



School of Social Work

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x Teaching Assistantships - School of Social Work for the Fall 2014

Teaching Assistantship positions in the School of Social Work for the Fall 2014 term will be posted on the McGill Career and Planning Services (CaPS) website (<https://csm-caps.mcgill.ca/>) for the following courses from April 30th through May 30th:

- SWRK 321 – Intro to Practice with Groups
- SWRK 220 – History & Philosophy of Social Work
- SWRK 320 – Practice With Individuals & Families
- SWRK 221 – Public Social Services in Canada
- SWRK 424 – Mental Health & Illness
- SWRK 428 – Social Policy & Administration
- SWRK 224 – Human Development Across the Lifespan

Should you wish to submit an application, please complete the attached Graduate Student Application for Teaching Assistantship form and submit this form electronically along with your covering letter, and current CV before May 30th. All applicants will be informed of the outcome of their applications on July 4th.



Application for
Teaching Assistantship

x Visit from the East China University of Science and Technology

This week a delegation from the School of Social Policy and Public Administration of the East China University of Science and Technology (Shanghai) visited the School of Social Work to continue the exchange began with Wendy Thomson's visit to China, just before Christmas. The 5 person delegation, led by well-known social work scholar Professor Xu met with faculty from the school, and learned about fieldwork education, international placements and student exchanges, Couple and Family therapy, McGill's summer programs, the Centre for Research on Children and Families, and McGill's Institute for Health and Social Policy. The Chinese Family Services and Chinese Hospital hosted the delegation, showing how social work

has developed to serve the Chinese community in Montreal. Social policy and social work are of increasing importance to China's modernization.

x Congratulations to Professor Myriam Denov - Canada Research Chair Award.

Congratulations to Professor Myriam Denov in receiving the Canada Research Chair Notice of Award and Acceptance. It is a great distinction bringing recognition and visibility to Myriam's research.

x Congratulations to Professor Myriam Denov - Trudeau Fellowship

Congratulations to Professor Myriam Denov on being awarded a Trudeau Fellowship in recognition of her contribution to the field of social work and her unwavering commitment to excellence in research.

x YWCA - 2014 Woman of Distinction

The YWCA Montreal announced on Monday, May 5, 2014, its 13 laureates of the 2014 Women of Distinction Awards. Among the proud and well-deserved award recipients are Wendy Thomson (in the category of Education) and Mispa Nkuh Basa (in the category of YWCA Woman), our BSW graduate. The ceremony will be held on September 30, 2014 at the Palais des Congrès de Montréal. Warmest congratulations to Wendy and Mispa!

For details, please see: http://www.ydesfemmesmtl.org/En/Home_English.html.

To see group picture, see attachment.



Lauréates Prix
Femmes de mérite 20

Notice of Events

x Workshops in Social Gerontology at Workshops in Social Science Research (WSSR)

Job/Volunteering Opportunities

x Case Worker - Projets Autochtones du Québec's (PAQ) – May 20, 2014

Persons interested in applying for this position must forward their curriculum vitae AND a letter of intent to the following address: paq.direction@gmail.com before May 20th, 2014 at 4:00PM. Candidates will only be considered if they possess the required experiences and if a letter of intent is included in the submission. For more information, see attachment.



PAQ Case Worker -
job posting.pdf

x Family Services Assistant, Habitat for Humanity GTA (Toronto Region)

The Family Services Department at Habitat for Humanity Toronto works directly with partner families who are currently awaiting a Habitat home. We provide support and training to partner families as they work through their partnership requirements and realize their goal of becoming a homeowner. We are looking for an organized, engaging and enthusiastic assistant who has a passion for working with families, who understands family support and believes in Habitat for Humanity and its mission. For more information, see attached.



Family Services
Assistant Summer Job

For more information on Job/Volunteering Opportunities, please visit our website at <http://www.mcgill.ca/socialwork/students/jobs>.