Preface

The sixth edition of the Faculty of Social Sciences Year in Review catalogues our activities during another year compounded by the continued uncertainty and disruption caused by the COVID-19 pandemic.

The last year has stretched us, but our faculty, staff and students have continued to make great strides towards our mission of asking challenging questions, pursuing understanding and working with others to create a more sustainable and just society.

The Year in Review document is for the faculty, staff and students of the Faculty of Social Sciences, as a way of documenting our activities, which can help assess progress against many of our goals. It provides information regarding several crucial areas including undergraduate and graduate education, research and scholarship, funding and donations, and reputation management. In the last year, the Faculty has already made excellent progress toward strengthening its internal data management processes, and we expect this document will continue to develop to reflect these improvements.

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the 2021-22 Year in Review. It is a testament to the teamwork and transparency that is central to our work and community.

Jeremiah Hurley, Dean
Faculty of Social Sciences
September 2022
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People

The Faculty of Social Sciences continued to attract and retain some of the best experts in their fields over the last year. This growth strategy continues to align with the faculty’s priority of attaining excellence in education, scholarly research, and service to the University and its communities.

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HAS | 9 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 13 |
Labour Studies | 6 | 1.00 | 0.00 | 7 |
Political Science | 20 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 24 |
Religious Studies | 12 | 1.00 | 2.00 | 15 |
Social Work | 11 | 2.00 | 1.00 | 14 |
Sociology | 16 | 3.00 | 0.00 | 19 |
Total | 116 | 15.00 | 9.00 | 140 |

*Faculty appointments cannot be made to education programs.

Faculty Transitions

The Faculty of Social Sciences welcomed several new faculty, post-doctoral fellows, visitors and other scholars between July 1, 2021, and June 30, 2022. Many faculty members were promoted, while others retired after years of dedicated service.

New Hires

- Nathan Andrews, Associate Professor (tenured), Political Science
- Savage Bear (formerly Tracy Bear), Assistant Professor (tenure-track), Indigenous Studies Program
- Sarah Clancy, Assistant (teaching-track) Professor, Health, Aging & Society
- Jeremy Cohen, Lecturer (CLA), Religious Studies
- Arij Elmi, Lecturer (tenure-track), Social Work
- Anthea Innes, Professor (tenured), Health Aging & Society
- Robert Innes, Associate Professor (tenured), Indigenous Studies Program
- Anne-Marie Livingstone, Assistant Professor (tenure-track), Sociology
- Emily Merson, Assistant Professor (CLA), Political Science

Tenure, Permanence and Promotion

- Mirna Carranza was promoted to Professor of Social Work
- Tristan Carter was promoted to Professor of Anthropology
- Phillipa Chong achieved tenure and promoted to Associate Professor of Sociology
- Michelle Dion was promoted to Professor of Political Science
Bonnie Freeman achieved tenure and was promoted to Associate Professor of Social Work
Lisa Kaida achieved tenure and was promoted to Associate Professor of Sociology
Tara La Rose achieved tenure and promoted to Associate Professor of Social Work
Inder Marwah achieved tenure and promoted to Associate Professor of Political Science

Administrative Transitions
Gavin Andrews was appointed Acting Chair of the Department of Health, Aging & Society on July 1, 2021
James Gillett was appointed Director of the Community Research Platform on July 1, 2021
Ameil Joseph was appointed as the Faculty of Social Sciences’ Professor in Equity, Identity and Transformation and as the Academic Director of Community-Engaged Research and Relationships by the Office of Community Engagement
Celia Rothenberg was appointed Chair of the Department of Religious Studies on July 1, 2021
Bradley Ruffle was reappointed as Director of the McMaster Decision Science Laboratory (McDSL) on July 1, 2021

Post-doctoral Fellows
Deena Abul Fottouh, Sociology, Understanding COVID misinformation streams, McMaster Global Nexus Funds & Faculty Contributions
Aly Bailey, Health, Aging & Society, Equitable access to physical activity and sport, SSHRC IG
Sina Baleka, Anthropology, Evolutionary History of Elephants, DFG, NSERC
Alex Beyer, Political Science, Big Data, Elections, Political Behavior, Public Opinion, Public Policy, Survey Methodology, Voting Advise Applications, MITACS
Sarah Duignan, Anthropology, Water Insecurity at Six Nations, Global Water Futures
Celine Gillot, Anthropology, Architectural Connections: Building Houses and Communities at Rio Bec., Fonds de Recherche du Québec–Société et Culture
Nicole Malette, Sociology, Gateway Cities –phase two, K. Robson
Mark Norman, Health, Aging & Society, Trauma, Incarceration and Youth, HAS, Memorial University of Newfoundland (MUN), Community Research Platform (CRP) and J. Gillett
Donya Razavi, Health, Aging & Society, Gender Transformative Menstrual Hygiene Management (MHM) Program Implementation in Low and Middle-Income Countries, MITACS and L. Kapiriri
Claudia-Marcela Velez, Health, Aging & Society, Health policy, decision making and priority setting, McMaster COVID-19 research fund
Tyler Murchie, Anthropology, Extinction horizon and late survival of North American, CANA Foundation, NSERC
Krystn Orr, School of Social Work, A participatory approach to redeveloping coach and volunteer online training modules: A Special Olympics Context, MITACS Elevate Postdoctoral Fellowship Program/Special Olympics Ontario
Diana Singh, Sociology, Mental health community research platform, M. Young
Daina Stanley, School of Social Work, Building Knowledge and Networks to Improve Health and Social Service Outcomes for Older Justice-Involved Persons: A Pilot Study,
Aging Research in Criminal Justice and Health (ARCH) Network R24 of the National Institutes of Health

- **Kaitlin Wynia**, Health, Aging & Society, *Toward the development of a framework for research collaboration between public libraries and universities*, MITACS

**Retirements**

- **Ellen Badone**, Professor, Department of Religious Studies
- **Stephanie Baker-Collins**, Professor, School of Social Work

**Resignations**

- **Daniel Machiela**, Associate Professor, Department of Religious Studies

**Distinguished Visiting Speakers**

Despite the restrictions on gathering in place because of the COVID-19 pandemic, departments could still host some distinguished guests virtually from July 1, 2021, through June 30, 2022.

**Hooker Distinguished Visiting Professor for 2022**

*Economics*

- **Dirk Krueger**, Professor in the Social Sciences and Professor of Economics, University of Pennsylvania, *"The Fiscal and Welfare Effects of Policy Responses to the Covid-19 School Closures"*

**2021-22 Labelle Lecture**

*Economics*

- **Jay Shaw**, Assistant Professor at the University of Toronto’s Dalla Lana School of Public Health, *"Will Innovation Save Health Care? Issues and Opportunities for Health Care as a Public Good."*

**Awards and Distinctions**

The following awards were conferred upon faculty members between July 1, 2021, and June 30, 2022.

