**Trainee Application Form**

*To be completed by graduate student applicants to the NSERC CREATE LEAP Program.*

**Applications will be ranked using a maximum of 20 points and three criteria:** (1) Relevance of research objective, (2) academic and/or professional experience, and (3) understanding of the northern research environment and northern perspectives.

**General Information**

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| Applicant Information | |
| Name: | Email: |
| Academic Program Information | |
| University Name: | Start Date of Degree Program (yy/mm/dd): |
| Degree Program: | Expected End Date of Degree Program (yy/mm/dd): |
| Additional Completed Degree Programs: | University Address: |
| Supervisory Information | |
| Research Supervisor Name: | Research Supervisor Email: |
| Co-Supervisor Name (*if applicable*): | Co-Supervisor Email (*if applicable*): |

**Title/Topic of Research: (<20 words)**

1. **Brief Description of Research Objective(s)**: (<250 words)

Please describe how your proposed research relates to Permafrost thaw and its consequences in Northern Canada? (10 points)

1. **Academic or Professional Experience**: (<150 words)

Please describe how your academic and/or professional experience prepares you to succeed in the LEAP Training program? (5 points)

1. **Knowledge of the Northern Research Environment:** (<150 words)

Please explain your familiarity with/knowledge of the Northern research environment and Northern perspectives, and your desire to learn about them. (5 Points)

**Additional Materials Requested**

Please attach a copy of your C.V. to this application in pdf format.

**Submission Guidelines**

Please deliver your completed application by email to the LEAP Project Coordinator ([createleap@carleton.ca](mailto:createleap@carleton.ca)).

Thank you and we look forward to receiving your application.