

School of Public Policy and Administration

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SPPA Announcements

PPASA Meet & Greet



**PUBLIC POLICY &
ADMINISTRATION**
STUDENT ASSOCIATION

The Public Policy & Administration Student Association (PPASA) invite you to attend our first Meet and Greet of the year. Faculty members from the School of Public Policy and Administration will be guest speakers at the event.

We encourage everyone to attend and bring along any other students who might be interested. This will be a great opportunity to meet the faculty and other B.P.A. students and hear stories from alumni about their careers after graduating from the B.P.A. program.

Thursday, September 22, 2016

6:00pm – 8:30pm

140 McLaughlin College (Senior Common Room)

Refreshments will be served.

All are welcome!

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MPPAL Convocation Ceremony and Luncheon Reception



Congratulations to our Master of Public Policy, Administration and Law graduating class of 2016!!

MPPAL Convocation Ceremony:

Thursday, October 20, 2016

Robing: 8:30am - Courtside Café, Aviva Centre

Ceremony: 10:30am – Aviva Centre

MPPAL Convocation Reception to follow

Please save the date.

Formal invitation to follow.

York University's part-time, executive-style Master of Public Policy, Administration and Law (MPPAL) Information Session

The MPPAL program is tailored for mid-career professionals. Students can choose to attend classes at York's Keele campus or at York's convenient downtown Toronto location (at the York/Osgoode Professional Development Centre, 1 Dundas St. W.)

The first in the 2016-2017 series of info. sessions about the MPPAL program (and the optional add-on Graduate Diplomas in Democratic Administration & Justice System Administration) will take place on:

Friday, October 14, 2016

777 Bay Street, Boardroom 13A (13th Floor)

12:00pm - 1:00pm

We invite current students and alumni to spread the word about the MPPAL program to colleagues and encourage them to **register for this info. session at:** <http://ppal.gradstudies.yorku.ca/mppal-information-session-registration/>

Alumni testimonials about the value of the MPPAL program for career development are available at: <http://sppa.laps.yorku.ca/alumni/profiles/mppal/>

The Public Policy and Administration Student Association (PPASA) is expanding



If you want to be a part of this professional association we have 4 opportunities for you to get involved. We are currently accepting applications for **2 semi- executive roles (Marketing Assistant and Volunteer Coordinator) and 2 volunteer positions (Junior Ambassador and Senior Ambassador)**. Those selected will assume the position starting October 1, 2016. Each position requires that all volunteers and executives take an active role in the club by attending mandatory monthly meetings, and events and initiatives of the Public Policy and Administration Student Association (PPASA) and the School of Public Policy and Administration (SPPA).

Please forward your applications to the Director of Recruitment, Justin Tan at jtan31@my.yorku.ca

Please include the following information in your email: Your full name; contact information (this will not be made public); position that you are applying for; and a short description of yourself and why you are interested in the position (approximately 250 words).

Those interested must email their application by September 23, 2016 by 11:59 pm. Interviews will be conducted from September 26-30.

Writing Centre Event



Undergraduate-level essays can be intimidating, even baffling, but the Writing Centre is here to help! We will show you some easy strategies to achieve confidence and success with your essay writing. Bring your course syllabi and essay assignments.

Friday, September 16, 2016

11:00am – 1:00pm

109 Atkinson (Harry Crowe Room)

A pizza lunch will be served

To register, please call the Writing Centre at **416-736-5134** or visit our website and click on “Enrol here”: <http://writing-centre.writ.laps.yorku.ca/>

Writing Centre contact information:

Location: 311 South Ross Building

Email: lapswrit@yorku.ca

To book an appointment with the Writing Centre, please contact us. Drop-in visits are also welcome!

For more information on writing support available to students, please visit: <http://writing-centre.writ.laps.yorku.ca/about/faqs/>

The Association of Professional Schools of International Affairs (APSIA)

Admissions Fair

Take the next step in your career! Explore what you can do with an APSIA Degree. APSIA schools share the same passions you have for solving global challenges. Talk with admissions experts about masters degrees, financial aid, and other questions you may have. Come learn how an APSIA degree can transform your career at our graduate school fair:

Thursday, September 15, 2016

5:00pm - 7:00pm

Munk School of Global Affairs,

University of Toronto, 315 Bloor St. W.

