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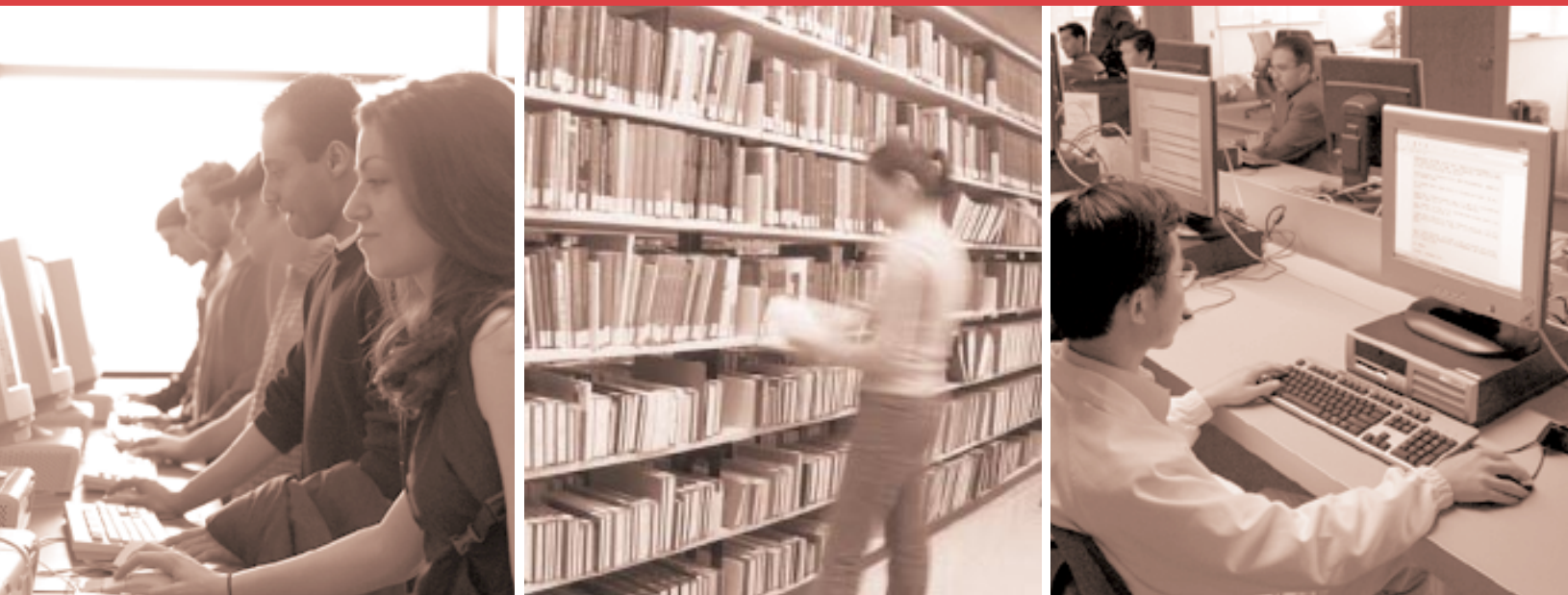
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As Canada's population continues to grow in size and diversity, so too does the complexity of its needs. In response, governments at all levels are continually transforming their policies and programs to better serve Canadians. The need for innovation and skilled leadership in the public service has never been greater. If you're considering a career in government or the non profit sector, consider starting it at York. No other set of university-based public policy, administration and management programs better prepares you for the diverse and exciting world of opportunity that awaits you.



Alors que la population canadienne continue de croître et de se diversifier, ses besoins deviennent plus complexes. Tous les échelons de gouvernement modifient donc continuellement leurs politiques et leurs programmes pour mieux servir les Canadiens. Le besoin d'innovation et de responsables qualifiés dans la fonction publique n'a jamais été aussi important. Si vous envisagez de travailler dans la fonction publique ou dans des organismes sans but lucratif, songez à débiter votre carrière à York. Grâce à plusieurs programmes d'études universitaires en politique publique, administration et gestion publiques, York vous offre la meilleure formation possible en vue d'accéder à un très grand nombre de carrières passionnantes.