- **Gavin Andrews**, Health, Aging & Society, was awarded a prestigious Doctor of Science by the University of Nottingham
- **Nathan Andrews**, Political Science, received the Faculty’s 2022 Early Career Award
- **Bettina Brüggemann**, Economics, won a 2022 Best Paper Award for the American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics
- **Sarah Clancy**, Health, Aging and Society and Social Psychology, received the 2022 McMaster Student Union Excellence Teaching Award for the Faculty of Social Sciences
- **Nicole Dalmer**, Health, Aging & Society, received the Faculty’s 2022 Early Career Award
- **Jeff Denis**, Sociology, won the John Porter Tradition of Excellence Book Award
- **Jim Dunn**, Health, Aging & Society, was named as one of Canada’s top 10 researchers in Social Sciences and Humanities by research.com
- **David Feeny**, Economics, was named as one of Canada’s top 10 researchers in Social Sciences and Humanities by research.com
- **Ann Fudge Schormans**, School of Social Work, received the 2022 Faculty Impact Award
Chelsea Gabel, Health, Aging & Society, was named a 2022 University Scholar

Michel Grignon, Health, Aging & Society, received a 2021 Graduate Student Recognition Award for Excellence in Graduate Supervision

Meirav Jones, Religious Studies, received the 2022 McMaster Student Union Excellence Teaching Award for the Arts and Sciences Program

Ameil Joseph, School of Social Work, Faculty of Social Sciences Professorship in Equity, Identity and Transformation

Adam Lavecchia, Economics, was awarded the 2021 John Charles Polanyi Prize in Economic Sciences

Dawn Martin-Hill, Anthropology, was awarded the University of Oklahoma International Water Prize

Robert O’Brien, Political Science, was awarded the Fulbright Canada Research Chair in Public Diplomacy

Sally E. Palmer, School of Social Work, received an Ontario Senior Achievement Award

Netina Tan, Political Science, received the 2022 Global Scholar-in-Community Fellowship

Vanessa Watts, Indigenous Studies and Sociology, received the 2021 President's Award for Outstanding Contributions to Teaching and Learning

**Honorary Degrees**

At the Fall 2021 Convocation for Business, Humanities, Social Sciences and Arts & Science, the following individuals received honorary degrees:

**Harold Brathwaite (posthumous)**

Harold Brathwaite received his elementary and secondary education in Barbados and his undergraduate education took him to Jamaica and France. Brathwaite taught at the elementary, secondary and university levels, and has served on several professional associations and Ministry of Education committees. He has been a department head, vice-principal, Administrative Assistant to the Superintendent of Program and was Principal of M.M. Robinson High School in Burlington.

He joined the Toronto Board of Education in 1984 as Superintendent for French-Language Schools and subsequently held the positions of Superintendent of the East Family of Secondary Schools and Coordinating Superintendent of Secondary Schools. He was appointed Associate Director of Education - Human Resources in 1991 and took on the added responsibilities of Program in 1993. Harold was promoted to the position of Director of Education for the Peel Board of Education in 1994, becoming the first Black person to lead a school board in Canada. He died in 2020.

**Don McLean**

Don McLean is a lifelong environmentalist and advocate for open government. McLean is also a co-founder of Environment Hamilton and was also the Chair of the Friends of Red Hill Valley from 1992 to 2003. The grassroots citizens’ organization worked tirelessly to protect the only remaining green corridor between the Niagara Escarpment and Lake Ontario in East Hamilton. Even after the Red Hill Valley Parkway was eventually built, the community legacy of the Friends of Red Hill Valley remained significant through energized local environmental and activist groups and through the annual environmental seminar series called the Spirit of Red Hill Valley, which McLean created and guided.
McLean is also a former board member of the Hamilton Naturalists’ Club and former vice-chair of the Bay Area Restoration Council, which handles public education and advocacy on behalf of the remediation of Hamilton Harbour. McLean was recognized with the Award of Merit at the 1992 Hamilton Environmentalist of the Year event and, five years later, with the Dr. Victor Cecilioni Environmentalist of the Year Award.

In 2004, he founded and coordinated Citizens at City Hall (CATCH), to improve transparency and hold Hamilton City Council accountable for its decisions and empower other citizens to speak up. He wrote over 1,600 articles for CATCH, enhancing accountability and public awareness. His voice is also familiar to listeners of CFMU 93.5 for his longstanding presence on Transit Talk.

A recipient of the Queen’s Diamond Jubilee Medal in 2012, McLean has also received the Independent Media Lifetime Achievement Award and was inducted into the Hamilton Gallery of Distinction in 2019.

At the Spring convocation on June 15, 2022, an honorary degree was conferred to the following individuals:

Pamela Appelt
Pamela Appelt is a retired judge and community volunteer who has spent her life working to improve the lives of children and families. Born in Jamaica, Appelt came to Canada in 1966 and worked as a researcher in medical biochemistry at McGill University for several years. Appelt holds a master’s degree in Public Policy and later became the first female Afro-Canadian to serve as a judge of the Court of Canadian Citizenship. She has spent her life working with many community and national organizations. She helped found the Black-Jewish dialogue of B’Nai Brith Canada. Appelt also played an instrumental role in bringing the archives of iconic Jamaican Canadian poet Louise Bennett Coverley to the McMaster University Library.

Elva Jamieson
Elva Jamieson is from the Cayuga Nation of the Six Nations of the Grand River. She has dedicated her life to protecting and sharing traditional Indigenous epistemology, language and culture. A traditional healer and a Faith Keeper within the Cayuga Longhouse, Jamieson taught the Cayuga language and was vice principal of the Kawenni:io/Gaweni:yo Elementary and Secondary School at Six Nations before founding Juddah’s Place, a collaborative care model clinic that offers primary care and Indigenous traditional services. Jamieson has shared her knowledge with McMaster students and has also played a key role in the University’s development of the Indigenous Health Learning Lodge. Over many years, Jamieson has been a guiding voice in the Faculty of Health Sciences’ response to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada’s Calls to Action.

Staff Transitions
In 2022, permanent support staff across the Faculty numbered 67.42. Part-time/casual/student staff numbered 25.42. The total number of support staff was 92.84. This number represents core staff, deviating from previous Year-in-Review reports which captured all interim staff, including those paid through research grants or other alternative sources.

New Appointments*
- Claire Arsenault, Academic Advisor, Office of the Associate Dean Academic
- Emma Beamson, Administrative Assistant, Department of Economics
- Sara Binnie, Undergraduate Administrative Assistant, Department of Political Science
- Colleen Brown, Graduate Administrative Assistant, Department of Health, Aging & Society
- Kristine Espiritu, Academic Department Manager, Department of Health, Aging & Society
- Julie Gouweloos, Academic and Experiential Learning Coordinator, Office of the Associate Dean Academic
- Sonja Hinds, Financial Coordinator, Office of the Dean
- Bradly Honeywill, Communications Coordinator, Department of Health, Aging & Society
- Sara Howdle, Research Associate, Indigenous Research Institute
- Laura Johnson, Administrative Assistant, Master of Public Policy Program and Department of Political Science
- Meghan Johnston, Manager of Communications, Office of the Dean
- Kimberly Langille, Research Assistant, Department of Health, Aging & Society Office of the Associate Dean Academic
- Emma Pechmann, Academic Advisor (career growth), Office of the Associate Dean Academic
- Elya Porter, Administrative Assistant, Indigenous Research Institute
- Juliette Prouse, Director of Finance and Administration, Office of the Dean
- Claire Richardson, Senior Development Officer, Office of the Dean
- Cynthia Schooley, Career Development Advisor, Office of the Associate Dean Academic
- Saria Shaheen, Administrative Assistant, Department of Economics
- Megan Stokes, Program Administrator (career growth), Office of the Associate Dean Academic
- Ye Zhao, Undergraduate Administrative Assistant, Department of Economics

* Temporary, interim and short-term employees are not reflected in this list.

