

School of Public Policy and Administration

NEWSLETTER

February 2023 – Volume 11, Issue 6

The SPPA community welcomes Professor Dagne, Ontario Research Chair, to our School!



Recognized for his work on intellectual property and technology governance, Dr. Teshager (Tesh) Dagne will join the School of Public Policy and Administration as Ontario Research Chair in Governing Artificial Intelligence and Associate Professor in May. Professor Dagne's research focuses on intellectual property in a development context and technology governance concerns in artificial intelligence with a focus on data governance. He is co-author of the leading intellectual property law casebook widely used in Canadian law schools (*Canadian Intellectual Property Law: Cases and Materials 3rd edition* (Emond, 2022)). His book, *Intellectual Property and Traditional Knowledge in the Global Economy*, provides an in-depth legal, conceptual, and theoretical analysis of the use of intellectual property in the form of geographical indications law to support traditional knowledge-based development. His most recent work examines the intersections between Canadian intellectual property law and emerging technologies, exploring the challenges of big data governance that digitalization and the application of advanced technologies such as artificial intelligence, the Internet of Things, and related technologies bring.

Professor Dagne has taught at Thompson Rivers University Faculty of Law since 2012. He has also taught as Visiting Professor at Salmon P. Chase College of Law and as Schulich Research Fellow and Adjunct Professor at the Schulich School of Law, Dalhousie University and was also Visiting Scholar at the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law in Vienna. He won numerous scholarships and awards as a graduate student at Dalhousie University and the University of Calgary, while working at the Canadian Institute of Resources Law at the University of Calgary and the Law and Technology Institute at Dalhousie University. Professor Dagne graduated from the University of Calgary with an LL.M. and earned his Doctoral degree from Dalhousie University, after completing his LL.B. from Addis Ababa University.

Congratulations to MPPAL student Cvitan Brkic

for joining the City of Toronto as Trainer, Business Process in the Pension, Payroll and Employee Benefits Division in the Business Services area



I started my 1st year in the MPPAL program in the Fall of 2022 while working in the private sector. Two years ago, I decided to step away from the public service working for a federal Crown Corporation, but I planned to one day return.

I started the process to apply back to the public sector in November 2022. It was because of the MPPAL program that in February 2023, I obtained the position with the City of Toronto as Trainer, Business Process in the Pension, Payroll and Employee Benefits Division in the Business Services area. I will be starting my position at the end of March 2023.

I am excited and honored to join the City of Toronto and to continue making MPPAL proud.

My advice for anyone wanting to join the Public Service is “Never give up”. Make the most of the opportunities whether working in a co-op or in the private sector. The experience that you gain is endless.

To find out more about the Masters in Public Policy, Administration and Law degree, please [click here](#) and check-out our student testimonials [here](#)!

Meet some of our SPPA Undergrads!

To read more about our students, their SPPA journeys, and submit your own profile please [click here!](#)

Matthew Ko

Fourth-Year Bachelor of Public Administration



Apart from my academic pursuits, becoming active in student clubs like the Public Policy and Administration Student Association (PPASA) as an executive member provided me with a positive university life experience. PPASA and the SPPA community often hold networking and professional development events for students to socialize and engage with professors and working alumni in the public sector. Through PPASA, I was able to create meaningful connections and build friendships with some of my classmates and support each other through good times and bad.

Tharune Rajasekaran

Third-Year Bachelor of Public Administration



The program has many opportunities for networking and great professors who enhance my educational experience at YorkU.



Ali Adam

Second-Year Bachelor of Public Administration;
Law, Justice and Policy stream



Though seeming like your average communications (PPAS 2195) course, the course content is tailored to helping students prepare themselves for their careers. The instructors geared the weekly lessons with great tips, tricks and advice for what is necessary to be a successful professional in the 21st century. Moreover, course assignments were utilized as a means of helping students assemble an array of tools for their futures such as an effective elevator pitch, writing briefing notes, resumes and cover letters.