PUBLIC POLICY AND ADMINISTRATION STUDIES AT YORK

Deciding on a new career path or looking to advance in your current career, your undergraduate studies at York will provide you with strong multi-disciplinary skills essential to your success.

YORK WHERE THE DIFFERENCE BEGINS

York has made a University-wide commitment to providing students with an exceptional education in public policy, administration and management, offering five top-ranked undergraduate programs across three Faculties. Each Faculty – Arts and Atkinson at the Keele campus and Glendon with its beautiful mid-town campus – offers a unique educational and cultural experience.

A York education is innovative and interdisciplinary. We offer a variety of degree and certificate programs in public policy and administration so that you can design a unique path of study to fit your career goals. You will learn in an atmosphere of discovery and self-expression that encourages you to explore your diverse interests, free from convention and traditional expectations.

York's vibrant Keele campus offers first-class facilities, a wide range of extracurricular activities, and the most diverse student population in Canada. While you have access to all that York has to offer, you also become part of a smaller close-knit Faculty of professors and students who make life at York personal and supportive.

McLaughlin College, the public policy college at York, provides support to students of all Faculties and hosts special lectures, seminars and symposia on a variety of policy subjects each term. An active Faculty-wide student club – the Public Policy and Administration Students' Association (PPASA) – offers additional support, guidance and a forum for discussion.

CHOOSING TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE

You won't find another employment sector that contributes as much to as many areas of Canadian society as the public service. The federal government alone employs more than 150,000 employees in 75 organizations at 1,000 different locations.

From policy makers to systems managers, public sector employees make meaningful contributions to the lives of Canadians every day. Your employment options within local, national and international agencies are as varied and rewarding as any private sector career, and your opportunities for advancement are unparalleled.

York is committed to educating Canada's future public sector leaders, offering the most extensive set of public administration, public policy and public law offerings in the Greater Toronto Area. We make a difference... so that you can make a difference.

DEFINING YOUR OPTIONS

Public policy, administration and management deals with the theory and practice of government. As a course of study, it examines the way in which public sector entities are organized and managed, and how public policy impacts the design of government programs.

Your studies at York will provide you with professional training in various aspects of public sector management in Canada including human resources management, public policy planning and evaluation, economics, statistics, public law, public finance, program evaluation and public administration.

The critical thinking and analytical skills you gain at York will give you a solid grounding for leadership in the public sector, as well as in the private and non profit sectors where there is a growing need for an understanding of government relations.



"York's Public Policy and Administration program gave me an edge in an increasingly competitive job market. It's more than a degree – it's a passport to a successful career in the public sector. Since graduating from the program, I have worked at senior level positions within the federal and provincial governments, in the broader public sector and as Chief of Staff to a Cabinet Minister. The PPA program at York provides the most relevant education and training of its kind in Canada."

PETER P. CONSTANTINOU

*Director of Government Relations, Seneca College,
Graduate of Public Policy and Administration program,
Class of 1989.*

"...A strong asset of the program is the internship opportunity. Here students are able to directly link their current studies within a professional setting. Students are encouraged to engage in independent research and provide a hands-on solution to some of Canada's leading policy concerns. The strength and quality of this program really puts it in a class of its own."

DINA MAHDI
Third-Year Student,
Specialized Honours B.A.,
Public Policy and Administration program



YOUR FACULTY OPTIONS

Whether you're embarking on a new career or building advanced leadership skills in your chosen field, York provides you with a number of options to fit your professional goals and scheduling needs. You can learn more about each of them at www.yorku.ca/pubadmin.



FACULTY OF ARTS

The Public Policy and Administration program in the Faculty of Arts is the most comprehensive of its kind in the Greater Toronto Area. As part of a broad and liberal education, this **Specialized Honours BA Program** provides you with the knowledge and skills essential to a successful career in the public sector.

Many of our graduates go on to rewarding careers as government researchers, policy analysts and advisors, program coordinators or administrators. A significant number continue to law school or pursue graduate studies.