**Retirements**
- Tracey Canaris, Administrative Assistant, Office of the Associate Dean Academic
- Lori Ewing, Academic Department Manager, Department of Health, Aging & Society
- Tina Horton, Academic Advisor, Office of the Associate Dean Academic
- Theresa Marrin, Academic Advisor, Office of the Associate Dean Academic
- Lars Nielsen, SEAL Lab Manager, Spark: a centre for social research innovation.

**Resignations**
- Matthew Belan, Academic Advisor, Office of the Associate Dean Academic
- Jennifer Graci, Manager of Finance and Data Analysis, Office of Dean
- Carrie McMullin, Program Administrator, Indigenous Studies Program
- Jennifer Nettleton, Undergraduate Administrator, Department of Religious Studies

**Awards and Distinctions**
The following awards were conferred to staff between July 1, 2021, and June 30, 2022.
- Vass Bednar, Master of Public Policy in Digital Society, was a recipient of the 2021 President's Awards for Outstanding Service
Kristine Espiritu, Health, Aging & Society, received a 2021 Graduate Student Recognition Award for Contributions by Non-Academic Staff

Years of Service Awards
The following employees reached a service milestone between July 1, 2021 and June 30, 2022.

10 Years of Service Recipients
- Mark Busser, Careers and Experiential Education
- Anthony Tambureno, School of Labour Studies

15 Years of Service Recipients
- Hassanain Awadh, Sociology
- Tammy Maikawa, School of Social Work
- Sam Vrankulj, School of Labour Studies
- Bonnie Kahlon, Anthropology

20 Years of Service Recipients
- David Cameron, Economics
- Suzanne Hunt, Faculty of Social Sciences
- Wendy Ryckman, Political Science
- Wendy Spencer, Faculty of Social Science

25 Years of Service Recipients
- Karen Bird, Political Science
- Neil McLaughlin, Sociology
- Petra Rethmann, Anthropology

Obituaries
Between the period, faculty and staff said farewell to several colleagues. We continue to extend condolences to the families and friends of Jack Haas, Edward Glanville, Stuart Mestelman, Robert Andrew Muller and Susan Watt.

Jack Haas, Sociology (1939-2021)
Born in Buffalo, New York, Dr. Jack Haas attended Brockport University where he earned a PhD in Sociology. A keen advocate for social justice, while working as a professor in the United States, Haas vocally supported the student movement opposed to the Vietnam war and was dismissed from two university posts. In 1971, Haas moved to Canada, spending most of his academic career at McMaster University. He pioneered qualitative analysis in the field and was renowned for his studies exploring group behaviour.

Edward Glanville, Anthropology (1936-2022)
Former Chair of the Department of Anthropology, Dr. Edward Glanville, died in January 2022. A former student of Trinity College and the Avoca School, colleagues and students will fondly remember Glanville.

Stuart Mestelman, Economics (1943-2022)
Dr. Stuart Mestelman joined McMaster’s Department of Economics as an assistant professor in 1969 before being promoted to associate professor in 1976, and then to professor in 1986. His
research interests were many, but he primarily focused on public economics, resource and environmental economics and industrial organization.

Mestelman was also a leading contributor to the development of the field of experimental economics. In 1994, he and his colleagues helped found the McMaster Experimental Economics Laboratory, he served as the lab’s co-director between 1994 and 2017, beyond his official retirement from McMaster in 2008. He also served as acting associate dean in the Faculty of Social Sciences for one year between 2004 and 2005. In July 2002, he also briefly acted as the dean. He held the position of Chair of the Department of Economics on two occasions, between 1986 and 1992 and again between 1997 and 2004. In his decades-long career, Stuart published dozens of papers and contributed to many books.

Robert Andrew Muller, Economics (1943 – 2021)
A graduate of the University of Toronto, Dr. Robert “Andy” Muller joined McMaster’s Department of Economics in 1972 and retired in 2008. During his decades at McMaster, Andy taught undergraduate and graduate courses in microeconomics, industrial organization, environmental and resource economics, and experimental economics.

Andy was a pioneer in the development of the use of controlled laboratory experiments to study economic environments in Canada. His experience in computer programming was critical to the establishment of the computer laboratory that was the heart of the McMaster Experimental Economics Laboratory, becoming the co-director in 1994. Since then, the facility has grown into the McMaster Decision Science Laboratory, in which both market and non-market decision-making is studied.

Susan Watt, School of Social Work (1947 – 2022)
Dr. Susan Watt joined the McMaster School of Social Work faculty in 1977 and served as Director from 1987 to 1993. Her program of research examined the intersections of health care and social policy and strengthened health services and improved education for professional practice in health settings.

Over her career, Watt was known as an exemplary and skilled citizen of McMaster, contributing to university governance at all levels and mentoring many junior colleagues. She served as Associate Dean of the Faculty of Social Sciences from 2005 to 2010 and, in that role and in her contributions to the MacPherson Institute, she provided leadership in pedagogical research and innovation. For many years after her retirement in 2013, Watt also mobilized her resources as a scholar and advocate in the areas of health care for women and newborn infants in Canada and the global south.
Research and Scholarly Activities

2021-22 represented another successful year for researchers in the Faculty of Social Sciences. Rising to the challenge of monitoring the tremendous social, cultural, political and economic impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, many researchers worked throughout the last two years to publish research on current and developing issues. Because of the excellent work of the Faculty’s Research Support Team, there was a 146% increase in new research funding in 2021-22 compared to the previous year.

The Faculty also continues to partner with multiple private, public-sector, and community organizations, agencies, groups, and not-for-profit organizations. The following shows the quality and scope of the Faculty’s research activities.

Research Funding

$12.8 MILLION in new research funding

65 Applications submitted
60% Success rate
44 Number of Social Science Applicants

Social Sciences internal and external research funding
The period marked the second consecutive year of COVID-19 restrictions and interruptions. Despite this, social sciences researchers continued to garner significant investment in their programs from reputable funding programs.

As Principal Investigators (PIs), 44 faculty members received over $12.8 million in new research funding, an increase from $5.2 million in the previous year. Notably, over $9 million was awarded to find solutions to enhance the recruitment, hiring, promotion and retention of persons with disabilities in the workforce. Over $300,000 will go towards the exploration of how data can prevent and manage infections and death from COVID-19 in older adults. Although not recorded in this document, faculty also played significant roles in research grants awarded to the university that are worth several millions of dollars as co-investigators and collaborators.

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Applications for Research Funding
There was a slight decline in the success rate of social sciences researchers in funding competitions through the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) over the period. However, the overall performance continues to exceed national averages in many programs.
In SSHRC’s flagship Insight Grant competition, 45% or 5 of 11 applications from the faculty were successful. Our researchers exceeded national success rates in the Insight Development Grant competition with a 57% success rate (4 of 7 applications from FSS successful), the Partnership Engage Grant competition with a 100% success rate (5 of 5 applications from FSS successful), and the Connection Grant competition with a 75% success rate (3 of 4 applications from FSS successful). These performances are an indicator of the impact and quality of the projects our researchers are pursuing, and researchers develop. Researchers also achieved strong results in an array of highly competitive local and national non-tri-agency competitions, securing $2.2 million in research support from these sources. These include large grants through the Ontario Ministry of Transportation and the Canadian Mortgage and Housing Corporation.

