

School of Public Policy and Administration WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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SPPA Events/News



PPASA Winter General Meeting
Friday, January 15th

5-8 PM
Underground
CAMPUS KITCHEN

Light Refreshments
Will Be Served

o *Get Informed*
o *Get Involved*
o *Network*

RSVP @ ppasa@YorkU.ca

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Superior Court of Justice and Toronto City Hall Tour

Wednesday February 17, 2016 from 8:45 AM
Superior Court of Justice: 361 University Avenue

Agenda

Attend question and answer period with Judge. Sit in on the morning session of court hearings

Lunch

Attend Toronto City Hall Tour

Sit in on afternoon City Hall Council meeting

To register, please email Farah Shamoun at Farah-997@hotmail.com

**Please note that spots are limited and seats are available on a first come first serve basis*

***Meeting locations can also be arranged at York University*



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York University

**SUMMER 2016 STUDY ABROAD COURSE
in Seoul, South Korea**

POLS 3580 6.0 - South Korea: The Politics of Compressed Modernity is open to all undergraduate students with an interest in Asia. The course is a political and public policy overview and analysis of South Korea during the past 50 years. Students do not need to return to Canada after the course, but can remain in South Korea (or elsewhere) for the remainder of the summer.

The course starts on May 2nd and ends on June 5th. More information at:

<http://www.thomasklassen.net/2016-south-korea-course.htm>

Students in the course are eligible to receive the York International Mobility Award and the LA&PS International Study Abroad Award to reduce costs. **The deadline to apply for this course is January 15th**. Details on the application procedures for the course are at: <http://yorkinternational.yorku.ca/go-global/summer-abroad/>

Interested students can contact the course director, Professor Thomas Klassen, at tklassen@yorku.ca



York International

Study in France this summer!

**FR 3089 6.0: French Language and Society
“Thinking Globally, Acting Locally the Cultural Industries” with Prof. Dominique Scheffel-Dunand**

Students will develop communication skills (oral and written language competence) and critical thinking in French at the low-advanced level. Through comparative learning, readings, excursions, and visits to local employers and community-based organizations they will explore and document (with sound recordings, photographs, notes) the concept of “Penser localement les industries culturelles”, as interpreted by the local Savoyard culture. Some students may wish to observe, document and report on the culture of negotiation and promotion in the context of the French cultural industries. French is the sole language of instruction in this course. Achieving true fluency in French and exploring intercultural communication theories is best achieved by living, eating, meeting people and studying in France.

Program Dates

York University: May 9-20, 2016 (2 weeks)
Chambery, France: May 30-June 24, 2016 (4 weeks)

Application Deadline: Jan. 15, 2016

INFORMATION SESSION:

**January 12: 11:30am – 12h30 pm and
January 13: 10:30-11:30am and 2:30-3:30pm
N732 Ross**

<http://yorkinternational.yorku.ca/go-global/summer-abroad/>

**SENIOR MANAGER
Cabinet Office
Ontario Ministry of Intergovernmental Affairs**

Are you a highly motivated, results-oriented strategic leader? Are you looking to apply your policy expertise in a high-profile central agency providing analysis and advice on issues that affect Ontario's relationship with the federal government and other provinces/territories? If so, consider this opportunity with Cabinet Office, Ministry of Intergovernmental Affairs as a Senior Manager for our Federalism and Institutions Unit.

Please click here for more details:
<http://www.ipac.ca/SeniorManager-10425>

**SENIOR MANAGER
Regional Operations & Continuous Improvement
Units
Ontario Ministry of Education**

Do you search for ways to promote innovation and continuous improvement? Consider this opportunity with the Ministry of Education to lead, manage and drive results for a dynamic team of professionals in the Child Care Quality Assurance & Licensing Branch.

The Senior Manager, Regional Operations and Continuous Improvement will be instrumental in leading and promoting quality child care in Ontario. The position will also lead the development and implementation of innovative business improvement strategies and initiatives that build strategic leadership capacity and process improvement across the branch through consultation, proactive engagement, defined communications and change management strategies.

Please click here for more details:
<http://www.ipac.ca/SeniorManager10032>

Summer Student Jobs with the Ontario Government

Gain valuable skills, earn money and have fun over the summer!

NEW 2016 POSTING DATE AND APPLICATION DEADLINES

IMPORTANT:

- All Summer Employment Opportunities jobs will be posted on **January 4th, 2016**.
- Different student jobs have different deadline dates. Check the deadline date for each job ad you apply for, by looking at the top left hand corner of the job ad, above the job title, where it will say **"APPLY BY:"**
- All job ads close at 11:59 PM on the last date specified on the job ad.

New 2016 Posting and Deadline Dates

Below are the deadline dates to apply for jobs in the following fields. Go to **Types of Student Jobs** to check out the student jobs that fall into each of the career fields below:

January 4, 2016 -> All Student Jobs are posted

January 19, 2016 -> Deadline to Apply for Jobs in:

- Administration
- Information Management
- Agriculture and Livestock

February 2, 2016 -> Deadline to apply for jobs in:

- Business
- Technology
- Language

February 16, 2016 -> Deadline to apply for jobs in:

- Policy
- Engineering
- Enforcement
- Ontario Place
- Parks (posting 1)

March 1, 2016 -> Deadline to apply for jobs in:

- Environment
- Science

March 15, 2016 -> Deadline to apply for jobs in

- Social Services
- Maintenance

March 29, 2016 -> Deadline to apply for jobs in

- Customer Service
- Clerical
- Parks (posting 2)

Ensure that you submit your application for the jobs you are interested in before the deadline dates. If you have any difficulty submitting your application, please contact **SEO@ontario.ca** during the posting period as we cannot provide assistance regarding submission of your application after the job ad deadline date.

Applications are accepted online only; students must apply directly to job ads on the **Ontario Public Service Careers website** to be considered for the jobs advertised.

For more information on how to complete your application, including submitting a cover letter and resume, refer to our **Student Application Tip Sheet**.

The application screening process is lengthy; calls for interviews will begin approximately 4 - 8 weeks following the closing of the job ad. Please note, due to the high volume of applications, only applicants selected for an interview will be contacted by phone and/or email.

For more information please visit:

<https://www.gojobs.gov.on.ca/Pages/SEP.aspx>