A demanding course of study includes courses in Canadian government, economics, statistics, public law, public administration, public finance and program evaluation. You will take part in conferences and seminars on public policy, administration and law with the guidance of professors who are leaders in their fields.

In your third or fourth year, you will also have an opportunity to gain practical experience through a government internship or field placement.

As part of a small undergraduate class, you will have a chance to develop close friendships with other students - individuals drawn from Canada's largest and most diverse liberal arts undergraduate student body, who bring very different life experiences and perspectives to the classroom.

TAKE IT FURTHER

For those looking to take on a greater leadership role in public policy and administration, York currently offers two graduate degrees including a Master of Public Administration program that is unique in Canada for its combination of public and business administration offerings as well as an MBA with a specialization in Public Management and two graduate diplomas.

Contact the Faculty of Graduate Studies for more information at 416-736-5000, or call 416-736-5060 for specific information about Schulich's two degree programs and 416-736-5128 concerning the two diplomas.



"The PPA program was a large factor in my choosing a career in public service. Upper year seminar courses helped me to develop sound writing skills, critical thinking skills and the ability to communicate ideas effectively. These skills are directly relevant to my current policy research responsibilities in the Ontario Public Service where there are a multitude of issues to be tackled including economic development, e-government, labour market agreements, maintaining safe communities and heritage sites to name a few. My experiences at York prepared me for a fulfilling profession in a complex and challenging world."

GIANOULA TOUTOULIS

Senior Policy Analyst,
Ministry of Education (Policy and Programs Branch),
Graduate of Public Policy and Administration program,
Class of 2000

ATKINSON FACULTY OF LIBERAL & PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

Atkinson's integrated and interdisciplinary approach to education makes it easy for you to follow a path of study that targets your specific career goals. Flexible scheduling lets you choose how, when and where you study - in-class, online or by correspondence - either full-time, or part-time while you continue to work or take courses in another Faculty.

Our two degree programs and Certificate Program in Public Sector Management combine focused professional studies with the development of the broader critical, analytical and communication skills you need to succeed.

Atkinson's **BA (Combined Honours), Public Administration and Management** program is ideal for developing leadership skills in management and public policy. Offered jointly by our Schools of Administrative Studies and Social Sciences, your studies will cover a wide-range of subjects including financial management, organizational behaviour and human resources, quantitative methods, public policy, political science, and public administration. Students who develop an interest in a specific area of public service can choose to transfer into Atkinson's Social Work or Health Policy and Management programs.

For those interested in pursuing a career in law, law enforcement, corrections, emergency response services or any front line operation, Atkinson offers a **BA, Liberal Studies, Public Service Studies** program, designed to develop advanced management, operational and policy skills.

Our **Professional Certificate in Public Sector Management** equips professionals with the specific skills and knowledge needed to take on a greater leadership role in the public sector, with studies in human resources management, financial management, politics and law, and public administration.

For more information visit www.atkinson.yorku.ca

GLENDON CAMPUS CAMPUS GLENDON

Glendon's unique language immersion experience is ideally suited to public administration studies. With training in both English and French, and a government internship option, students completing Glendon's **Bilingual Certificate in Public Administration and Public Policy** program gain a definite competitive edge in Canada's public service job market.

Open to all York students concurrently pursuing an undergraduate degree, the program provides a solid foundation in economics, political science, and qualitative and quantitative methods. Courses centre on important recurring themes in public policy and administration as well as emerging trends and debates. You can choose to complement your core studies with optional courses in international relations, political leadership, women's studies, and more.

Regular visits from high-profile guest speakers round out the educational experience. Recent guests include Adrienne Clarkson, Jean Charest, David Collenette and Kim Campbell.

Glendon's beautiful mid-town campus, with over 85 acres of parkland, provides an inspiring setting for study. You will participate in small classes that allow you to get to know your classmates and professors and receive individual attention. When you feel like joining the excitement and diversity that a large university has to offer, a free intercampus shuttle quickly connects you to York's busy Keele campus.

