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Online Brochure Winter 2023

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A Message From the Academic Director

Dear Research Commons Community,

The start of the Winter semester is a great time to begin setting intentions for the upcoming year. Maybe you re interested in applying for a new award or grant, or maybe you want to learn more about research opportunities and supports at York. We hope one or more of our Winter term workshops can help you with your research goals.

While looking through the Research Commons Workshop Booklet for the 2023 Winter Semester you may notice that we are offering fewer workshops than usual this semester. As the three-year pilot phase of Research Commons comes to an end, a greater portion of our time in 2023 will be spent on reviewing, revisioning and restructuring our programs for the future. If there is a workshop you were looking forward to attending and we are not offering it at this time, please know that there will be more coming in the next academic year. And let us know what you re missing and hoping we bring back. We d love to hear from you

Workshops such as our Tri-council operating grant information sessions will now be held in May, with mock reviews for specific funding programs to follow in June. The dates of these workshops, and additional workshops hosted by us will be sent out via the listserv in Spring 2023.

After spending the last few months hearing about the research needs from across York s campuses, we are excited to envision and further develop integrated and comprehensive programs that support career advancement, facilitate creativity and collaboration, and elevate research impact.

We thank you for understanding, and we look forward to seeing you at our workshops this semester

Best regards, Luann



Winter 2023 Workshops



Winter 2023 Workshop Overview

Innovation York: Mitacs

January 11, 2023 from 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Knowledge Mobilization Planning

January 18, 2023 from 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Building a Research Team: Thinking Decolonization, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion and High-Quality Personnel (Part I)

February 1 , 2023 from 2:30 pm - :00 pm

Building a Research Team: Thinking Decolonization, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion and High-Quality Personnel (Part II)

February 1, 2023 from 2:30 pm - :00 pm

NSERC: Alliance Information Session

February 23, 2023 from 10:00 am - 11:30 am

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March 10, 2023 from 1:00 pm - :00 pm

Why Apply for External Funding?

February 7, 2023 from 10:30 am -12:00 pm



Innovation York: Mitacs

January 11, 2023 10:00 am-11:30 am

Meet our Mitacs Specialist, Rachel Sung, and learn about the opportunities available through the Mitacs internship program, with a particular focus on Mitacs Accelerate. Mitacs is a national non-profit organization that delivers innovation through supporting collaborative research and development projects between companies and academic institutions. Rachel works with various stakeholders in industry and academia to identify the appropriate funding opportunities for R&D projects, and has supported projects of various sizes, ranging from four months to multi-year collaborations.

Presenters:

Rachel Sung

Mitacs Specialist, Innovation York

Satinder Bran

Professor & James and Joanne Love Chair in Environmental Engineering, Lassonde School of Engineering

Janine Marchessault

Professor, School of the Arts, Media, Performance & Design



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Knowledge Mobilization Planning

January 18, 2023 10:00 am – 11:30 am

Impact is measured at the level of the end user. The KMb Unit will share emerging tools and offer researchers greater capacity to develop a knowledge mobilization plan for their research project. The workshop will cover the importance of reciprocal partnerships, creating knowledge products that help your partners access and implement key findings, and how any changes to service provision and/or public policy development can be attributed directly to your research efforts.

Presenters:

Michael Johnny

Manager, Knowledge Mobilization, Innovation York

Jude Kong

Assistant Professor, Dept of Mathematics & Statistics, Faculty of Science

Nick Mule

Professor, School of Social Work, Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional Studies Sexuality Studies Coordinator and Professor, School of Gender, Sexuality and Women's Studies, Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional Studies



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Building a Research Team: Thinking Decolonization, Equity, Diversity and Inclusion (DEDI) and High-Quality Personnel (HQP)

Are you at the point in your career where you're beginning to build your research team, but unsure of where to start? Perhaps you need to expand your team? In our two-part Building a Research Team workshop series we will begin shedding some light on how to decide who you need on your team, the supports they will need and how to properly prepare (fiscally and culturally) for your new research team. We hope our workshop gets you and your new team ready to reach higher levels of research impact than imagined.