Want to hear more from other students? Connect with us on the SPPA Student Association [LinkTree/PPASA](#)

Nominations for IPAC Awards in Public Administration Excellence Now Open!

We're proud to announce the launch of the nomination process for the [IPAC Awards](#). These awards recognize excellence in public administration across Canada. IPAC seeks to identify individuals whose work exemplifies the very best in public service among Canadian jurisdictions.

The Institute of Public Administration of Canada (IPAC) awards recognize excellence in public service and public administration across Canada. In IPAC's 75th anniversary year, the organization seeks to identify individuals whose work exemplifies the very best in public service across Canada.



For reference on the rules and regulations of the IPAC Awards, please [click here](#).

The deadline for nominations is **March 31, 2023, at 11:59 p.m. EDT.**

The awards will be conferred at **IPAC's 76th annual conference** in Ottawa from September 13-15, 2023.

Please [click here](#) to read more about the IPAC Awards and nominations.

Student Opportunities:

Call for Papers! - FCAC National Student Paper Competition

The National Student Paper Competition is now open for submissions!

Undergraduate and graduate students are invited to submit research papers proposing actionable, evidence-based solutions to current financial challenges facing consumers. The authors of the top and runner-up papers will have their **work published by the Government of Canada** and will be invited to **share their research findings** with members of the financial literacy and consumer protection communities!

Submit your paper here: [Building Better Financial Futures Challenge – Research Paper Submission Form](#) – Deadline to submit is **April 30, 2023**.

Invitation to participate: Politics4Future

We are inviting York University students to participate in an online pilot on **Politics4Future** with partners (mostly UNESCO Chairs) from Costa Rica, Greece, and Germany. We are looking how to support young teacher/community activist voices to embed education for **sustainable development and global citizenship** into their teaching while studying in international cohorts. This is a six-weeks online course with synchronous and asynchronous modules. It is an opportunity to **study together with students from 5 countries on 3 continents** and receive a joint certificate from all universities upon completion.

If you have any questions, please reach out to the UNESCO Chair at unescochair@edu.yorku.ca.

Hiring Bilingual Research Assistant, Compensation: \$45/hour

Dr. Shirin Shahrokni is seeking a research assistant to join an ongoing research project.

The Research Assistant will work approximately 8-10 hours per week for one year from **May 2023 to May 2024**. Some weeks may require more or less hours. This research has two sets of objectives. First, it investigates Canada's migration politics vis-à-vis francophone migrants outside Quebec, looking into the differentiated migration programs, promotional campaigns, and recruitment strategies available to candidates to migration, across various francophone countries and regions. Second, it documents the experiences and trajectories of francophone migrants in Toronto, the first destination of Canada's French-speaking migrants outside Quebec, through intersectional and critical race perspectives.

To Apply: Please send your cover letter and resume/CV to Dr. Shirin Shahrokni at shirin.shahrokni@gmail.com with the subject line "Student RA Position for SSHRC IDG" and CC cfr-coor@yorku.ca - **Applications due March 31, 2023**.

Canadian Federation of Independent Business: 2023 internship program

Looking for Small Business Public Policy and Advocacy Interns!

Are you a problem solver? Do you want to work for an organization that believes in people's potential? Check out the various internship positions available at the CFIB. Recent graduates (2022 or 2023) of relevant post-secondary education are encouraged to apply. Preference will be given to those students located in the specified cities/regions (above) and are able to complete the internship without interruptions.

Student Opportunities:

[Vaughan Recreation: Virtual hiring events for summer camp counsellors](#)

Get paid to be a leader, role model and (super)hero!

We're looking for people to mentor children and youth at [Vaughan summer camps](#). Summer camps are located across the city at community centers, heritage homes, green spaces, the City Playhouse Theatre and the new Vaughan Studios & Event Space. Camps run **for one- or two-week sessions**, starting **Tuesday, July 4 to Friday, September 1**. Full attendance at pre-camp training is required. To be considered for a position as a summer camp specialist or counsellor, register for an upcoming virtual hiring event at vaughan.perfectmind.com.