For more information visit www.glendon.yorku.ca

L'expérience unique d'immersion linguistique offerte à Glendon complète parfaitement des études en administration publique. Grâce à des cours en français et en anglais, et à un stage optionnel dans la fonction publique, les titulaires du **Certificat bilingue en administration publique et politique publique** de Glendon sont avantagés pour trouver un emploi dans la fonction publique canadienne.

Ouvert à tous les étudiants de York qui préparent en parallèle un diplôme de premier cycle, le programme de certificat fournit de solides bases en économie, science politique, et méthodes qualitatives et quantitatives. Les cours couvrent les grands thèmes de la politique publique et de l'administration publique ainsi que les nouvelles questions et tendances. Les étudiants peuvent compléter leur programme de base par des cours optionnels sur les relations internationales, le leadership politique, les études des femmes ou d'autres sujets.

Des visites régulières d'éminents conférenciers complètent la formation. Ainsi, Glendon a récemment reçu Adrienne Clarkson, Jean Charest, David Collenette et Kim Campbell.

Le magnifique campus de Glendon situé dans un parc de plus de 85 acres, au cœur de Toronto, est un cadre idéal pour les études. Grâce aux petites classes, les étudiants connaissent bien leurs professeurs et leurs camarades étudiants, et reçoivent une attention individuelle. Un service gratuit de navette inter-campus permet de rejoindre rapidement Keele, le grand campus animé et cosmopolite de York.

Pour plus d'informations, veuillez visiter www.glendon.yorku.ca



"Atkinson's interdisciplinary approach to public administration and management ensures that students gain vital knowledge about management, leadership and policy analysis, while also developing critical, analytical and communication skills. This combination prepares our graduates for challenging and rewarding careers in government, industry and the non profit sector."

PROFESSOR SAEED RAHNEMA
Political Science Coordinator,
Atkinson Faculty



"Glendon provides a unique preparation for a career in public service. It offers the perfect opportunity for developing a capacity in both official languages. Moreover, public affairs are central to Glendon's founding mission. As a result, many Glendon graduates have become important public leaders."

« Glendon offre une formation unique en vue d'une carrière dans la fonction publique, et la possibilité d'acquérir des compétences dans les deux langues officielles. De plus, les affaires publiques sont au cœur du mandat de Glendon. De nombreux diplômés de Glendon sont devenus de hauts responsables de la vie publique. »

PROFESSOR/PROFESSEUR KENNETH MCROBERTS
Principal,
Glendon Campus/Campus Glendon

CHOOSE YOUR DIRECTION

PROGRAM AREA	FACULTY	DEGREE TYPE
PUBLIC POLICY & ADMINISTRATION	ARTS, DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE, KEELE CAMPUS	SPECIALIZED HONOURS BA WITH INTERNSHIP OPTION
LIBERAL STUDIES, PUBLIC SERVICES STUDIES PROGRAM	ATKINSON FACULTY OF LIBERAL AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES, KEELE CAMPUS	BACHELOR OF ARTS
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT	ATKINSON FACULTY OF LIBERAL AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES, KEELE CAMPUS	COMBINED BA HONOURS
CERTIFICATE IN PUBLIC SECTOR MANAGEMENT	OFFERED THROUGH THE ATKINSON FACULTY, OPEN TO ALL YORK UNIVERSITY STUDENTS, KEELE CAMPUS	CERTIFICATE PROGRAM
BILINGUAL CERTIFICATE IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND PUBLIC POLICY CERTIFICAT BILINGUE EN ADMINISTRATION PUBLIQUE ET POLITIQUE PUBLIQUE	OFFERED THROUGH GLENDON CAMPUS, OPEN TO ALL YORK UNIVERSITY STUDENTS OFFERT PAR L'INTERMÉDIAIRE DE GLENDON; OUVERT À TOUS LES ÉTUDIANTS DE L'UNIVERSITÉ YORK	CERTIFICATE PROGRAM WITH INTERNSHIP OPTION PROGRAMME DE CERTIFICAT AVEC STAGE OPTIONNEL

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