# School of Public Policy and Administration

### **WEEKLY NEWSLETTER**

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Best 2019 Major Research Paper Award Winner - Ryan Clancy (MPPAL, class of 2019)

SUMMER OF THE GUN - PART 2:
THE CITY OF TORONTO'S APPROACH TO ADDRESSING GUN VIOLENCE



Ryan's supervisor, Professor Dagmar Soennecken presented him with this award at the annual SPPA Students, Alumni and Community Recognition Awards Dinner on November 21, 2019.

Ryan recently joined *LIFT Philanthropy Partners as the Senior Manager, Impact Investing*, where he is expanding LIFT's activity in the social finance and impact investing field. LIFT turns good causes into great investments by scaling the social impact of organizations whose programs help remove barriers to health, education,

skills development and employment for vulnerable and at-risk Canadians. Prior to joining LIFT, Ryan was a Manager at the Ministry of Tourism, Culture and Sport, providing strategic oversight of the Ministry's agencies (e.g. Royal Ontario Museum, Ontario Trillium Foundation) and previously served as a Senior Policy Advisor to the Deputy Minister. Ryan also held roles with the federal government at the Auditor General's Office and the private sector with Live Nation Canada. He holds a Chartered Professional Accounting (CPA) designation and BComm Honours. Ryan serves as the *Vice Chair of the Board of Regeneration Community Services*, a not-for-profit organization that provides housing support for persons with mental health and addiction challenges.

**Congratulations to Ryan!** 



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## Spend this Summer abroad on a Global Internship through York International

Looking for a way to gain international experience?

Want to spend your summer doing something meaningful?

Positions range from working on electoral processes in Sweden, to turtle monitoring in Costa Rica, to empowering female entrepreneurs in Turkey, to conservation and community education in South Africa, to teaching English in El Salvador. Find out more about these funded opportunities by attending a Global Internships Information Session.

- 55 placements available
- Duration of 3 months beginning in May 2020
- Open to all York Students who meet eligibility criteria
- Includes a \$3000 York International Internship Award to offset expenses
- Deadline to Apply: December 16 at 11:59pm

Questions: viintern@yorku.ca

http://yorkinternational.yorku.ca/go-global/intern-abroad/

## Events honour the Ecole Polytechnique victims and inspire community to act against gender-based violence

This year marks the 30th anniversary of the December 6, 1989 massacre of 13 female students and one female administrator at <u>École Polytechnique in Montreal</u>. Each year since, a pan-University ceremony is held to honour the victims and inspire our community to act against gender-based violence.

#### This year's ceremony will be held on:

Tuesday, December 3, 2019

11 a.m. – noon (Ceremony) and Noon – 1 p.m. (Workshop)

Bergeron Centre for Engineering Excellence (First Floor Eatery & Room 125)

Lunch will be provided at the workshop – RSVP here.

Following the ceremony, the Centre for Sexual Violence Response, Support & Education will host a workshop led by activist and advocate Leroy Milton on crafting healthy relationships. The workshop titled "Toxic Masculinity is a Choice – How do I make the Right Choices?" will take place in Room 107A, Bergeron Centre for Engineering Excellence. A safe space will be available and staffed by counsellors from Student Accessibility Services. As part of the larger 16 Days of Activism against Gender-Based Violence, there will also be a variety of events happening across campus to inspire, educate and honour the 14 victims as well as the thousands of female-identified individuals from all walks of life, who experience and have lost their lives to violence.

#### Events include:

- Nov. 25 to Nov 29 (Vari Hall): Feathers for our Women installation spreading awareness about Missing or Murdered Women, Girls, Transgender & Two-Spirit peoples in Canada
- **Dec. 2:** Intersectionality & Sexual Violence Seminar Presented by the Centre for Human Rights, Equity & Inclusion

Community members who wish to attend one or all of the events should **RSVP**.

Education and awareness are key to enact meaningful change and so we invite you to take action, whether you do this by attending the 30th Anniversary Memorial and workshop or one of the 16 Days of Activism against Gender-Based Violence events, or through a personal contribution to an organization that supports action against gender-based violence – we encourage you to educate yourself and be a part of ending the violence. To view the full Y-File article, click here.



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# WINTER COAT & CLOTHING DRIVE

NOVEMBER 1ST - DECEMBER 31ST

Support FCT Refugee Centre and nelp newly arrived refugees a Migrants stay warm throughout their first Canadian winter

#### Drop off Locations:

Amnesty International – 107 McLaughlin College
Islamic Relief – SSC 329
RefugeAid – 342 Old Student Centre
Centre for Refugee Studies – Kaneff Tower 8th floor
CLASP – 1009 Ignaff Kaneff Building (Osgoode)
School of Gender Women & Sexuality Studies – 206 Founders College



## Centre for Human Rights, Equity and Inclusion launches its 2019-20 REDI workshop series

The following is a message from Marian MacGregor, Executive Director,
Centre for Human Rights, Equity and Inclusion

The Centre for Human Rights, Equity and Inclusion (REI) at York University has launched its Respect, Equity, Diversity and Inclusion (REDI) workshop series for the 2019-20 academic year. REI aims to engage students, faculty, and staff in a valuable exchange of knowledge through a series of educational and professional development opportunities.