Faculty of Social Sciences Research Awards
The faculty’s internal awards are annual nomination-based research awards. Four faculty members received the awards in 2021-22.

The Early Career Researcher Award recognizes research excellence by an early-stage faculty member. This is demonstrated through contributions to one’s field of study, providing a stimulating research environment that incorporates students and teaching and effectively communicating research results. This year, there were two recipients. Nathan Andrews (Political Science) and Nicole Dalmer (Health, Aging and Society) are the 2022 Early Career Researcher Award recipients.

The Impact Award recognizes outstanding long-term research outcomes that take the form of changed thinking, behaviours and policy, research impacts, knowledge mobilization, and/or outreach activities. The 2022 recipient is Ann Fudge Schormans (School of Social Work).

The Global Scholar-in-Community Fellowship (formerly the Scholar-in-Community Fellowship) provides a faculty member with the opportunity for research collaborations with community organizations to produce and mobilize knowledge in mutually beneficial ways. The 2022 Global Scholar-in-Community fellow is Netina Tan (Political Science).

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Canada Research Chairs
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Ontario Research Chairs
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Additional Research Chairs

Canada Research Chairs and Professorships
- Megan Brickley, Canada Research Chair (Tier 1) in Bioarchaeology of Human Disease
- Stephen McBride, Canada Research Chair (Tier 1) in Public Policy and Globalization
- Chelsea Gabel, Canada Research Chair (Tier 2) in Indigenous Well-Being, Community Engagement, and Innovation
- Marisa Young, Canada Research Chair (Tier 2) in Mental Health and Work-Life Transitions
- Irene Botosaru, Canada Research Chair (Tier 2) in Applied Econometrics
Ontario Research Chairs
  o Karen Robson, Ontario Research Chair in Educational Achievement and At-Risk Youth
  o Arthur Sweetman, Ontario Research Chair in Health Human Resources

Additional Research Chairs and Professorships
  o Michelle L. Dion, Senator William McMaster Chair in Gender & Methodology
  o Jim Dunn, Senator William McMaster Chair in Urban Health Equity
  o Jeffrey S. Racine, Senator William McMaster Chair in Econometrics
  o Liyakat Takim, Sharjah Chair in Global Islam
  o Vanessa Watts, Paul R. MacPherson Chair in Indigenous Studies
Research Institutes, Centres and Platforms

The Faculty of Social Sciences hosts many research institutes, centres and platforms, many with a strong interdisciplinary focus and providing stimulating research environments for our faculty and students. Faculty from the Social Sciences take leading roles in several inter-faculty research institutes and centres that, collectively, span the university.

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Research Institutes, Centres and Groups in the Faculty of Social Sciences
- Arts-Centred, Community-Engaged Social Science (ACCESS)
- Critical Health Research Network
- Collaboratory for Research on Urban Neighbourhoods, Community Health and Housing (CRUNCH)
- Feast Centre for Indigenous STBBI Research
- First Nations Digital Democracy
- Gilbreath Centre for Studies in Aging
- Institute for Globalization and the Human Condition
- McMaster Ancient DNA Centre
- McMaster Centre for Buddhist Studies
- Network to Study Productivity in Canada from a Firm-Level Perspective
- Spark: a centre for social research innovation (formerly Centre for Research in Empirical Social Sciences)

Inter-Faculty Research Institutes and Centres with Substantial Social Sciences Participation
- Centre for Health Economics and Policy Analysis (CHEPA)
- MacData Research Institute
- McMaster Indigenous Research Institute (MIRI)
- McMaster Institute for Research on Aging (MIRA)
- McMaster Institute for Health Equity (MIHE)

Research Facilities and Resources in the Faculty of Social Sciences
- Centre for Integrated Bioarchaeological Research in Health, Diet, Disease & Migration
- Fisheries Archaeology Research Centre (FARC)
- Lab for Interdisciplinary Research on Archaeological Ceramics (LIRAC)
- McMaster Ancient DNA Centre
- McMaster Archaeological XRF Lab (MAX Lab)
- McMaster Paleoethnobotany Research Facility (MPERF)
- Sustainable Archaeology at McMaster Innovation Park
- Sensory Ethnography Research Lab at McMaster Innovation Park
- McMaster Decision Science Laboratory (McDSL)
- McMaster University Archive for the History of Economic Thought
- Secure Empirical Analysis Lab (SEAL)
Research Partners

Research partners are diverse and include organizations including:

- Federal government
- Government of Ontario
- Other provincial governments
- Municipalities and regional organizations
- Indigenous Nations and organizations
- Non-profit and community organizations
- Post-secondary institutions
- Private business organizations
- Professional organizations and associations
- Think tanks and research organizations
- Advocacy groups

See Appendix A for a selection of these research partners.

Community Research Platform

The Community Research Platform (CRP) launched in 2019 and was recognized as a core research platform at McMaster in 2021. The CRP is a collaborative initiative between the Faculty of Social Sciences and five local community organizations:

- Canadian Mental Health Association of Hamilton (CMHA)
- Young Women’s Christian Association of Hamilton (YWCA)
- John Howard Society of Ontario (JHSO)
- Hamilton Public Library (HPL)
- Centre 3 for Artistic and Social Practice (C3)

The CRP’s main aim is to provide the infrastructure, resources, and support to advance mutually beneficial and impactful research collaboration between university researchers and community partners. Stakeholders share research infrastructure in the form of space, software, data, equipment, and expertise. The CRP has formed five interdisciplinary/intersectoral research work groups focused on thematic areas that align with the expertise and interests of McMaster researchers and the mandates of community partners. They include:

- Mental Health
- Gender and Intersectionality
- Crime, Criminalization and Punishment
- Social Engagement and Community Resilience
- Arts-informed Research. Each group works to advance research that contributes to social impact (i.e., shedding light on social issues, supporting innovation, and providing guidance for program development and/or policy).

Below are some key CRP highlights from the reporting period (June 2021-July 2022):

- **18** Collaborative research projects
- **32** Research training opportunities in CRP projects
- **3** Adjunct appointments for community leaders
Knowledge Exchange and Mobilization

In 2021-22, members of McMaster’s Social Sciences community organized and hosted over 70 seminars and speaker series events, as well as over one dozen conferences, symposia and workshops to ensure faculty and graduate student research was widely shared across campus and beyond.

There was a gradual relaxation of the restrictions on gathering first introduced during the pandemic, and as a result, they held more events than in the prior year. However, many departments continued to host fewer events or held events virtually out of an abundance of caution. The faculty hopes that in the coming years they can fully resume regular events when it is safe to do so.

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Conferences, Symposia & Workshops

70+
Seminars & Speaker Series Events

For a list of events held over the year, refer to Appendix B.
News and Social Media

Internal News Stories
The faculty’s communications team works closely with McMaster University’s Communications, Marketing and Public Affairs team (CMPA) to highlight the work done by our researchers. These updates are published to the university’s Daily News and Brighter World sites.