Qualified candidates will be contacted to book an interview time on **Saturday, March 18 from 9am to 5pm**.

Deadline to register: Friday, March 10. [Click here](#) to register.

If you require assistance registering, call Service Vaughan at 905-832-2281 or email RecCSD@vaughan.ca. We accept job applications on an on-going basis. Email your resume and job application to RecJobs@vaughan.ca.

Events and Conferences:

[Register for Virtual St. John's KnowledgeNet - Ransomware Rises: Practical techniques to reduce risk](#)

Virtual Event on February 23, 2023, 12:30pm to 2:30pm NST

Join the St. John's KnowledgeNet Chapter for an interactive presentation featuring Aron Feuer, a former hacker, and Sukhpreet Singh, a privacy wonk from the federal Treasury Board Secretariat. This session employs a hypothetical case study that will explore the unfortunate story of a smaller public sector health organization that suffers a serious ransomware attack. Attendees will review their practices, find the gaps and offer practical solutions and techniques to reduce risk. Checklists and a control placemat designed for small organizations to evaluate their programs will be provided. Attendees will have the opportunity to discuss concerns faced at their organizations and solutions they've developed to improve privacy maturity. Participation is highly encouraged!

This meeting will be held virtually with **no in person component and will not be recorded**. Instructions on how to view this webinar will be sent to registrants upon registration and 1-2 days prior to the meeting. If registration is closed or you have any questions, please email knowledgenet@iapp.org

Free, but limited attendance and registration is required.

[Click here](#) to register and read more about the event.

Events and Conferences:

18th Annual IPAC Leadership Summit – Ambiguity meet clarity: How to Lead a Successful Transformation

Virtual conference on March 2, 2023, from 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. EST

IPACs National Leadership Conference aims to provide leaders, practitioners, and academics working in public sector environments with the opportunity to connect with leading experts who successfully tackled disruption and change. **Public sector organizations are becoming more digitally advanced and customer-centric, so transformation is on the leadership agenda.** But transformation is not easy – it requires careful planning, strong stakeholder alignment, fit-for-purpose governance, and a suitable transformation lead. Drawing on their experience leading successful – and not-so-successful – transformations, our panelists will explore what skills they want in a transformation lead, how a leader’s focus should change across a transformation, when leaders should lean in or step back and who they should rely on when things go wrong.

Keynote Highlight

Join Canada’s 28th Governor General, **The Right Honourable David Johnston**, C.C. for an exploration on empathy and trust in public and private life, moderated by Mala Khanna, Associate Deputy Minister, Canadian Heritage.

Additional Session Highlights

Home Alone: Navigating the Perks and Challenges of Hybrid Work

Join Dr. Ellen Choi and moderator David Bulmer as they discuss the perks and challenges of the hybrid work environment, we are in. Working from the comfort of home offers significant benefits: unconstrained dress codes, bio-breaks in optimal environments, opportunities for uninterrupted work periods yielding greater productivity. Yet it is not all unalloyed good. This session explores the psychological risks of hybrid workplaces amid a broader context of social anxiety, social comparison, and disconnection. Reviewing what is happening in jurisdictions across the country and taking a practical, mindfulness-based approach, this session integrates recent research on hybrid workplaces with knowledge from ancient wisdom traditions and invites participants to reflect on the balance between alone time and loneliness, the challenges of managing "up" and "down", and adaptive, compassionate approaches to assuage FOMO (Fear of Missing Out) in oneself and others.

