

# South Korean Delegation visit to CERIS – The Ontario Metropolis Centre Multicultural Families Division, Gyeonggi Provincial Government

Thursday, April 19, 2012

10:30 – 12:00

Room 280A York Lanes, York University

<b>10:30 – 10:35</b>	<b>Welcome</b> Lisa Philipps, Associate Vice-President – Research, York University
<b>10:35 – 10:55</b>	<b>Knowledge mobilisation at York University</b> Michael Johnny, Manager of Knowledge Mobilisation, York University  Knowledge mobilisation aims to enhance the two-way connection between researchers and research users (community organisations, policy-makers, service-providers, etc.) York University is a recognised leader of knowledge mobilisation and offers many services to maximise the impact of research, particularly in the York region which surrounds the university campus.  Q+A (5 minutes)
<b>10:55 – 11:20</b>	<b>CERIS – The Ontario Metropolis Centre</b> Valerie Preston, York Director of CERIS and Professor of Geography, York University  CERIS – The Ontario Metropolis Centre is a research knowledge creation and transfer network that focuses on the resettlement and integration of immigrants and refugees in Ontario. One of five research centres across the country with ties to the Metropolis Project, CERIS works in a collaborative partnership that includes universities, community organisations and different levels of government.  Q+A (5 minutes)
<b>11:20 – 11:40</b>	<b>Research with Immigrants: Building Knowledge and Partnerships</b> Ann Kim, CERIS Affiliate, Faculty Associate of the York Centre for Asian Research, and Assistant Professor of Sociology, York University  This presentation will discuss research partnerships with community organisations with a focus on Korean migration. One CERIS-funded study, in particular, conducted in partnership with a local Korean agency, examined how Canada's migration policies and economic structure has channelled immigrants from South Korea into self-employment. Other projects with various agencies will also be discussed.  Q+A (5 minutes)
<b>11:40 – 11:55</b>	<b>TIEDI – Toronto Immigrant Employment Data Initiative</b> (presented in Korean only) Stella Park, Project Co-ordinator, TIEDI  TIEDI is a project that provides organisations with free access to statistical data and analysis on various aspects of immigrant labour market integration. The goal is to help community organisations access the quantitative data they need to identify priorities, develop programmes and services, compose proposals and reports, and carry out advocacy and public education endeavours.  Q+A (5 minutes)
<b>11:55 – 12:00</b>	<b>Closing</b>