The REDI workshops are ongoing and they emphasize the importance of upholding human rights principles throughout our campuses while championing our values of equity and inclusion. These workshops can help you to develop the capacity to understand and embrace these values and principles.

You can register and participate in these workshops at any time throughout the year. If you attend at least three sessions you will earn a certificate of recognition and completion.

#### **Upcoming REDI Workshop sessions include:**

- Challenging Organizational Cultures Wednesday, January 29, 2020 -11:00 AM - 12:30 PM; Keele Campus YL 280N
- Recognizing Resilience in Communities Wednesday, February 12, 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM; Keele Campus YL 280N
- Academic Integrity and Universal Design Wednesday, February 26, 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM; Keele Campus YL 280N
- Understanding Freedom of Speech @ York U Wednesday, March 11, 11:00 AM 12:30 PM; Keele Campus YL 280N

The full list of workshop sessions is available on the **REI** website.

Registration is now open but space is limited so register today!

#### **Job Opportunities**

#### Chief of Emergency Management - Ministry of The Solicitor General, Toronto, ON

Are you an established executive interested in leading the development, implementation, enhancement and oversight of emergency management planning and programming in Ontario? If so, the Ministry of the Solicitor General (SolGen) is looking for a seasoned leader to support the legislative mandate outlined in the Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act.

The successful candidate will provide executive leadership and strategic direction in the development and implementation of emergency management policy, delivery, operations and program planning, as well as champion the new Provincial Emergency Response Plan. You will also ensure coordinated and effective oversight of legislation, regulations and standards, as well as emergency planning, prevention, response and recovery strategies to maximize the safety and security of Ontarians.

#### Chief Executive Officer - Assembly of First Nations, Ottawa, ON

The Assembly of First Nations (AFN) invites nominations and applications for the position of Chief Executive Officer (CEO). The Assembly of First Nations (AFN) was established in 1982 and is modelled after the United Nations General Assembly. AFN is a national advocacy organization representing First Nations citizens in Canada currently living in 634 First Nations communities and throughout cities and towns.

The work of AFN is directed by First Nations leaders (Chiefs) through resolutions passed at Chiefs Assemblies held at least twice a year. The AFN National Executive (Executive Committee) is made up of a National Chief, ten (10) Regional Chiefs and the Chairs of Elders, Women's and Youth Council. The role of the AFN and the National Chief is to advocate on behalf of First Nations which includes: facilitating and coordinating national and regional discussions and dialogue; leading advocacy efforts and campaigns; undertaking legal and policy analysis; and communicating with governments, including facilitating relationship building between First Nations and the Crown as well as the public and private sectors and the general public. The AFN continues to be recognized as a proactive, productive and effective representative of the interests and rights of all First Nation's people. For more information about the AFN, visit: <a href="https://www.afn.ca/">https://www.afn.ca/</a>

As the CEO of AFN, you will be responsible for the overall strategic planning of operations during a critical time of organizational renewal and change, as well as for the oversight and management of human and financial resources (including risk management) of the AFN. Reporting to the National Chief and the National Executive Committee, the CEO directs the organization's daily activities to achieve the goals, objectives and mandate of the AFN while maintaining the vision of the organization through lobbying, advocacy and providing support for First Nations issues.

#### Senior Advisor, Policy and Practice - Metrolinx

The Sponsor Office works collaboratively across the organization to ensure that project benefits are defined, appropriate approvals are secured, a capable delivery team is assigned to the work, and the project is well governed with appropriate budget, schedule and risk oversight. They are seeking a Senior Advisor to provide advice and support on a variety of topics related to policy development, the practice of sponsorship and government relations.

#### **Job Opportunities**

#### Advisor, Early Years and Child Care Policy - Region of Peel

Reporting to the Manager, Early Years and Child Care Services, the Advisor is responsible for leading the development of accountability frameworks and implement policies and strategies for new and existing funding and policy initiatives including legislative and regulatory changes, increased budgetary responsibilities and accountabilities, and increased requirements for integrated/broader early years system planning. This role will directly support system planning and Service System Manager responsibilities for the delivery of Special Needs Resourcing supports in licensed child care settings through the Peel Inclusion Resources Services (PIRS) model.

#### Senior Economist - Ministry of Health and Long-term Care

Two contract positions working on analysis and the development of policy options in the Ministry's Drugs and Devices division.

#### As a Senior Economist, you will:

- provide leadership and economic and financial expertise in the analysis, development and assessment of product listing proposals and negotiation strategies and mandates specific to drugs and therapeutics
- lead data collection and monitoring of product listing agreements
- plan, lead, and/or conduct economic and financial studies to quantify and evaluate factors and issues affecting provincial drug programs
- develop and present viable policy/program options and recommendations
- contribute to the development and assessment of strategic directions, policy and program options, and annual fiscal planning
- provide forecasting expertise to support transfer payment budget requirements

#### Associate roles, vaccines (remote opportunities) - Clinton Health Access Initiative

Opportunities on vaccines and vaccine cold chain equipment in the Clinton Health Access Initiative, a global non-profit.



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