COP15/COP27 – From Commitments to Action

What are the positive signs of change emerging from COP27 that policymakers must heed to accelerate climate action in advance of COP28 next fall? Billed as the “Climate Implementation Summit”, COP27 in Sharm El-Sheikh, Egypt, did not fully seize the moment in transitioning climate commitments to meaningful action, but it made some headway. The energy transition must deliver immense changes: net-zero emissions, energy security, resilience, and affordability. This session will focus on hopeful signals and the importance of building on the outcomes of COP27 within the context of implementation, that is, accountability and integrity, and the importance of new models of collaboration ensuring the perspectives of the private sector, Indigenous groups, investors, civil society, youth, and vulnerable economies are fully considered as implementation begins.

Please [click here](#) to read more and register.

Events and Conferences:

[2023 John Eleen Annual Lecture in Global Labour](#)

Virtual event on Thursday, March 2, 2023, from 6:00p.m. – 7:30p.m. EST

Keynote address **by Dr. Lara Skinner** (Executive Director, Climate Jobs Institute, Cornell University)

Labour and the Climate Crisis: Developing a Worker- and Equity-Centered Clean Energy Economy

Respondent comments by **Marjorie Griffin Cohen** (Feminist Economist & Professor Emeritus, Simon Fraser University). Moderated by **Nathi Zamisa** (Graduate Student, Social and Political Thought, York University)

[Click here](#) to register.

[Register for Scrabble for Literacy's Hybrid event](#)

In support of United for Literacy – a national charitable literacy organization

Join Scrabble enthusiasts to play the classic word game, while making a difference in someone's life – one tile, one triple letter, and one triple word score at a time. Participants play in a tournament-based game on the one and only classic word game, Scrabble! It is the perfect event for you to help raise funds and awareness of low literacy in Canada.

A combination of Scrabble **online and in-person!** Players have the option of registering for the online tournament using the app, [Scrabble Go](#) and registering to play at the live in-person event hosted in Toronto. The highest scoring player from the online tournament and the highest scoring player from the in-person tournament will have a chance to play with **celebrity players**, and professional Scrabble ringers during our **live event on March 9, 2023**.

Registration closes on February 24.

[Five Good Ideas - building effective relationships](#)

Virtual Webinar on February 23, 2023, 01:00 PM EST

“We couldn't do it without you!” “Without strong partners, this couldn't be done.”

We use these phrases because they are at the heart of how we work for social change. Social change does not happen in a vacuum. Agapi Gessesse, Executive Director, CEE Centre for Black Young Professionals, will share her five good ideas on how community organizations, governments, and corporations can create ecosystems where everyone benefits from each other's work, and advances the social change that we all want to see. She will look at the roles that different actors play and how they can best contribute to a common goal.

Missed Five Good Ideas for values-driven digital transformation? In this Five Good Ideas session, Amy Sample Ward and Katie Gibson offered tangible advice on how we can better incorporate our missions and values in our engagement with technology. [Click here to watch the video.](#)

Further Reading:

[Five Good Ideas: Practical Strategies for Non-Profit Success](#): Collection of the great ideas from the first eight years of the Five Good Ideas series.

[You're It! Shared Wisdom for Successfully Leading Organizations](#): A mentorship in book form, the collected wisdom of **Alan Broadbent** and

Franca Gucciardi, two experienced CEOs.

Access Five Good Ideas [archives and list of upcoming sessions](#)

[Research Lead, Future of Canada Centre – Deloitte](#)

Reporting to the Director, you will shape and lead the development of several high-profile research projects, manage the FCC's team of researchers, including providing guidance and support on quantitative and qualitative research approaches and methodologies, manage the implementation of the FCC's research agenda, including the delivery of research projects and seeking feedback from the Director and senior leadership as necessary and work closely with the Director to develop priorities, and identify new areas for research.

[Policy and Communications Coordinator - YWCA Canada](#)

This position reports to the Director of Public Policy, Advocacy & Strategic Communications and works collaboratively with other staff on the team. The Policy & Communications Coordinator is responsible for supporting the National Office in carrying out policy, advocacy and strategic communications priorities and projects.

