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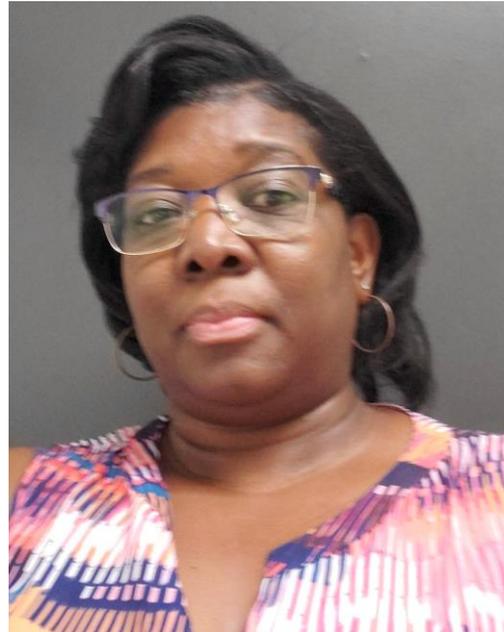
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MPPAL students contribute new articles to the Millennial Outlook series in the Canadian Government Executive magazine

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HEALTH



Professor John Wilkins also contributed with his article titled *Respect Setting, Context and Culture*.
Read full articles in [Canadian Government Executive - Volume 27 - Issue 05](#)



The PPASA and GSAPPAL Present
Professional Development Workshops



Part 1: A Virtual Resume Building Event

December 16, 2021 from 6:00pm – 9:00pm

Get your resumes ready for summer jobs, internships, and co-op programs!

- Featuring an info session by the Ontario Legislature Internship Programme
- Network with professionals and have a chance to win prizes

RSVP through the link:

<https://tinyurl.com/PDWrsvp1>

Part 2: A Virtual Interview Workshop

January 27, 2022 from 6:00pm -9:00pm

RSVP through the link:

<https://tinyurl.com/PDWrsvp2>

Featuring Guest Speakers:

Alif Huq, Sarah Jende, Sarah Afriyie
Khushbu Dhaliwal, Jenning Cheung, Khadeja Elsibai



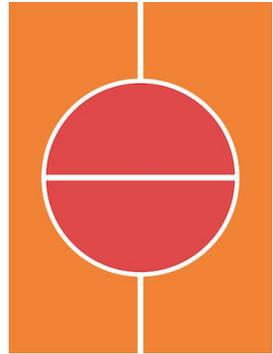
McLaughlin College Event

McLaughlin College International Lecture Presented by Hilkka C. Becker

The UNHCR and the Enforcement of Refugee Protection before International Courts: Amicus and Third-Party Submissions before the ECtHR

Hosted by the Office of the College Head and Human Rights Watch (HRW).

Tuesday, December 7, 2021 from 12:30pm to 1:30pm [via Zoom](#)



This presentation will outline the potential wider application of UNHCR's amicus role in refugee cases before international courts. Using the jurisprudence of the European Court of Human Rights (ECtHR), as the prime example, it will explore the impact of the UNHCR's interventions on the evolution and development of international refugee law in Europe and conclude with the assessment of the use of strategic litigation by the UNHCR in fulfilling its supervisory role in the advancement of refugee protection.



HILKKA C. BECKER is the Chairperson of the International Protection Appeals Tribunal since April 2017. She was previously a Deputy Chairperson of the Tribunal and served as a parttime Member of the Refugee Appeals Tribunal from 2013 to 2016. Hilkka is a lawyer with over 20 years professional experience specialising in asylum, migration and human rights law. She also holds an Advanced Diploma in Data Protection Law from The Honorable Society of King's Inns (2021) and a Post-Graduate Diploma in Employment Law from University College Dublin (2004). She is registered to practise in Germany since 1998 and is a practising solicitor in Ireland since 2003. She has acted in immigration, EU free movement, refugee and citizenship law before the superior courts in Ireland as well as before the European Court of Human Rights and the Court of Justice of the European Union. Hilkka is an experienced trainer and public speaker and teaches at the Law Society of Ireland. She is an active member of the International Association of Refugee and Migration Judges (IARMJ) and of the Justice and Home Affairs Group and of the Germany Group of the Institute of International and European Affairs (IIEA); she is a Fellow of McLaughlin College at York University, Toronto, and with the Common Purpose Meridian Programme for Senior Leaders alumni 2018.

Business & Leadership Essential Certificate Program

In partnership with the [Black Creek Community Health Centre](#), [York University TD Community Engagement Centre](#), and the [Schulich Executive Education Centre](#) have launched the **Business & Leadership Essential Certificate Program**.

This is a **FREE 2-month virtual program** designed for early-in-career Black professionals, employees, career changers, business leaders, and entrepreneurs looking to quickly develop their business skills from top professors.

