## University of Toronto Faculty of Applied Science and Engineering Mechanical and Industrial Engineering Department

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## **Area of Research: Polymer Processing and Characterization**

**Description of Duties:** We are seeking Post-doctoral fellow to collaborate with a leading industry partner on the development of coextruded parts with new proprietary materials. The fellow will also contribute to a fundamental research program exploring process-structure-property of various polymer pairs using a lab-scale coextrusion line and various characterization tools. More detailed info on: https://www.mitacs.ca/en/opportunity/3007/view

Required Qualifications: Applicants should hold a PhD in mechanical/chemical engineering or Materials Science. Knowledge and relevant experience in related fields (e.g. general polymer processing and characterization) are required. Knowledge of the fundamentals of various polymer characterizations is desirable. Candidates should be highly motivated with excellent communication skills, strong independent research skills, and sensitivity to industry partner direction are also required. The candidate will be expected to work independently, and produce publishable results.

**Salary:** \$40,000/year

Expect start date: As soon as possible

Term: One year with a possible renewal

**FTE:** 100%

The normal hours of work are 40 hours per week for a full-time postdoctoral fellow (pro-rated for those holding a partial appointment) recognizing that the needs of the employee's research and training and the needs of the supervisor's research program may require flexibility in the performance of the employee's duties and hours of work.

**Application Instructions:** The application package (to be emailed to Patrick Lee) should include a CV, including a list of 3 professional references.

**Supervisor:** Dr. Patrick Lee, Associate Professor Department of Mechanical & Industrial Engineering Faculty of Applied Science & Engineering

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