[Director Net-Zero Fuels](#) and [Director of Electrification](#) - Transition Accelerator

Reporting to the Vice President, the **Director of Net Zero Fuels** will lead the development and implementation of the Accelerator's net zero fuels strategy and direct and deepen the work of the Accelerator's ongoing net zero fuels initiatives, including the Edmonton Region Hydrogen HUB. This may include coordinating strategic frameworks alongside the work of governments and industry. Also reporting to the Vice President, the **Director of Electrification** will lead the development and implementation of the Accelerator's electrification strategy and lead ongoing electrification initiatives, including Electrifying Canada, which may include coordinating strategic frameworks alongside the work of governments and industry.

[Director, Government Affairs \(Ontario\) - Canadian Council of Innovators](#)

Reporting to the Vice President, Strategy and Advocacy, CCI's Ontario Director will work closely with the Ontario government to advance CCI's priorities and will work to ensure the government's policies, regulations, and legislation reflect the needs of our members. CCI's Ontario Director will be responsible for increasing the visibility of CCI in Ontario, identifying opportunities for collaboration and dialogue between CCI's members and the Government of Ontario, cultivating and managing relationships with government officials, media, and stakeholder groups, and working to achieve CCI's provincial advocacy priorities.

[Advocacy and Policy Advisor - National Aboriginal Council of Midwives](#)

The Advocacy & Policy Advisor is responsible for the development and implementation of a values aligned advocacy strategy, policy, and stakeholder engagement plan to advance the policy priorities of NACM. The Advisor provides subject matter expertise to secure Federal funding for Indigenous midwifery and supports the development of evidence-based recommendations and strategic actions based on contextual, historical and practitioner knowledges.

[Power Reactor Site Inspector - Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission](#)

As an Inspector, the decisions you make directly impact the health and safety of Canadians, and you never lose sight of this responsibility. You are engaged, enthusiastic, and you communicate effectively and respectfully with stakeholders both inside and outside the organization. You are adept at analyzing situations, and you understand being a great inspector goes beyond compliance. These qualities contribute to your success, whether working independently or as part of a diverse technical team.

[Management Consultant \(3 positions\)- City of Toronto](#)

As a client-driven Management Consultant, you'll be expected to support a portfolio of diverse City programs and initiatives to achieve strategic objectives and compliance requirements, implement detailed plans and recommend policies and procedures to improve Division performance, technology delivery and public interest outcomes. Adept at management consulting, strategic planning or business analysis, you'll provide policy analysis, formulation, coordination and advice to managers and teams on programs, services and the organization at both a strategic and operational level, as well as provide innovative, resourceful solutions and identify approaches, concepts and methods of analyzing complex, and sometimes competing, planning issues.

[Senior Research Associate - Canadian Climate Institute](#)

Reporting to the Research Director, the Senior Research Associate will support the Director and the Research Lead in identifying research to improve climate change mitigation policy in Canada and executing research projects, including conducting literature reviews, providing core data synthesis and analysis, writing content for Institute publications, collaborating with Adaptation and Clean Growth teams, contributing to research communications strategies and supporting stakeholder engagement.

[Student Assistant, Corporate Affairs - Elections Ontario](#)

Elections Ontario is looking for a summer student assistant to assist its policy team to provide some administrative support and to perform a records management exercise. Strong analytical skills and problem skills are a must. The candidate must be enrolled in an accredited post-secondary program and must be **returning to school in the Fall of 2023**. Must be legally entitled to work in Canada. They are in a hybrid environment where they are expected to work on-site 3 times per week.

[Head of Research - RBC Climate](#)

The Head of Research will report to the SVP, Office of the CEO, and oversee a small team of climate and policy researchers, and work collaboratively with our publication and communications team, client-facing business groups and the RBC climate network. The ideal candidate will be a dynamic and diligent leader to shape the research agenda and be an additional voice in Canada's climate dialogue.

