

**Canada Research Chair (Tier 1) in Global Governance and Social Innovation
School of Health Policy and Management, Faculty of Health, York University**

Applications are invited for a Tier 1 Canada Research Chair in Global Governance and Social Innovation (SSHRC) from scholars whose exceptional research addresses the global governance of social and health policy and make them recognized as a world leader, preferably holding the rank of full professor. As the field of global governance encompasses an interdisciplinary lens that melds the areas of international relations and social policy, the CRC will hold a PhD in the social sciences including health policy or law. By critically analyzing the emergence and function of global governance structures that have fostered shifts in the architecture of global health governance and investigating the laws, policies and programs affecting people across vulnerable jurisdictions, the CRC will assess the extent to which UN conventions on human rights are met. In exploring and advancing innovative evidence-based governance approaches that global organizations and networks could pursue to address inequalities in health, the CRC will make the case for reform and lead a reframing of the 'North – South' dialogue to a multi-way co-creation discourse.

The CRC will be appointed to the School of Health Policy and Management and offer leadership to the Institute of Global Health. In addressing social and economic policy focusing on the themes of governance for equity in social and health systems, the CRC will support the co-design of social innovation and leadership development initiatives with our Low and Middle Income Country (LMIC) partners. She or he will foster the creation of the "Social Innovation Think Tank" within the Institute as a virtual hub for transdisciplinary research, leadership training and mentorship in order to advance research that influences governance, policies, programs and practices. Building on an established record of internationally recognized publications and research funding, the CRC will strengthen the Institute's collaborative research with LMICs, and engage undergraduate and graduate students through their research and teaching.

The position will commence July 1, 2017, and is contingent on a successful nomination file to the CRC Secretariat. Complete details about the CRC program can be found at www.chairs-chaire.gc.ca/. Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience. The application deadline is extended to June 15, 2016. Applicants should send their curriculum vitae, a covering letter with future teaching and research program goals, three relevant reprints, and provide contact information for three referees to: Kathy Thomas, Global Health Program, Faculty of Health, HNES 443, York University, 4700 Keele Street, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, M3J 1P3, E-mail: thomask@yorku.ca

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