In addition to this, department staff also ensure the visibility of research efforts is maintained by consistently producing internal news stories and event updates for publication to the FSS website under the News and Events section. These articles are not recorded in this document; however, this should not diminish the significance of the contribution and the excellent work done by FSS researchers, staff and students.

This section is dedicated to news items written by McMaster staff and faculty for external audiences through three channels: The Conversation, The Daily News (McMaster) and Brighter World (McMaster).

The period of July 1, 2021, and June 30, 2022, was again successful for researchers in the Faculty of Social Sciences. Faculty, alumni and students were mentioned, featured or cited in 13,390 articles and broadcasts domestically and internationally. This represented an increase of 150% compared to 2020-21.

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The Conversation

During this period, researchers from the Faculty of Social Sciences contributed 28 articles to The Conversation. This accounted for a 4% increase over the prior year. Of these articles, graduate students submitted 50%. For the second consecutive year, articles from Social Sciences faculty and students accounted for the most Conversation articles from any McMaster faculty.

- June 28, 2021, *Vaccine hesitancy is decreasing in Canada, but it’s too soon to celebrate*, Arthur Sweetman (Economics), Victor Rego (Economics) and Yan Li (Economics)
- August 4, 2021, *The advantages of unionization are obvious, so why don’t more workers join unions?*, Stephanie Ross (School of Labour Studies)
- September 16, 2021, *Bullying, racism and being ‘different’: Why some families are opting for remote learning regardless of COVID-19*, J. Marshall Beier (Political Science)
- October 4, 2021, *Environmentalists must pressure the Indian government to take action on climate*, Roomana Hukil (Political Science)
- October 14, 2021, *Public libraries and faith-based organizations join forces to address homelessness*, Kaitlin Wynia Baluk (Health, Aging & Society)
- October 27, 2021, *Asian pop culture may be trending, but so is anti-Asian racism and discrimination*, Katherine Lee (Political Science)
November 2, 2021, Public acceptance of sin taxes on sugar or fat not dependent on evidence, Katherine Boothe, Nicole Fiorillo (Political Science)

November 9, 2021, ‘Oh creator, it’s you I now renounce’: How death metal lyrics echo some Bible passages, and what it means, Channah Fonseca Becar (Religious Studies)

November 25, 2021, Want to solve the housing crisis? Address super-charged demand, Steve Pomeroy (Health, Aging & Society)

November 28, 2021, ‘Schitt’s Creek’ holiday special: For Jews like Johnny Rose, the menorah is still polished and lit, even in diaspora, Celia E. Rothenberg (Religious Studies)

November 29, 2021, Canada should look inward to address American protectionism, Noah Fry (Political Science)

January 11, 2022, Bones and teeth help reveal whether teenagers have always been a source of worry for their parents, Creighton Avery (Anthropology)

January 23, 2022, Ancient DNA suggests woolly mammoths roamed the Earth more recently than previously thought, Tyler J. Murchie (Anthropology)

February 3, 2022, Majority of Canadians disagree with ‘freedom convoy’ on vaccine mandates and lockdowns, Clifton van der Linden (Political Science)

March 1, 2022, Organized crime has infiltrated online dating with sophisticated ‘pig-butcherining’ scams, Carlo Handy Charles (Sociology)

March 3, 2022, Putin’s Ukraine invasion: Do declarations of war still exist?, Catherine Frost and Rebekah Pullen (Political Science)

March 17, 2022, Analysis: The Russian diaspora isn’t showing much support for Russia’s invasion of Ukraine, Vic Satzewich (Sociology)

March 17, 2022, Provincial competition law needed to address the power of gig work platforms, Vass Bednar, (Master of Public Policy in Digital Society)

March 30, 2022, Online posts may not reflect Chinese opinion when it comes to the Russian invasion of Ukraine, Zhifan Luo (Sociology and Anthropology)

April 14, 2022, Jesus the faithful Jew: How misreadings of the Christian Gospels miss this and fuel anti-Judaism (Religious Studies)

April 26, 2022, Why are men having more orgasms than women in heterosexual relationships?, Nicole Andrejek (Sociology)

May 5, 2022, To keep people — and their money — safe online, regulate dating platforms, Carlo Charles (Sociology)

May 19, 2022, The Johnny Depp-Amber Heard defamation trial shows the dangers of fan culture, Maddie Brockbank (Social Work)

June 6, 2022, Collectivism — not individualism — is the path to reducing social and economic inequality, Stephanie Ross (School of Labour Studies)

June 7, 2022, Ending child hunger and food insecurity needs to be a top priority in Canada as well as globally, Tina Moffat (Anthropology)

June 12, 2022, Why New Zealand is right to call out Canada on its dairy industry, Noah Fry (Political Science)

June 21, 2022, Why Russia demonizes Ukrainian diasporas, Vic Satzewich (Sociology)

Daily News, Brighter World and Social Media
From July 1, 2021, through June 30, 2022, the faculty, staff and students from the Faculty of Social Sciences were featured in 47 Daily News and Brighter World stories. This is an increase of 27% from the previous year.

July 8, 2021, Equipping future policymakers with coding skills, (Daily News)
July 12, 2021, COVID-19 crisis in Ontario long-term care homes was decades in the making, (Brighter World)

July 21, 2021, Ameil Joseph to hold Social Sciences’ first professorship in equity, diversity, inclusion and Indigenous strategies, (Daily News)


September 17, 2021, McMaster political scientist tracks the trends in intense federal election campaign, (Brighter World)

September 20, 2021, McMaster sociology researchers assist Hamilton Police Service’s efforts to improve communication with LGBTQ2S+ community, (Daily News)

September 27, 2021, Annual Gandhi lecture to explore themes of Truth and Reconciliation with Indigenous communities, (Daily News)

September 29, 2021, Reconnecting with Indigenous Canada: In conversation with Tracy Bear, Paul Gareau and Dan Levy, (Daily News)

September 30, 2021, Indigenous Education Council introduces new strategy, (Daily News)

September 30, 2021, “There has to be truth before there can be reconciliation”, (Daily News)

October 6, 2021, Study shows food bank users are the poorest of the poor in Hamilton, (Brighter World)

October 7, 2021, Faculty members in Humanities and Social Sciences named academic co-leads for Office of Community Engagement, (Daily News)

October 7, 2021, Social Sciences launches Initiative for Advanced Research on Mental Health and Society, (Brighter World)

October 12, 2021, Dawn Martin-Hill receives International Water Prize from University of Oklahoma, (Brighter World)

October 13, 2021, McMaster to use study on researchers’ mental health to create better supports, (Brighter World)

October 19, 2021, Winter weather will determine extent of energy crisis, expert warns, (Brighter World)

October 27, 2021, Creating inclusive learning spaces through online engagement, (Daily News)

November 15, 2021, Anti-trafficking laws harm migrant sex workers instead of helping them, report says, (Brighter World)

November 25, 2021, Fall 2021 Convocation: Meet Social Sciences valedictorian Allison Leanage, (Daily News)

November 30, 2021, Social Sciences establishes bursary for Black students, (Daily News)