[Associate Engineer/Scientist/Technical Officer - The Nuclear Waste Management Organization \(NWMO\)](#)

Reporting to the Manager, Environment, the successful candidate will be a member of a dedicated team responsible for the impact assessment and CNSC licensing for a deep underground geological repository. The incumbent will collaborate closely with the Senior Environmental Scientists on the team. This is a Progression-In Place (PIP) role. Applicants with lesser experience/qualifications may be considered for a position at a lower rate and be progressed in place.

[Manager, Study - The Nuclear Waste Management Organization \(NWMO\)](#)

Reporting to the Director, Regulatory Affairs, the Manager, Study will be responsible for ensuring all technical project requirements for permits, licenses and regulatory agency approvals are met for all phases of the project. This role will specifically require managing the development of technical proposals and work plans, integrating technical data into reports and studies, maintaining an integrated schedule as well as for the management and coordination of project staff, sub-contractors and internal stakeholders to ensure safe, cost effective, efficient and timely completion of the project in order to meet regulatory expectations.

Treasurer – City of Markham

The City is recruiting a dynamic, high energy, seasoned municipal leader with strong political acumen, exceptional interpersonal and trust building skills to be their Treasurer. The ideal candidate should also have a proven ability to build and support collaborative teams as well as foster strong relationships with internal and external stakeholders.

Manager, Strategy Services – Workers Compensation Board of Manitoba

The Manager, Strategy Services is responsible for building the strategic framework and associated services to lead WCB's overall corporate strategy, planning activities, and transition to operational plans. The incumbent leads the strategic planning process by actively engaging with WCB stakeholders to understand their needs and expectations and conducting ongoing assessments of industry and environmental scans to identify key industry trends.

ADM (2 Positions) - Economic, Environment, Justice and Intergovernmental Policy & Health, Social and Education and Children's Policy, Cabinet Office

Taking a lead role in shaping policy across the government, the AMD will play a critical role in successfully working across the enterprise to integrate policy development in support of achieving the government's mandate. Reporting to the Deputy Minister, Policy and Delivery, the successful incumbents will facilitate and direct the development of strategic policy advice in partnership with the various Ministries, the Premier's Office and the Secretary of the Cabinet.

Senior Policy Advisor – Ministry of Transportation

The Policy Advisor will play a significant role in framing the Ministry of Transportation's approach to key policy files, such as electric vehicles. As a Senior Policy Advisor, you will develop policies and initiatives to ensure that emerging transportation technologies are adopted into the transportation system in a way that is safe, sustainable, and accessible. You will engage with key industry, municipal and inter-jurisdictional stakeholders and work horizontally with other areas of the Ministry of Transportation and other ministries.

Director, Income and Social Support – Region of Peel

The Director of Income and Social Support will lead Peel's Social Assistance program to Ontario Works clients to achieve positive outcomes that improve their quality of life. Additionally, this position will be expected to partner and collaborate with leaders across the department and across municipalities to look for program synergies. The Director will need to develop strong relationships to deliver key services through external community agencies and stakeholders, thereby ensuring that people's lives are improved in their time of need.

Manager, Emerging Technologies Office – Ministry of Transportation

As Manager, Emerging Technologies Office, you will lead and manage a team of professional staff in the planning, development, research, analysis, implementation and evaluation of strategic and operational policy initiatives and programs; provide expertise and advice to ministry executives, senior management and staff on complex program development and implementation options, legislation, regulations, funding models, and risk and issues management strategies; and lead and direct internal and external stakeholder and partner relations and the ministry's inter-ministerial relations, consultations, engagement and facilitation.

