



The Canadian observatory post-doctoral fellowship program 2009-2010

The Canadian observatory is now accepting post-doctoral fellowship applications. The post-doctoral program provides outstanding researchers one-year fellowships with the Canadian observatory on the justice system's response to intimate partner violence, at universities where co-investigators are located. Post-doctoral fellows play an important role in the work of the Canadian observatory. Applications should be received no later than May 1st 2009 to begin September 1st 2009. For more information: <http://www.unb.ca/observ/announcements.php>

Applying for Funding

This fall the Canadian observatory will submit a RDI (Research Development Initiatives) grant to SSHRC. "The overall objective of the RDI program is to support research in its initial stages by supporting the development of new ways of analyzing, structuring, integrating and transferring knowledge in the humanities and the social sciences". Objectives of this SSHRC program are in line with our current work on policies as they relate to the justice response to intimate partner violence:

- develop new research questions;
- explore conceptual and methodological perspectives and directions;
- critically analyze and assess research, including its achievements, impacts, strengths and state of development.

The maximum value of an RDI grant is \$40,000 over two years. Next application deadline: October 7, 2009.

Canadian observatory attends the Second International Meeting of Crime Observatories in Santiago, Chile

Elizabeth Blaney presented on the evolution of the Canadian observatory at the 2nd International Meeting on Crime Observatories in Chile, March 18-20, 2009. The meeting was organized by the International Centre for the Prevention of Crime (ICPC) and Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean. ICPC, located in Montréal, is an international forum for national governments, local authorities, public agencies, specialized institutions, and non-government organizations to exchange experience, consider emerging knowledge, and improve policies and programs in crime prevention and community safety. The Santiago conference was attended by delegates from Europe, the Caribbean, and North and South America.

NEW PUBLICATIONS!

GAUTHIER, Sonia. Policies and Practices for Police Release with Conditions Of the Accused in Cases of Domestic Violence in Montreal, Canada, *Criminology and Criminal Justice*, vol. 9, no 1, p. 51-71, 2009.

GAUTHIER, Sonia. Repenser les critères de succès de l'intervention judiciaire criminelle en matière de violence conjugale. Dans Vacheret, M., Jendly, M. , Mary, P., Quirion, B. et D. Robert (Dir.) Actes du colloque de l'ÉReP, *Le pénal aujourd'hui : pérennité ou mutations*, tenu à Montréal les 5-7 décembre 2007, p. 307-320, Centre international de criminologie comparée, Montréal, 2008, 350 p. Disponible à l'adresse Internet suivante: <http://www.erudit.org/livre/penal/2008/000266co.pdf>

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Congratulations!

Peter Jaffe recently received a SSHRC grant to develop a Community-University Research Alliance (CURA) application for a project focusing on domestic homicides. Entitled Canadian Network to Enhance Research and Practice Collaboration to Review & Prevent Domestic Homicides, this proposal addresses the critical role of enhanced community-research collaboration to save lives by ensuring Canadian communities and all levels of government have the most up-to-date information to develop effective policies and practice.

Elizabeth Blaney received an award of \$7,000 from the University Research Fund Competition, University of New Brunswick. The award will provide Elizabeth with funds to hold community consultations, develop a research team, and submit a SSHRC application in the fall 2009 to look the justice system response to Aboriginal women who have been abused.

Mark your calendars!!!

May 28-29, 2009 - A conference on Safe, Respectful & Inclusive Workplaces: Strategies & Stakeholders

This conference will appeal to a wide range of stakeholders: labour and management; community advocates; academics; legislators and policy experts; woman abuse experts; human resource and health safety practitioners; trainers; consultants; equity committees; etc. For more information:

http://www.crvawc.ca/section-whats_new/index.htm#conference1

June 14-16, 2009 - 1st Annual Canadian Conference on the Prevention of Domestic Homicides

A conference to enhance research and practice collaboration to review and prevent domestic homicides will be held at the London Convention Centre, London, ON. This conference is intended to enhance networking and partnerships among social science researchers, policy makers and practitioners (coroners, medical examiners, police, crown attorneys, anti-violence community agencies) in their review of domestic homicides. To register: http://www.crvawc.ca/section-whats_new/index.htm#conference2

November 9-10, 2009 - MMFC RESEARCH DAY 2009

Theme: The face of sexual violence in the 21st Century: Naming the unspoken

Hosted by: MMFC

MMFC is now accepting presentation proposals for the upcoming Research Day to be held in Fredericton on Tuesday, November 10, 2009. Deadline for submission of proposals is August 21, 2009. Dr. Liz Kelly, a member of the Canadian observatory, will start this year's research day with a keynote address at a general public event on November 9th.

For more information check out the MMFC website: <http://www.unbf.ca/arts/CFVR>

November 19-20, 2009 - RESOLVE RESEARCH DAY 2009

Theme: HEALING FROM VIOLENCE AND ABUSE

Hosted by: RESOLVE Saskatchewan

RESOLVE Saskatchewan is now accepting presentation proposals for the upcoming Research Day to be held in Regina, Saskatchewan on Thursday and Friday, November 19-20, 2009. Deadline for submission of proposals is June 30, 2009.

For more information check out the RESOLVE Saskatchewan website:

<http://www.uregina.ca/resolve>

Reminder

Please share your news for the Announcements section of the Canadian observatory webpage

