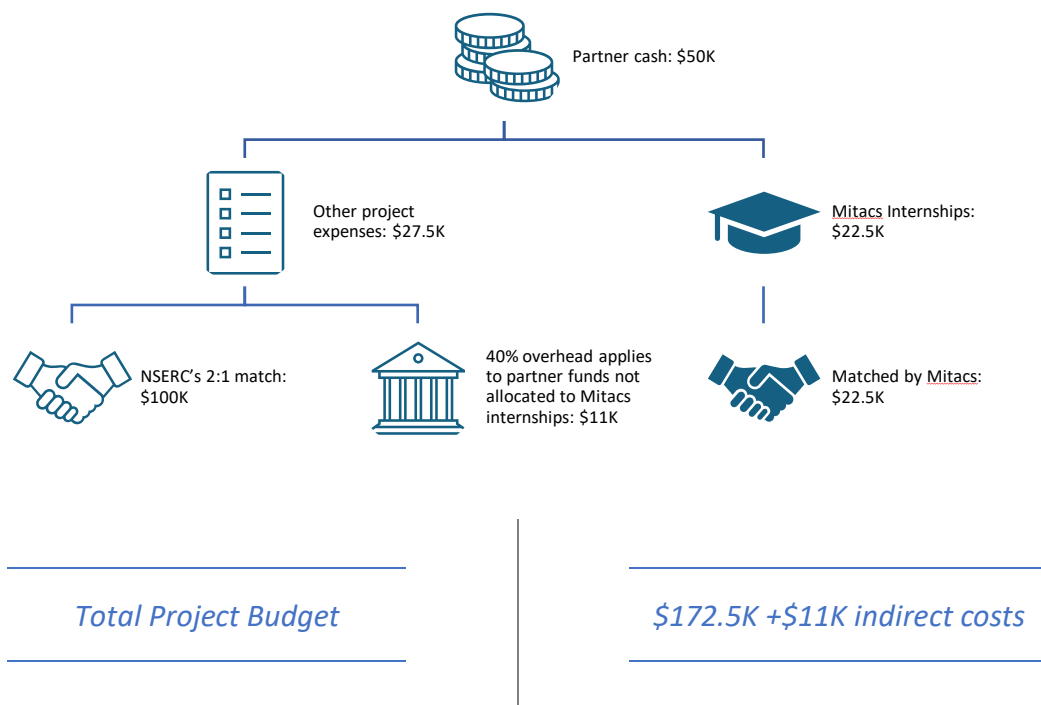




Joint Mitacs-NSERC Alliance Grants:

This joint funding opportunity offers a strategic approach to maximize funding by leveraging cash contributions from partners for matching from both NSERC-Alliance and Mitacs. Through this program, partners' cash contributions can be utilized for a 2:1 leveraging from NSERC and a 1:1 leveraging from Mitacs for research trainee internships. Please keep in mind, Mitacs internships cannot be the only mechanism for HQP training in the joint proposal; HQP should also be supported by NSERC funds.

Example of leveraging partner funds:



Joint NSERC Alliance- Mitacs Grant Application SOP

1. Applicant notifies OVPRI about intent to apply. Contact stefanie.bernaudo@utoronto.ca.
2. OVPRI will contact Mitacs to set up an initial project meeting to discuss project budget, procedure and next steps. Mitacs business development representatives will provide the Mitacs supplemental application form.
3. Applicant will work with OVPRI staff to complete the NSERC Alliance application.
4. Once NSERC Alliance application is ready, applicant will work with Mitacs staff to complete the joint application and Mitacs portion.
5. Applicant submits MRA.
6. Upon MRA approval from RSO, applicant submits through the [NSERC's online system](#). For this program, you are required to complete a partner contributions form that indicates Mitacs as a joint call funding partner prior to submission. Further instructions on submitting the Mitacs supplement will be provided by Mitacs staff.