December 8, 2021, Ancient DNA found in soil samples reveals mammoths, Yukon wild horses survived thousands of years longer than believed, (Brighter World)

December 13, 2021, McMaster community remembers graduate Jet’aime Fray-Samuel as a bright light, (Daily News)

December 15, 2021, McMaster social work students create group to educate youth on overdose prevention and safe substance use, (Daily News)

January 12, 2022, McMaster researchers on themes shaping our world in 2022, (Brighter World)

January 12, 2022, McMaster researchers ready to reimagine workplaces for employees with disabilities, (Brighter World)

January 21, 2022, Researchers uncover new information about ancient Maya settlements in Mexico and Guatemala, (Brighter World)
February 18, 2022, McMaster-based research hub gets $1.45 million to monitor Canadian housing initiatives, (Brighter World)

February 24, 2022, Survey sheds light on how emotional labour has taken a toll on various workers throughout pandemic, (Brighter World)

March 1, 2022, How the war in Ukraine puts more pressure on oil prices, (Brighter World)

March 8, 2022, Mother and daughter McMaster grads help launch program supporting Afghan refugees, (Daily News)

March 8, 2022, Reflections on International Women's Day, (Daily News)

March 17, 2022, World Water Day: Research at McMaster, (Brighter World)

March 30, 2022, Watching the war in Ukraine is testing the limits of people’s psychological strength, expert warns, (Brighter World)

April 27, 2022, McMaster polIndieitical science department partners with three UK law schools on student exchange opportunity, (Daily News)

May 2, 2022, Aging workforce, ageist employers: Bruce Newbold and Margaret Denton weigh in, (Brighter World)

May 4, 2022, McMaster approves creation of Indigenous Studies department, (Daily News)

May 16, 2022, $1 million gift from LiUNA creates new Chair in Global Labour Issues, (Brighter World)

May 20, 2022, Six McMaster researchers recognized as University Scholars, (Daily News)

June 7, 2022, How the pandemic has affected the state of labour organization in North America, (Brighter World)

June 15, 2022, Meet Social Sciences valedictorian Angelo Marmolejo, (Daily News)

June 15, 2022, Meet Social Sciences valedictorian Harjot Shoker, (Daily News)

June 16, 2022, Two exceAptional students receive Governor General’s Academic Medals, (Daily News)

June 20, 2022, 15 research projects awarded over $2.4 million in SSHRC grants, (Daily News)

June 21, 2022, In conversation with Robert Innes, incoming chair of McMaster’s Indigenous Studies department, (Daily News)

June 21, 2022, MIRI director Savage Bear (formerly Tracy Bear) on advances in Indigenous research at McMaster, (Daily News)

June 21, 2022, Reflecting on advances in Indigenous education and research at McMaster, (Daily News)

June 22, 2022, Queer and trans workers disproportionately represented in precarious work, research says, (Brighter World)

Social Media
The Faculty’s social media platforms continued to grow between July 1, 2021, and June 30, 2022. During this period, the faculty managed three main social media channels, a Facebook account, a Twitter account, and an Instagram account. There is also a YouTube channel which is used sporadically. In January 2022, a LinkedIn page was created to promote the faculty’s employer brand.

The Faculty’s communications team continues to review the social media strategy to guarantee the best results for each platform. Apart from the Facebook page, all platforms showed growth
over the 12 months. To address the declines in the Facebook page, the team will incorporate more digital ads to supplement the organic content strategy in the future.
**LinkedIn**

- **Total Clicks**: 629
  - the number of times followers click on your post.

- **Total Followers**: 143
  - users that have subscribed to the profile.

- **Engagement**: 760
  - How people are interacting with your social media accounts and content.


**YouTube**

- **Total Views**: +4.3k
  - a stock or supply of assets from supplier can draw in order.

- **Followers**: 381
  - transferring someone or something or the process of being moved.

- **Watch Time**: 126 hrs
  - the act of manufacturing something of materials, or the process of being made.
INSTAGRAM

**Profile Visits**
The number of times your profile was viewed.

**Total Reach**
The number of unique accounts that have seen your posts.

**Engagement**
How people are interacting with your social media accounts and content.
Educational Activities

Undergraduate Programs
The faculty offers a full complement of undergraduate degree options: 12 BA options, 23 Honours BA options, seven certificates, three professional programs and 26 minors, many of which are interdisciplinary.

Honours Bachelor of Arts
- Anthropology
- Economics
- Economics: Specialist Option
- Economics and Computer Science
- Economics and Mathematics
- Environment and Society
- Geography
- Geography and Environmental Studies
- Aging & Society Specialization in Mental Health and Addiction
- Health & Society
- Health & Society Specialization in Mental Health and Addiction
- Indigenous Studies
- Labour Studies
- Political Science
- Political Science Specialization in Global Citizenship
- Political Science Specialization in Public Law and Judicial Studies
- Psychology, Neuroscience and Behaviour
- Psychology, Neuroscience and Behaviour (Mental Health Specialization)
- Psychology, Neuroscience and Behaviour (Music Cognition Specialization)
- Religious Studies
- Society, Culture & Religion
- Sociology
- Sociology: Specialist Option

Bachelor of Arts
- Anthropology
- Economics
- Environment and Society
- Geography
- Labour Studies
- Political Science
- Health, Aging and Society
- Religious Studies
- Psychology
- Society, Culture & Religion
- Sociology
- Combined BA in Indigenous Studies and Another Subject

Minors
- Anthropology
- Economics
- Health, Aging and Society
- Labour Studies
- Political Science
- Religious Studies
- Society, Culture & Religion
- Sociology
- Diversity and Equity
- Gender, Sexualities, and Families
- Immigration, Race Relations, and Indigenous-Settler Relations
Interdisciplinary Minors
- Archaeology
- Asian Studies
- Globalization Studies
- Indigenous Studies
- Japanese Studies
- Jewish Studies
- Justice, Law & Order
- Mental Health, Addiction and Society
- Muslim Studies
- Public Leadership
- Religion and Diversity
- Social Justice and Inclusive Communities
- Community Engagement

Professional Designations
- Bachelor of Social Work
- Honours Bachelor of Social Work
- Bachelor of Social Work (Post Degree)

Certificates
- Applied Social Sciences Research
- Applied Behaviour Analysis Certificate (Mohawk)
- Business Studies Certificate (Mohawk)
- Leadership and Management in the Not-For-Profit Sector Certificate (Mohawk)
- Labour Studies Joint Certificate with the Hamilton & Brantford District Labour Councils
- Unifor-McMaster Labour Studies Certificate
- Social Innovation
Undergraduate Teaching and Enrolment

Undergraduate enrolment in Social Sciences programs in the Fiscal Year 2021-22 was 4,226.9 FTE students. A decrease of approximately 4.1% from the previous year. During the 2021-22 recruitment cycle, the faculty received 9,207 applications for admission to level 1 programs, made an offer of admission to 6,023 of those applicants (65%), and received confirmation of acceptance from 1,100 of them (18%).