To register and for more information, please visit: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/apsia-admissions-fair-toronto-tickets-24635895627>

York University Career Centre's Graduate and Professional Studies Expo

York's annual Graduate & Professional Studies Expo provides students and new graduates with an opportunity to explore educational opportunities. Connect with recruiters from business and law schools, education programs, graduate studies programs, professional schools and colleges to learn about their educational opportunities and improve your chances of getting into your desired program.

Thursday, October 13, 2016

11:00am – 3:00pm

152 Founders Assembly Hall, 001 Winters Dining Hall and 014 McLaughlin Junior Common Room

No Student Registration Required

For more info. on participating schools & programs: <http://careers.yorku.ca/students-and-new-grads/services-events/gpse/educator-exhibition/>



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<https://www.linkedin.com/groups/12006583>

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<https://www.linkedin.com/groups/3908927>

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Thank you.



The International Civil Liberties Monitoring Group (ICLMG) is hiring a new National Coordinator

The ICLMG is a pan-Canadian coalition of some 40 civil society organizations concerned about the impact of anti-terrorism legislation and other counter terror measures with regards to civil liberties, human rights, refugee protection, racism, political dissent, governance of charities, international cooperation and humanitarian assistance. For more details on what the ICLMG does, visit: iclmg.ca

This position is based in Ottawa and will be subject to a 6 month probation period. This is a 4 day a week position with an annual salary of \$53,835 with a generous benefits package (including health and pension benefits).

To apply, e-mail your resumé and cover letter (please include “National Coordinator Position” in your subject line) to:
national.coordination@iclmg.ca

Application deadline: September 23, 2016 at midnight EST
Starting date: On or before November 15, 2016

For more details on the position, please visit:
<https://charityvillage.com/jobs/search-results/job-detail.aspx?id=345885>

The Canadian Council of Muslim Women is hiring an Executive Administrative Assistant (EAA)

The EAA ensures the efficient day-to-day operation of the national organization, and supports the work of management, projects and board members. The EAA will work under the supervision of the Board, Executive Director and the Project Coordinators. This is a contact position for 10 -15 hours per week based in the Greater Toronto Area. The EAA will perform a wide range of responsibilities including office administration and support and marketing duties such as managing the production of marketing materials and evaluating marketing campaigns and programs.

For further information regarding the position, please contact:
Dr. Jody Berland (jberland@yorku.ca and/or 416-736-2100 x 33218)
Professor, Department of Humanities, 234 Founders College
Senior Faculty Associate, Robarts Centre for Canadian Studies

Manager, Accommodations Management Branch Ministry of Transportation, Government of Ontario

The Ministry of Transportation (MTO), Corporate Services Division seeks a motivated leader to manage the accommodations/facilities program of a large, geographically dispersed ministry, in a manner that aligns with the objectives and commitments of the Government. For more information on the Ministry of Transportation, please visit our webpage at: <http://www.mto.gov.on.ca/english/>

Please click here to view details: http://www.ipac.ca/Manager_MTO

Program Advisor Ontario Ministry of Economic Development & Growth and Ministry of Research, Innovation & Science

You will lead the development of programs and strategies aimed at educating external stakeholders about the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act (AODA) accessibility standards. You will engage with stakeholders, manage partnerships, conduct research, and interpret/apply policy and legislation related to the implementation of the AODA.

Please click here to view details: http://www.ipac.ca/PA_MEDEI

Chief Information Officer Labour and Transportation I&IT Cluster Government of Ontario

As the Chief Information Officer, you will provide strategic direction and executive leadership over an organization of 350 employees, driving the planning, delivery and management of I&IT solutions and services to support the business priorities of the Ministry of Labour and Ministry of Transportation. Your primary focus will be the integration of systems and modernization of digital solutions that serve to enhance the overall delivery of the ministries' frontline services to Ontarians.

Please click here to view details: http://www.ipac.ca/CIO_L

Policy Analyst, Policy and Research Unit, Corporate and Council Services, Ontario College of Teachers

Experienced in policy analysis and research, you will provide research, policy and legislative support to the College and its Council and committees. Excellent analysis, writing and presentation skills required.

Please click here to view details:
<https://www.linkedin.com/jobs/view/196673135?spSrc=&clkData=&trk=hp-feed-view-job>