[Chief of Staff, Mayor's Office - City of Hamilton](#)

Reporting directly to the Mayor, the incumbent is the most senior advisor to the mayor and is the senior manager responsible for overseeing all aspects of the Mayor's Office. This involves directing and coordinating the activities of staff in the Mayor's Office, ensuring a close working relationship with City Management and staff; and establishing and maintaining positive communications and relations with community organizations and the business community. The Chief of Staff is charged with offering counsel to the Mayor on legislative, political and operational issues as well as the strategic planning and execution of the Mayor's programs and initiatives. The Chief of Staff regularly carries out government relations responsibilities with various levels of government politically and with ministry staff under the Mayor's direction.

[Future Fellows \(up to 6 fellowships\) - Future of Canada Project, McMaster](#)

Future Fellows will become a part of McMaster University, specifically the Future of Canada Project, and will be part of a cohort that will be connected to each other and a wider community of people and organizations working in foresight and futures thinking. The fellowship experience will provide the opportunity connect with like-minded leaders and organizations both within and outside of the University. Fellows will also receive support from the Future of Canada Project team, including guidance from a strategic advisor and access to communications staff who can work with fellows to promote their work to a wide audience. Your project proposal needs to be aligned with the purpose of the FCP and address one or more themes outlined by the FCP Council: Climate change, rapid technological advancement, pandemic, challenge of reconciliation, and erosion of truth and trust. Fellowship applicants are asked to propose a duration of time that is needed for their proposed project that ranges between three to 12 months. All fellowships will commence in 2023. A monthly stipend of \$5,000 will be provided to each Future Fellow for the duration of their fellowship.

[Energy Transition Program Manager - Environmental Defence](#)

Environmental Defence seeks a highly-committed and motivated Program Manager with experience working on fossil fuel or climate change campaigns. The program manager will be responsible for developing and implementing strategies to erode the power of the oil and gas sector to undermine climate policy and challenge oil and gas lobbying and misinformation. The ideal candidate will have experience running fast-paced and creative campaigns.

[Health Policy Manager - Les Femmes Michif Otipemisiwak/Women of the Metis Nation](#)

The Health Policy Manager supports LFMO's mandate by focusing on our Health Portfolio, alongside LFMO's Director of Health. The Health Policy Manager will be active in participating in meetings and engagements, hosting discussions, facilitating community-based dialogues and reporting out on Métis Women's perspectives and priorities. Ottawa-based team but with potential to work remotely.

[Legislative Coordinator - Town of East Gwillimbury](#)

The Town of East Gwillimbury has an exciting opportunity within the Corporate Services Department. Reporting directly to the Deputy Clerk/Manager of Legislative Services, the Legislative Coordinator provides accurate, technical, and timely secretariat support in Council meetings, as well as technical assistance with the Town's Livestreaming equipment and virtual meeting platform for Council and Committee meetings.

[Multiple policy roles - Inuit Tapiriit Kanatami](#)

The good folks at ITK are recruiting for a range of policy roles.

Board members - [Toronto Community Housing Corporation](#) and [Toronto Transit Commission](#)

Openings for public member positions (and a Tenant Director position, in the case of TCHC).

[Deputy Minister - Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation](#)

The Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation (MIRR) leads the Province in its efforts to establish true, lasting reconciliation with First Nations and Indigenous peoples in British Columbia. The Ministry is charged with working collaboratively and respectfully with First Nations, treaty partners, and Indigenous Organizations to establish a clear, cross-government framework for reconciliation under the Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples Act.

[Senior Policy Advisor and Lead - Ontario Ministry of Finance](#)

Provide high-profile policy advice to senior decision-makers on complicated tax and tax-related issues that impact provincial priorities and Ontario's fiscal plan. The Ministry of Finance is looking for an individual with the demonstrated leadership, taxation, policy development, economic, communication and analytical skills to join the Personal Tax Policy and Design Branch. The Branch provides advice and assistance to the Minister of Finance and to the Government of Ontario in formulating tax and benefits policy and undertakes robust quantitative analysis using advanced modelling tools. It also ensures that tax legislation and regulations effectively express the Province's tax and benefit policies.