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<td>FTE Undergraduates enrolled in the Faculty of Social Sciences UG Programs</td>
<td>Undergrad courses offered through Social Sciences</td>
<td>Students enrolled in courses offered by Social Sciences</td>
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The 4,226.9 students enrolled in social sciences programs are distributed across levels as follows:

- 1284.5 FTE, Level 1
- 1194.27 FTE, Level 2
- 1061.10 FTE Level 3
- 659.5 FTE Level 4
- 27.55 FTE Other

Enrolment in the undergraduate programs varies from 17.1 FTE in Religious Studies/SCAR to 574.8 FTE in Political Science. The Level II and higher student complement is distributed across departments, schools and programs as follows:

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Undergraduate Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) by Program and PT/FT

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<td>Economics</td>
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<td>255.2 255.8 15.9</td>
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<td>50.1 58.5 4.4</td>
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<td>Political Science</td>
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<td>Social Work</td>
<td>38.2</td>
<td>120.4 143.4 15.2</td>
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<td>313.7 361.5 39.7</td>
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<td>Other</td>
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<td><strong>Totals</strong></td>
<td><strong>627.7</strong></td>
<td><strong>2287.1</strong> <strong>2,723.3</strong> <strong>219.1</strong></td>
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1 Numbers may not add up due to rounding.
The Faculty offered 427 undergraduate courses (619 sections) that enrolled over 45,647 students from all Faculties on campus.

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<td>HA&amp;S</td>
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<td>ISP</td>
<td>2,589</td>
<td>863</td>
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<td>Labour Studies</td>
<td>2,205</td>
<td>735</td>
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<tr>
<td>Political Science</td>
<td>17,304</td>
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<tr>
<td>Religious Studies</td>
<td>8,598</td>
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<td>3,167</td>
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<td>5,993</td>
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<td><strong>Faculty Total</strong></td>
<td><strong>136,942</strong></td>
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Undergraduate Student Awards

In 2021-22, undergraduate students enrolled in the Faculty of Social Sciences received nearly 100 notable scholarships and awards, including entrance scholarships and in-course and graduand scholarships and awards. Here are some notable awards:

The Dr. Harry Lyman Hooker Scholarships
- Ismail Aslam (Honours Economics)
- Alisha Bustamante (Honours Political Science Specialization in Public Law and Judicial Studies)
- Luke Connelly (Honours Social Psychology)
- Melissa Elliott (Honours Social Work)
- Tiana Johnson (Honours Social Work)
- Hsiang Jien Naik (Economics)
- Sarah Trevitt (Honours Social Work)

The University (Senate) Scholarships
- Abigail Amos (Honours Environment & Society)
- Sorina Andrei (Honours Psychology, Neuroscience & Behaviour - Mental Health Specialization)
- Mayson Broccoli-Romanowska (Honours Indigenous Studies & English & Cultural Studies)
- Taylar Cassidy (Honours Psychology, Neuroscience & Behaviour - Mental Health Specialization)
- Madison Cherry (Honours Social Psychology)
- Reed Ciarloni (Honours Sociology (Specialist Option) & Environment & Society)
- Luc Peeters (Honours Psychology Neuroscience & Behaviour)
- Cayla Rustjaj (Honours Political Science Specialization in Public Law and Judicial Studies)
- Melissa Salemi (Honours Sociology)
- Saxon Schwarz (Honours Psychology Neuroscience & Behaviour)
- Whitney Slattery (Sociology)
- Maria Sushcheva (Honours Psychology Neuroscience & Behaviour)
- Shanur Syed (Honours Psychology, Neuroscience & Behaviour - Mental Health Specialization)
- Rachel Dennison (Honours Social Psychology)
- Jing Yao Dong (Honours Social Psychology)
- Connor Gibala (Honours Psychology Neuroscience & Behaviour)
- Sophie Gordon (Honours Psychology Neuroscience & Behaviour)
- Julia Jakubek (Honours Social Psychology)
- Susan Kadzielska (Honours Social Psychology)
- Alison Laurie (Honours Environment & Society)
- Evelyn Lauritzen (Honours Sociology)
- Mehak Tariq (Honours Political Science)
- Olena Urbanowicz (Honours Social Work)
- Raeesa Valani (Honours Political Science)
- Chelsea Wilson (Honours Political Science Specialization in Public Law and Judicial Studies)
- Zuzanna Wolos (Honours Political Science Specialization in Global Citizenship)
- Jing Yao Dong (Honours Social Psychology)

**The University Achievement Award**
- Whitney Slattery (Sociology)
- Julia Jakubek (Honours Social Psychology)

**The Pitcher-Ratford Awards**
- Abigail Amos (Honours Environment & Society)

See **Appendix C** for a complete list of the undergraduate student awards.
## Careers & Experiential Education

Students enrolled in the Faculty of Social Sciences can participate in a variety of enriching experiential learning opportunities through the Careers & Experiential Education Office. The office creates experiences that foster unique approaches to learning within a classroom, and more actively in the community as well as promoting career exploration.

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<th>Percentage</th>
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<td>40%</td>
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<td>61%</td>
<td>Increase in funds awarded to students over the prior year</td>
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<td>32%</td>
<td>Increase in partner organizations over the prior year</td>
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### Professional Development

212 students enrolled in career development courses and 55 career advising appointments in the initial two months of service during 2021-22.

### Experiential Placements

There were 144 paid internship postings, 25 interns placed and 173 academic placements over the period.

### Funding

The office awarded $4,520.00 in funds to students, and $2,050.00 in funds to faculty over 2021-22.

### Community Partnerships

The office partnered with 67 organizations in the private, non-profit sector, public sector, and private industry during the period.

### Professional or Skill Development

236 students enrolled in two Faculty-offered courses administered by the Careers & Experiential Education team. These courses supported students’ professional or skill development:

- SOC SCI 2ELO: Career Planning Through Experiential Learning (212)
- SOC SCI 3EL3: Leadership Through Experiential Learning (24)

An additional 94 students participated in workshops, events and information sessions that promote professional development, career planning and career networking, and hands-on learning including the following:

- Social Sciences Careers Ask Me Anything (Social Sciences Career Crawl)
- International Student Job Search Workshop (Social Sciences Career Crawl)
- Resume Workshop (Social Sciences Career Crawl) - for Social Psychology Society Scholars/SCaRS
- Interview Workshop (Social Sciences Career Crawl) - for Society, Culture and Religion Scholars/SCaRS
- Political Science Global Citizenship Specialization Info Session - Co-host with Student Success Centre
- Student Experience Fund Information Sessions
Transition Support for McMaster English Language Development (MELD) students.

An additional 324 students attended in-course career development sessions as the C&EE team shifted towards a strategy focused on in-class engagement due to diminished demand for workshops and events. In-class sessions included the following topics:

- Skills Identification
- Resume Essentials
- LinkedIn Essentials
- Job Search Essentials
- Research Opportunities and Future Jobs in Research (116)
- Career Exploration Foundations (163)

Individual career advising appointments began in February 2022. The Career Development Advisor met with 55 students seeking assistance in:

- Career options
- Further education information and planning
- Job search assistance such as resume, cover letter, job searching, networking, interview preparation and LinkedIn.

Experiential Placements
Experiential placements put students in the workplace to learn first-hand, what is involved in various professions and gain valuable professional experience. Placements include the following:

- Paid internships (25) completed through the elective Social Sciences Internship Program.
- Unpaid academic placements (173) completed as an in-course element.