No prior university or college credentials are required. [Click here to see the landing page and more details are in the FAQ section at the bottom of the site.](#)

Application deadline is December 31st , 2021

Here is a direct link to the [application form](#)

York University's Career Education and Development December Workshops

As we near the end of the year, take time to reflect on your career goals! Access the supports Career Education & Development offers York students and recent graduates and get ready to connect with employers in the New Year.

Attend the Virtual Winter Career Fair!

The [Virtual Career Fair Winter 2022](#) is on **January 20, 2022 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.**

Prepare to e-meet hiring managers and learn about the full-time, part-time, internship and summer 2022 career opportunities that are available to you.

[Register for the Virtual Winter Career Fair via the Experience York events calendar!**](#)**

Work for the Federal Government

Career Education & Development is thrilled to be partnering with the Government of Canada to host a Virtual Speed Hiring event on **February 23, 2022.**

Explore job opportunities prior to the event through the [Experience York job portal](#) and related co-op and internship offices between **December 6, 2021, and January 30, 2022.** Use the keyword "CSPS" in the job title search field to find qualifying opportunities.

Short-listed applicants will be invited to be interviewed during the Virtual Speed Hiring event, and successful candidates will be presented with conditional offers on the same day.

[To be invited to this event, apply to qualifying jobs before January 30, 2022.](#)

Virtual Career Lounge

If you need a resumé and cover letter review, help refining your LinkedIn profile or have career related questions, visit the virtual lounge! The Career Lounge will close for the Fall term on December 3, 2021 and will reopen on January 10, 2022.

[Director of Policy and Community Action - Community Food Centres of Canada](#)

As their first Director of Policy and Community Action you will be tasked with shaping and steering new ideas. You will lead the Policy and Community Action team, working to drive policy change at the federal level, build buy-in with decision makers for smart policy proposals, elevate public understanding, and ground policy conversations in lived experience.

[Regional Director, Government Relations \(ON\) - Canadian Credit Union Association](#)

The Regional Director – Government Relations, Ontario - provides government relations and advocacy services for Ontario credit unions in the form of government relations strategy development, stakeholder relations, policy analysis, research, consultation participation, event planning and other duties as required by the Vice President – Government Relations.

[Senior Manager, National Policy and Government Relations - Takeda Pharmaceuticals](#)

The senior manager will establish trusting, collaborative relationships with key decision makers and influencers of national policies. She/he will serve as a lobbyist at the federal level on specific Takeda issues, and act as company liaison in federal government offices as well as with other federally-based decision makers.

[Government Affairs Manager - Magnet Forensics](#)

The Corporate Affairs team is focused on building and maintaining Magnet's reputation as a global leader in digital investigation solutions committed to helping our customers in the public and private sector combat the crimes of today, such as human trafficking, child exploitation, fraud, ransomware and phishing. Further, the team plays a cross-functional support role to ensure the company achieves its strategic objectives related to marketing, sales, operations, product management and R+D.

[Associate - Springboard Policy](#)

In this role, you will help large and small organizations shape the public policy issues that matter to them. As an Associate, you will be a key contributor to projects, exercising a full public policy skillset, including research and writing, developing policy options and analysis, strategic positioning, briefing and policy communications, and monitoring policy developments.

[Director of Public Affairs and Communications – Blueprint](#)

Blueprint is looking for a public affairs leader to help them advance solutions to complex problems. As their first Director of Public Affairs and Communications, you will help Blueprint improve policy and program innovation and outcomes, bringing a new approach to building and using evidence.

[Government Relations and Policy Internship \(Summer 2022\) – Tesla](#)

This internship will provide opportunities to work with the North American Public Policy & Government Relations team on policy and business development, market analysis, and strategic engagement. The incumbent will have the opportunity to learn and grow, working across the team to support its full range of efforts, with a particular focus on renewable energy policy.

[Senior Trade Policy Advisor - C.H. Robinson](#)

The responsibilities of the Senior Trade Policy Advisor include but are not limited to the following areas: researching public policy issues and analyzing the impact of policies on organizational projects, programs, or interests, development of new technology/tools/services, development of key internal metrics.

[VP Research – IRPP](#)

Reporting to the President & CEO, you will lead and support the development of the IRPP's overall research agenda and strategy. With a commitment to mentorship, collaboration, and inclusion, you will lead a talented team of researchers. You will ensure that research published by the IRPP meets the highest standards of quality and rigorous methodological approach, incorporating diverse voices and perspectives on public policy.

[Research Assistant \(4 positions!\) - Centre for Equality Rights in Accommodation \(CERA\)](#)

CERA is currently recruiting four Research Assistants, funded by the Canada Summer Jobs program. This is a 7-week full-time (40 hours/week) contract position, from January 10, 2022–February 25, 2022. The ideal candidates would have knowledge of the rental housing market and discrimination, would have experience working in a collaborative and professional work environment and bring strong research, communications, time management and problem-solving skills to the position.

[Coordinator, Toronto South Local Immigration Partnership - The Neighbourhood Group](#)

The position will support and promote community mobilization on social issues, as well as support community-based, action-oriented research on a variety of social issues involving the settlement of newcomers. Other responsibilities include analyzing public policy as it affects newcomers to Canada, facilitating meetings, as well as planning, designing, implementing, evaluating and coordinating LIP engagement with member agencies and community and government partners.