[Various roles \(12 positions\), Indigenous Equity Unit - Ontario Treasury Board Secretariat](#)

The Indigenous Equity Branch is hiring for 12 new positions:

- Senior Manager, Indigenous Equity Programs Unit (M1108A)
- Senior Manager, Indigenous Equity Policy Unit (M1108A)
- Team Lead, Indigenous Equity Programs Unit (I1008B)
- Team Lead, Indigenous Equity Policy Unit (I1008B)
- Two (2) Senior Policy Advisors, Indigenous Equity Programs Unit (I0907B)
- Two (2) Senior Policy Advisors, Indigenous Equity Policy Unit (I0907B)
- Two (2) Project Coordinators, Indigenous Equity Programs Unit (I0808B)
- Two (2) Project Coordinators, Indigenous Equity Policy Unit (I0808B)

[Analyst, Policy - Council of Ministers of Education, Canada](#)

The Analyst will work in several areas of education, including pan-Canadian and international work, early childhood education and elementary and secondary education, as well as data analysis. This role will appeal to individuals with strong research, writing, and analytical skills (to produce complex written reports for a range of stakeholders that includes ministers of education and the public), and the intellectual curiosity and rigour to monitor and investigate emerging developments in education.

[Assistant Deputy Minister, Environmental Sustainability - Government of Yukon](#)

The ADM, Environmental Sustainability is a key member of the departmental senior management team and is responsible for developing and implementing environmental management policies, programs, and services. The successful candidate can envision and implement change in a methodical and collaborative manner. Your expertise and big picture thinking balance the needs of stakeholders and clients at all levels.



*Stay connected
with SPPA*

Facebook:
[/YorkUSPPA](#)

Twitter:
[@YorkUSPPA](#)

SPPA LinkedIn Group:
<https://www.linkedin.com/groups/12006583>

MPPAL LinkedIn Group:
<https://www.linkedin.com/groups/3908927>

<https://sppa.laps.yorku.ca/>

*If you wish to unsubscribe from the SPPA Newsletter, please email us at: lapssppa@yorku.ca asking to be removed from the mailing list.



[General Manager and Chief Executive Officer - Halifax Water](#)

The General Manager and Chief Executive Officer will lead transformational change as required to provide optimal services to the citizens of the Halifax Regional Municipality and will steward Halifax Water's reputation, integrity and credibility with all its public stakeholders. Reporting to the Board of Commissioners, as the General Manager and Chief Executive Officer you will have overall strategic, fiscal and operational responsibility for leading Halifax Water. You will provide leadership to the utility's strategic planning processes and initiatives, focusing on continuous improvement and ensuring the long-term financial integrity and viability of the organization within the framework of its shareholders, regulators and stakeholders.

[Director, Applied Research - Algonquin College](#)

Algonquin College (College) is changing the world – one learner at a time. Headquartered in Ottawa, the College is one of Canada's leading publicly funded polytechnic institutes, with over 20,000 full-time and over 35,000 online students. With strong connections to community and industry, the College is aligned to the future of work and innovative approaches to learning. Every person who is a part of the Algonquin College community is dedicated to transforming hopes and dreams into lifelong success.

[Vice-President of Policy - The Public Policy Forum](#)

The Public Policy Forum is seeking a broad-minded, intellectually ambitious and entrepreneurial leader with a passion for public policy and a track record in one or more of government, academia, think tanks or related organizations. We are looking for a doer and thinker, someone enthusiastic about engaging with our many partners and ready to lead a team of Policy Leads and Associates and part-time Fellows in designing processes to tackle policy challenges. This is a critical role in our organization, one that faces inward and outward. Please apply for this position via [LinkedIn](#) by February 24, 2023.

[Senior Consultant, Government Affairs - Siemens](#)

Siemens are looking for an outstanding individual who can develop and handle relationships with governments across Canada, influence policies, and secure government support to advance Siemens Canada's business interests.