February 14, 2023 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm

Part 1: Planning and Recruiting for HQP and DEDI

Learn how to:

Plan and build a research team(what personnel and budget are needed)

Distinguish between the roles/responsibilities of RAs, GAs, and Post-Docs

Write and distribute a job advertisement encouraging candidates from equity-seeking groups to apply Ensure the interview and follow-up are smooth processes Create an engaging and supportive research culture full of opportunity for your team

Presenters:

Emma Yuen

Senior HR Officer, Office of the Vice-President Research and Innovation

Kim McIntrye

Postdoctoral Services & Professional Skills Coordinator, Faculty of Graduate Studies

Sapna Sharma

Associate Professor, Faculty of Science 2022 Postdoctoral Supervisor of the Year (Faculty of Graduate Studies)

Michael Hynie

Professor, Faculty of Health Interim Director, ORU-Centre for Refugee Studies



Registration:

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February 16, 2023 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Part II: Hiring, Training, and Compensating HQP

Learn how to:

Develop good HR practices for hiring, on-boarding and leading a research team

Embed DEDI best practices into your work and research culture

Presenters:

Emma Yuen

Senior HR Officer, Office of the Vice-President

Research and Innovation

Aimee Mitchell

Research Officer, Faculty of Arts, Media, Performance & Design

Marian MacGregor

Executive Director, Centre for Human Rights, Equity and Inclusion



Registration:

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NSERC Alliance Information Session

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February 23, 2023

10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Part I: NSERC Alliance Overview

Part one of our workshop series will help you better understand the differences between the NSERC Alliance funding Options available to researchers and get a chance to ask a NSERC representative your questions about the Alliance program. Previous NSERC Alliance Grant winners will also share their experiences preparing their grant and will be available to answer any questions you might have.

Presenters:

Maja Bracovic

Research and Innovation Department Officer, NSERC

Faculty Speakers TBD



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March 1, 2023 10:00 am – 11:30 am

Part II: Tips & Tricks for Preparing your NSERC Alliance Application

Part two of our workshop series will continue to demystify the layers of the NSERC Alliance grant and help researchers understand what features make an application stand out at the adjudication table. Hear from experienced York grant support personnel explain tips & tricks professors interested in applying for a NSERC Alliance Grant won't want to miss. Two York Professors will also reflect on the changes they incorporated that helped fund a previously unsuccessful Alliance Grant.

Presenters:

Christina Corre

Strategic and Institutional Research Initiatives Specialist, SIRI

Faculty Speakers TBD



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March 8, 2023

10:00 am - 11:30 am

Part III: Partnerships and Collaborations for Alliance & Innovation

Part three of our workshop series explores how to develop, build, and maximize partnerships for the Alliance Grant. Whether you're looking to begin forging partnerships, are in the process of building your team of collaborators, or finalizing details for your Alliance Grant submission, the team at Innovation York can help you out.

Presenters:

Speakers TBD



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Opportunités de recherche en français à York? Atelier collaboratif des Research Commons

Research Opportunities in French at York? A Collaborative Workshop from the Research Commons

Le vendredi 10 mars 2023 | 13 h 00 à 14 h 30

Inscription préalable pour cette session Zoom : www.tinyurl.com/10-03-2023

L'événement sera tenu en français. This event will be held in French.

Cet atelier servira à présenter un certain nombre d'opportunités de financement, de réseaux d'échange et de collaboration en français pour les chercheurs de l'Université York, tout en offrant un lieu d'échange pour les chercheurs francophones afin de discuter notamment des services de soutien à la recherche académique en français.

In this workshop, we will present a number of funding opportunities, networks and potential collaborations in French for researchers at York University. It will also provide a forum for French-speaking researchers to discuss academic research support services in French.



Why Apply for External Funding?

March 30, 2023 from 10:30 am – 12:00 pm

Have you wondered why you would put in the work to apply for an external grant when you can do the research you want without money? Do you feel pressure to "commodify" your program of research and your CV? Perhaps common metrics for success that simply count outputs, such as publications and research dollars, seem to you to one more expression of the ever-present colonial capitalist agenda that reproduces the corporate university, competition promoting and undermining collaboration. We invite you to engage with us in an open and critical conversation that takes seriously these commitments, and explores the opportunities, dilemmas, and pitfalls of pursuing external funding.

Presenters:

Annie Bunting

Associate Professor, Law & Society Program, Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional Studies Graduate Program Director, Socio-Legal Studies Program, Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional Studies Conjugal Slavery in War Project Director, The Harriet Tubman Institute for Research on Africa and its Diasporas

Elaine Coburn

Associate Professor, Dept. of International Studies, Glendon College

Director, Centre for Feminist Research/Centre for Recherches Femmes

Enakshi Dua

Professor, School of Gender, Sexuality and Women's Studies, Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional

David Murray

Professor, Dept. of Anthrolopology School of Gender, Sexuality and Women's Studies, Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional



Registration:

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