

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

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in

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FAS Important dates

DUNNING HALL



February 6 | Summer 2023 registration begins February 20 | Family Day (no classes) February 21-24 | Mid-term Reading Week



Feb 1, 2023 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM

QUIP Drop-In Advising upcoming **FVENTS** Have questions about the Queen's Undergraduate Internship Program (QUIP)? Join us IN-

PERSON or ONLINE for QUIP drop-in with an Internship Coordinator. No appointment required. Please note, as this is drop-in, you may have to wait behind other students who are ahead of you in line.

IN-PERSON ADVISING is held in Career Services - 3rd Floor of Gordon Hall at 74 Union. Please check in at reception and they will direct you to the waiting area for advising. ONLINE ADVISING is available by accessing <u>this link</u> using your Queen's Zoom account. When you join the meeting through your ZOOM student account, you will be placed in a virtual lobby as the Internship Coordinator may be meeting with other students for up to 10 minutes at a time. When it is your turn and the Coordinator is ready for you, they will admit you into the meeting. We appreciate your patience.



Government Gouvernement of Canada du Canada

Career Boot Camp 2023 is open to all current public servants, students, as well as those aspiring to join the GoC as students and employees.

The landscape of GoC hiring is evolving in ways that none of us anticipated and Federal Youth Network (FYN) is excited to learn and share with you the best tips and tricks for advancing your career in the new hybrid world. To reach this goal, we have committed to a full roster of never-before-seen speakers from across the GC. These new speakers will share their diverse perspectives, unique experiences, and individual journeys in hopes of inspiring the next generation of public service leaders: YOU.

Join us **January 24** or **26**, 2023 for Career Boot Camp 2023! Register early <u>here</u> so you don't miss out.

Mayor's Innovation Challenge

The Mayor's Innovation Challenge is calling on students to come up with a creative idea that contributes to making Kingston a better place to live, work or play. This is a great learning opportunity for those looking to gain valuable career experience through paid internships or for those looking to grow an idea into a business venture. Participation is simple: we're asking individuals or teams of up to three to submit a 2-3 minute video outlining an idea that could be implemented in the city and contributes to the quality of life of residents, or a proposal that leverages emerging technologies or develops new innovations to enhance the delivery of municipal services. The individuals or teams of submissions that are shortlisted will be invited to a pitch competition on **Friday March 10th** where panelists can ask more questions about the idea. Post-secondary students can win paid internships with the City of Kingston or win seed funding through the Dunin-Deshpande Queen's Innovation Centre (<u>https://www.queensu.ca/innovationcentre/launch/qyourventure</u>)

Interested or looking to learn more? Sign-up for a workshop. By participating in a workshop, you'll be entered into a draw for 5/\$25.00 gift cards.

We have two upcoming informative workshops: **Thursday January 26th** from 12:00pm-1:00pm. Register <u>here</u>. OR **Monday January 30th** from 4:30pm-5:30pm.

Register <u>here</u>.

Any questions, email: <u>mic@cityofkingston.ca</u>.



To learn more, visit: <u>www.cityofkingston.ca/mic</u>.

Stories Spark Change



Join us on **January 26th** for a virtual conversation with adrienne maree brown. More information and the registration link is available on our <u>Instagram</u> page (@qusvprs).

Stories Spark Change: An Evening with adrienne maree brown

Join internationally renowned writer, activist, musician, and facilitator adrienne maree brown for an in-depth conversation on joy, pleasure, and healing. This virtual event will feature student poetry and artwork, and the conversation will be moderated by Keneisha Charles.

> January 26th, 6-730pm Virtual Register via link in bio

safeTALK Training

Date: Thursday February 2, 2023, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm Location: In-person (location sent upon registration)

This session prepares participants to recognize people who are having thoughts of suicide by applying the TALK steps (Tell, Ask, Listen, KeepSafe) and connect them to a suicide first-aid intervention caregiver. Powerful videos illustrate the importance of suicide alertness, while discussion and practice simulate learning.

All participants must attend the full 3 hours to receive their certificate of completion. Participants will also receive program materials including a workbook. Cost is \$15 for students and \$25 for staff/faculty.

Register for safeTALK

This Is Evidence exhibit

February 6-17, 2023 HOURS: Monday to Friday, 10 AM - 4 PM

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND! Presented by The Isabel.

This is Evidence, a powerful multi-media Photovoice exhibit focuses on undocumented South Asian male migrants from Bangladesh, Pakistan, and India living in Greece. "This will let the people learn how we live our lives here," —these words from an undocumented Bangladeshi migrant worker sums the impetus behind this exhibit. Themes include xenophobia, Islamophobia, temporary labour migration, securitization of borders, as

well as enactments of masculinity and encounters between migrant men and the Greek population. The exhibit includes photographic stills and videos taken by the migrant men to show their lives as undocumented workers, drone films, interactive touchscreens, maps showing migrant trajectories, life-histories, songs sung and games played for leisure, and reconstructed migrant housing.

safeTALK

Tell

Ask

Listen

KeepSafe

Canadian Economics Association Competition

Student Opportunities

The 2022/23 Student Infographic Competition

Explore the latest public finance and economic data and share your insights through the Finances of the Nation Student Infographic Competition!