[Manager, Government Relations - Loblaws Companies](#)

Reporting to the Vice President, Government Relations and Corporate Social Responsibility, you will have a continual focus on finding strategic alignment between business objectives, government programs and other trends. The Manager, Government Relations will have the opportunity to work with diverse and dynamic issues on a daily basis.

[Research and Policy Officer - Feed Ontario](#)

Under the direct supervision and with support of the Director, Network & Government Relations, the Research & Policy Officer will support Feed Ontario's research and advocacy work by researching the primary drivers of food bank use and analyzing public policy to develop reports and recommendations that drive change.

[Policy Advisor - CIHR Institute of Population and Public Health](#)

The successful applicant will develop and organize consultations and meetings, prepare analyses and briefing materials and collaboratively develop strategic funding and knowledge mobilization opportunities relevant for strengthening Canada's public health systems.

[Policy roles \(various\) - Office of the Minister of Canadian Heritage](#)

The Office of the Minister of Canadian Heritage (The Hon. Pablo Rodriguez) is recruiting for multiple roles as they staff their office.

[Consultant, Policy, Planning and Projects - City of Toronto](#)

The Consultant, Policy Planning & Projects CS (Consultant to the General Manager) will provide senior level strategic advice to the General Manager, Children's Services and senior management team, represent the General Manager on Divisional, cluster and corporate initiatives and projects.

[Labour Market Economist – RBC](#)

Your role is to develop insights and help drive the public conversation around changes in labour markets and skills demand, including how employees, employers, educational institutions, and governments should be prepared to respond.

[Manager, Government and Stakeholder Relations - CAA Club Group](#)

In this role you will: lead, coach and develop a team of government relations associates to deliver plans, programs and meet department strategic objectives, drive government relations and lobbying at provincial and municipal levels, be responsible for issues monitoring and management; and develop and oversee execution of strategic government relations and stakeholder relations plans and programing (provincial and municipal).

[National Government Relations and Advocacy Officer - Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation](#)

In this role, you would be responsible for supporting the execution of JDRF's government relations and advocacy plan, both at the federal and provincial level, to secure and leverage government funding for type 1 diabetes (T1D) research and to expand provincial coverage of T1D devices and treatment.

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[Director, Public Affairs - WoodGreen Community Services](#)

In a brand new role, the Director will represent WoodGreen at key table and coalitions, foster new relationships with key stakeholders and generally develop and implement strategies for the organization's public affairs objectives. This is a great role for someone who has a breadth of knowledge across varying policy areas related to poverty reduction. The ideal candidate is a great communicator, friend maker and problem solver.

[Managing Director - The Prosperity Project](#)

The Managing Director is the person who sees all the pieces and how they work together and manages them. They are seeking an individual with a demonstrated passion for gender equality and inclusion who has an interest in research, to manage the Annual Report Card (ARC) and Canadian Households' Perspective (CHP) research initiatives.



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[Director, Policy and Data - Condominium Authority of Ontario](#)

This includes submissions to government regarding the legislative and regulatory environment for the condominium sector in Ontario, policy analysis in response to legislation and regulations specific to the CAO's operations and accountability obligations, and the development, implementation, and management of the CAO's data strategy, including data operations, policies, processes, systems, quality controls and standards.

[Health Policy Analyst - Canadian Cancer Society](#)

Reporting to the Senior Manager, Health Policy, this position is a member of the Cancer Information and Policy Department and is responsible for the analysis, development and communication of evidence-informed health policy on cancer control issues, such as prevention, access to treatment and care and improving quality of life for Canadians living with cancer and their caregivers.

[Senior Manager – Metrolinx](#)

This role will provide strategic leadership, subject matter expertise, and management oversight to improve coordination and decision-making through the implementation of governance mechanisms, and project management approaches. This role also leads the development, analysis and delivery of KPI reporting and business improvement initiatives across Capital Projects Group (CPG).

[Policy Advisor – The Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario \(AGCO\)](#)

The Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario (AGCO) requires a Planning and Policy Advisor to provide operational and analytical support for highly complex and strategic planning, policy, and program design activities. The incumbent will perform critical work in supporting the development, analysis and implementation of policies, processes and other mechanisms required to effectively undertake corporate and strategic policy and planning activities in support of the AGCO's regulated businesses and the government's agenda for the alcohol, gaming, cannabis and horse racing sectors in Ontario.

[Young Associates Programme - OECD](#)

As a Young Associate, you will work closely with a senior manager in tackling some of the most challenging social and economic issues of today. Your day-to-day work may involve background research, drafting, liaising with partners internally and externally, and helping organise events ranging from policy forums to Ministerial conferences. Throughout your work programme, the focus will be on developing the professional competences and research expertise to be able to succeed in highly competitive applications for graduate schools.