni feel energized and a new sense of direction for their work.

#### Why join IMPACT

Group mentoring, 1:1 advising, and community engagement will help you:

**Gain a broader perspective** on your research and career

**Heighten the potential of your research** to achieve impact

**Identify actionable opportunities** to strengthen your work's focus

**Express your research mission with clarity** and power to attract collaborators and support

**Expand your professional network** for lasting, valuable relationships



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Applications due May 13, 2019

Apply at [bit.ly/impact19b](http://bit.ly/impact19b)

## The IMPACT experience:

- ▶ Challenging and motivating
- ▶ Constructive and collegial
- ▶ Engaging and energizing



*"I now have a broader perspective on my research project and the tools to thoroughly assess its potential value in the real world. This program has prepared me to approach*

*stakeholders and to explain my work to a wide variety of audiences with confidence and an entirely new level of clarity."*

Scott Greenwald, IMPACT alumnus and Peer Mentor

## IMPACT Fellows come from institutions across the greater Boston region



Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center



Brandeis University



HARVARD MEDICAL SCHOOL



Massachusetts Eye and Ear  
sense life. experience life.



MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL HOSPITAL



Massachusetts Institute of Technology



Northeastern



Tufts Medical Center



Tufts University  
Gerald J. and Dorothy R. Friedman School of Nutrition Science and Policy



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University of Massachusetts  
UMASS Medical School

## Timeline

- ▶ Applications due: May 13, 2019
- ▶ Interviews: June 6 (morning)
- ▶ Notifications: Late June
- ▶ Program schedule: Approximately 11 (TBD) three-hour sessions Tuesday evenings, September 2019 through January 2020

## ELIGIBILITY

1. Appointment as a Ph.D. student or post-doctoral fellow / trainee at an area institution
2. Commitment to participate in the full program, including in person meetings at MIT in Cambridge
3. Ongoing research project and multiple year research experience
4. US citizen or permanent resident (for NIH slots), and/or MIT affiliation (for MIT slots)

More info and FAQs at [impact-program.org](http://impact-program.org)

The program is committed to actively engaging women and under-represented minorities.



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