Infographics are a clean, creative, and intuitive way to communicate data. The process of designing them can enhance your understanding of information and improve your skills at data visualization. They can reveal key patterns quickly, and are increasingly used by businesses, academics, governments, statistical agencies, and more!

Submissions should focus on Canadian public policy issues or economic questions using the latest data from Finances of the Nation or other related sources.

Key Dates

Deadline for submissions: **April 1, 2023** Results announced before April 30, 2023

Prizes

The top three infographics will be featured on the Finances of the Nation website, including a brief article discussing the key insight.

The winning entry will receive \$500. The runner-up will receive \$200.

We [Finances of the Nation] gratefully acknowledge financial support provided by <u>Wilfrid Laurier</u> <u>University's Department of Economics</u> and through a Social Science and Humanities Research Council Partnership Development Grant.

For competition details see the <u>PDF</u> or visit: <u>https://financesofthenation.ca/student-infographic-</u> <u>competition/</u>



Applications are due by <u>3 pm Tuesday March 7, 2023</u>

Awards will be presented at the Isabel Bader Centre for Performing Arts as part of our Inspiring Women 2023: An Evening at the Isabel Thursday April 27, 2023 at 7 pm.

Ban Righ Bursary Award

Call for Applications!

The Ban Righ Foundation Student Spring Awards celebrate the achievements and determination of mature women students at Queen's.

Contact: <u>webbl@queensu.ca</u> for more information and an application package.

Applications are due by 3pm, Tuesday March 7, 2023.



Student Infographic Competition! Explore the latest Canadian public finance data and share your insights

Job Opportunities

Entry-level Economist Needed

<u>The Centre for the Study of Living Standards</u> (CSLS) is seeking an entry-level economist. The position is particularly suitable for a student completing undergraduate or masters studies in economics this year who wishes to gain real world experience as an economist before pursuing further studies in economics. The position involves conducting analysis and applied research on topics related to productivity, living

standards, and economic well-being in Canada and other countries and developing policy recommendations to improve performance in these areas. For more information, <u>click here</u>.



<u>Qualifications</u> • BA, MA or PhD in economics

- Strong technical and analytical skills
- Excellent written and oral communication skills
 Strong interest in living standards issues

Interested? Email a cover letter and CV to CSLS Executive Director <u>Andrew Sharpe</u> by **January 31, 2023**.

Predoctoral Fellow Spring 2023 Recruiting

<u>Opportunity Insights</u> (OI) at Harvard University is hiring several full-time predoctoral fellows to start in Summer 2023 to work with our research group and under the direction of Raj Chetty, John Friedman, and Nathan Hendren. OI is a nonpartisan research and policy institute focused on improving economic opportunity. Applications due **Thursday, February 2nd, 2023 at 11:59pm ET**.

Predoctoral Fellow Job Description.

OPPORTUNITY INSIGHTS

Summer Job Opportunity

Further information and answers to FAQs can be found <u>here</u>.



Competition Bureau Canada Bureau de la concurrence Canada

The Monopolistic Practices Directorate of the Competition Bureau is seeking full-time students enrolled in economics, commerce, business administration or law programs (levels L1, L2 and L3) for the Summer 2023 Term (May through August).

The Competition Bureau is an independent law enforcement agency responsible for the administration and enforcement of the Competition Act. Its role is to promote and maintain fair competition in markets so that all Canadians can benefit from competitive prices, product choice and quality services.

One or more positions are available at the Competition Bureau's head office in Gatineau, or at the Toronto regional office. Employees must work on-site a minimum of two days a week.

How to apply: applications must include a resume and all post-secondary transcripts and be sent to the email address: <u>francis.bergeron@cb-bc.gc.ca</u>.

Application deadline: Application must be sent by end of day **February 3, 2023**.

For more information, please visit the <u>web site</u> or view the <u>job posting</u>.

Graduate Programs

MA in Globalization



M.A. in Globalization is an interdisciplinary program that examines the complex political, social, economic, cultural, discursive and theoretical developments related to processes of globalization and how these come to bear upon our lives, our communities, and the environment in which we live. Research areas include: contemporary culture; diasporic, transnational and multicultural communities; global governance; international trade and finance; and social, environmental and labour issues.



McMaster

For more information, click <u>here</u> to view the brochure.

Guanghua School of Management

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Applications for PKU Guanghua's English-taught Ph.D. Program 2023 intake is open. If you are considering a Ph.D. or are interested in China/the Asia region this opportunity is for you.

PKU Guanghua's Ph.D. program is fully-funded and can be completed entirely in English, including all Ph.D. coursework, students' graduation dissertations, and all other academic instruction and requirements. Individuals who possess a Bachelor's degree but do not possess a Master's degree may seek admission to one of Guanghua's Ph.D. programs by applying to the Research Master (<u>Pre-doctoral Program</u>). For more information, view the <u>flyer</u> or visit the <u>website</u>.

University Information

Need support, but not sure who to contact?

Email <u>studentaffairs@queensu.ca</u> to get started. Units across Student Affairs offer programming, advising, events, and more.

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