

# SEPTEMBER 2019 – RESEARCH BULLETIN

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## FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

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### Healthy Cities Research Training Platform

CIHR, NSERC, and SSHRC are jointly funding a national Healthy Cities Research Training Platform (HCRTTP) to develop an interdisciplinary, cross-sectoral training initiative that will generate cutting-edge knowledge and build capacity for implementation science and solutions-based research. The goal of this funding opportunity is to deliver a national training initiative focused on building capacity among Canadian researchers to engage in high quality, impactful research on how to design, implement and scale innovative, solution-based interventions in a variety of urban contexts.

The LOI application deadline is **December 10, 2019**.

Follow this [link](#) to view the full details on this opportunity.

### SSHRC Postdoctoral Fellowship

SSHRC Postdoctoral Fellowships support the most promising Canadian new scholars in the social sciences and humanities, and assist them in establishing a research base at an important time in their research careers. The purpose of these fellowships is to provide stipendiary support to recent PhD graduates who are undertaking original research, publishing research findings, and broadening their teaching experience.

Applications for this grant are due on **September 18, 2019**. Learn more about this opportunity [here](#).

### SSHRC Insight Grant

Insight Grants support research excellence in the social sciences and humanities. Funding is available to both emerging and established scholars for research initiatives of two to five years. Applicants may choose one of two streams when applying for an Insight Grant, depending on the amount of funding required:

- Stream A for requests between \$7,000 and \$100,000; or
- Stream B for requests between \$100,001 and \$400,000.

The deadline to apply for this grant is **October 15, 2019**. Learn more about this the SSHRC Insight Grant [here](#).

### CFI John R. Evans Leaders Fund

The John R. Evans Leaders Fund enables a select number of an institution's excellent researchers to undertake leading-edge research by providing them with the foundational research infrastructure required to be or become leaders in their field. This fund also offers institutions the opportunity to create competitive research support packages in the form of infrastructure and a portion of the operating and maintenance costs, coupled with direct research costs from partner organizations. Applications for this grant are due on **October 15, 2019**.

Learn more about this opportunity [here](#).

## MSVU Upcoming Internal Grant Deadlines

The following internal grant applications are due on **October 15, 2019**:

- Standard Grant
- Salary-Based
- Book Launches
- Aid to Scholarly Publications and Communications

For instructions and applications forms for the internal grants, please visit our [internal grants webpage](#).

## CALLS FOR PAPERS AND APPLICATIONS

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### NSERC Indigenous Student Ambassadors

The NSERC Indigenous Student Ambassadors (NISA) grant aims to engage Indigenous students and fellows in promoting interest and participation in the natural sciences and engineering (NSE) by visiting Canada's Indigenous communities and schools and sharing their research and education experiences or participating in science promotion events and activities. There are no fixed deadlines for this grant. Applications must be made at least two months before the start of a proposed outreach activity.

To learn more about this opportunity, please click [here](#).

## EVENTS

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### Cybersecurity Lunch and Learn

Join us on Tuesday, **October 8th 2019** in Seton 404 from 12:30 pm- 2:00 pm for presentations on privacy, securing your research data, and more!

### CIHR Information Session for Students on Award in Health Research

CIHR will be offering interactive information sessions to students and institution staff about CIHR award programs, including relevant policies, tips for applicants and guidelines on how to submit an application (including the harmonized Canada Graduate Scholarships – Doctoral program). Webinars are offered in both French and English. Please visit their [website](#) to register for the session in the language of your choice.

Date, Time & Duration	Language Session	Event password
· September 9, 2019	English	CIHR

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Time: 11:00 am, EST</li> <li>· Duration: 1 hour (additional time may be allocated as needed)</li> </ul>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· September 11, 2019</li> <li>· Time: 11:00 am, EST</li> <li>· Duration: 1 hour (additional time may be allocated as needed)</li> </ul>	French	IRSC

### Ending Gender-Based Violence MMFC'S 2019 Conference

The Muriel McQueen Ferguson Centre is hosting a national research conference on Ending Gender-Based Violence (GBV): Harnessing Research and Action for Social Change on **October 9-10, 2019** at the Wu Centre, University of New Brunswick, Fredericton. Please find the attached document on this email for more information on the conference.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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### SSHRC Initiative for Digital Citizen Research

SSHRC has announced the **Initiative for Digital Citizen Research (IDCR)**, a new joint initiative with the Department of Canadian Heritage (PCH) and one component of Canadian Heritage's Digital Citizen Initiative. Canadian Heritage is partnering with SSHRC to provide funding support through arm's-length SSHRC Connection and Insight Grants as well as supplements to SSHRC Postdoctoral Fellowships and Doctoral Awards.

The IDCR aims to develop a better understanding of the impacts of online disinformation in Canada in order to better inform programs and policies, build Canada's capacity to conduct research on countering online disinformation and other related online harms, and help foster a community of researchers engaged with digital citizenship and online disinformation in Canada.

Learn more about the initiative [here](#).

### IT&S Research Tip

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#### Traveling With Electronics Tips

Traveling with electronics? [Here are some tips](#) on keeping your devices, data, and yourself safe when you are the road, whether traveling for work or pleasure, within Canada or abroad.

What if a customs officer asks for access to my phone? Should I store personal information on my laptop? Why use a VPN? These and other questions are answered on the new [Traveling With Electronics IT&S webpage](#).

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