Funding
In 2021-22, there was still a marked drop in applications for the Student Experience Fund. This is likely the impact of the lingering COVID-19 pandemic, as most students who received funding in past used the funds to travel to conferences or to volunteer abroad. As students were unable to travel for much of the period, there were only 10 Social Sciences students who received funding through the Student Experience Fund. Some examples of their experiences include:

- Real estate case competition
- Mental Health First Aid training
- Virtual volunteering with an NGO in Columbia.

Funds also supported the McMaster Model United Nations (MACMUN), a hallmark campus event that is open to students from all Faculties.

The pilot Faculty funding from last year has been formalized into the In-Course Experience Fund. This year faculty and instructors applied for guest speaker payments only. This is likely due to in-person restrictions for other in-course or out-of-classroom experiential opportunities. A total of $2,050.00 was allocated over six courses, some with multiple guest speakers.

Community Partnerships
Partnerships with employers and community organizations provide hands-on skills development and integration of classroom theory in real-world scenarios. In the 2021-22 academic year, Careers & Experiential Education worked with 67 community partners across private, public and not-for-profit sectors.
Some new internship employers include Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation; Challenge Factory; Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada, and Women in Capital Markets.

Academic placements continued to be limited to virtual experiences. Last year’s community partners were able to host all students who needed placement. There were, however, two new partners for a political science course that had not been offered since Fall 2019 due to the pandemic: City of Hamilton (Elections) and MPP Jeff Burch.

**Co-op Program Planning**
Across the 2021-2022 academic year, the Careers & Experiential Education team began to lay the foundation for introducing co-op programming in the faculty. A series of environmental scans and initial reports informed a Winter 2022 Strategic Alignment Fund (SAF), which successfully received funding from the provost’s office. Pending formal approval through the required governance processes, co-op programs will be formally announced as a variant option for several of our departmental undergraduate programs as a starting point in the near future.
Graduate Education

The Faculty of Social Sciences offers 24 graduate programs leading to masters or doctoral degrees and three programs leading to graduate diplomas.

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<td>Master of Arts</td>
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<td>Master of Public Policy</td>
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PhD
- Anthropology
- Economics
- Health & Society
- Social Gerontology
- Labour Studies
- Political Science
- Religious Studies
- Social Work
- Sociology

Master of Arts
- Anthropology
- Economics
- Economic Policy
- Global Politics
- Globalization
- Health & Aging
- Labour Studies
- Political Science
- Religious Studies
- Sociology
- Sociology – Social Psychology

Master of Social Work
- MSW: Social Work Critical Analysis
- MSW: Social Work Critical Leadership in Social Services and Communities

Master of Public Policy
- Master of Public Policy in Digital Society

Graduate Diploma
- Critical Leadership in Social Services and Communities
- Community-Engaged Research and Evaluation

Graduate Enrolment
Social Sciences programs enrolled 334 FTE graduate students and 5.0 FTE diploma students, distributed across departments and programs as follows:

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In addition to these graduate programs based in the Faculty of Social Sciences, Departments within Social Science participate as partners in two inter-faculty graduate programs:

- Global Health MA Program
- Health Policy PhD Program
- Water Without Borders
Graduate Awards

In 2021-22, graduate students in the Faculty of Social Sciences received over 40 prestigious awards. Listed below are some of the most notable.

**Appleton Slavin Academic Grant in Social Work**
- April Lee (School of Social Work)

**Arrell Prize**
- Theresa Mitchell (School of Social Work)

**Bourse au doctorat en recherche**
- Michaël Désormeaux (Political Science)

**Canadian Sociology Association Outstanding Graduating Sociology Student – MA**
- Brandon Reimer (Sociology)

**Canadian Sociology Association Outstanding Graduating Sociology Student – PhD**
- Ruth Repchuck (Sociology)

**Canadian Sociology Association Graduate Student Merit Award**
- Max Stick (Sociology)

**C.D. Howe Memorial Foundation Scholarship**
- Jordan Hamilton (Economics)

**CIHR Canadian Graduate Scholarship-Doctoral Frederick Baniting and Charles Best**
- Lydia Pandian (School of Social Work)

**Daniel G. Hill Entrance Award**
- Natalie Young (Sociology)

**Ellen Louks Fairclough Memorial Scholarship (2021)**
- Anwar Sheluchin (Political Science)

**Graduate Residency in Digital Scholarship 2021 at McMaster’s Lewis & Ruth Sherman Centre**
- Marrissa Mathews (Political Science)

**The Dr. Harry Lyman Hooker Scholarship**
- Benjamin Frostad (Religious Studies)
The Dr. Harry Lyman Hook Sr. Fellowship
- Madison Brockbank (School of Social Work)
- Bridget Marsdin (School of Social Work)

The Harvey E. Longboat Graduate Scholarship for First Nations, Inuit and Metis Students
- Alexandra Nychuk (Health, Aging & Society)

Hilary M. Weston Scholarship
- Calvin Prowse (School of Social Work)

Inspiring International Student of the Year 2021 (CUPE 3906) and Dean’s Award for outstanding leadership & contributions to international graduate student community 2021
- Garima Sarkar (Political Science)

Jane Aronson Scholarship
- Janet Lawson (School of Social Work)

Joseph-Armand Bombardier Canada Graduate Scholarships – Doctoral (CGSD)
- Ashley McKay (Sociology)

Julian F. Pas Memorial Scholarship
- Lan Li (Religious Studies)

Karl Kinanen Graduate Scholarship
- Amanda Bull (Health, Aging and Society)

Khyentse Foundation Graduate Scholarship in Buddhist Studies
- Anne Crosby (Religious Studies)

Mary Keyes Award for Outstanding Leadership and Service to McMaster
- Allison Leanage (Sociology)

Mary Margaret Scammell Travel Scholarship
- David Nathan Smith (Religious Studies)

Ontario Graduate Fellowship
- Madison Brockbank (School of Social Work)

Ontario Graduate Scholarship
- Farzana Alamgir (Economics)
- Irfan Asghar (Religious Studies)
- Ryan Bacic (Economics)
- Helen Beny (Political Science)
- Susan Cape (School of Social Work)
- Sergei Filiasov (Economics)
- Benjamin Frostad (Religious Studies)
- Rebecca Gower (School of Social Work)
- Renee Hall (School of Social Work)
- Shaun Hughey (Political Science)
- Andrew Leal (Economics)
- Yena Lee (Sociology)
- Shiva Mazrouei (Health, Aging & Society)
- Alysha McDonald (Sociology)
- Rose Moir (Anthropology)
- Melanie Pugliese (Anthropology)
- Sumangala Sasudevan (Sociology)
- Alana Seldon (Anthropology)
- Ali Solhi (Health, Aging & Society)
- Natasha Swiderski (Anthropology)
- Jonelle Ward (Health, Aging & Society)
- Keara Williams (Institute for Globalization and the Human Condition)

OGS-Canada Graduate Scholarships - Master’s
- Austin Gooder (School of Labour Studies)
- Sergei Filiasov (Economics)
- Oliver Loertscher (Economics)
- Leah McGrath Reynolds (School of Labour Studies)

Richard Spline Fellowship
- Mary Elizabeth Vaccaro (School of Social Work)

Richard Spline PhD Scholarship in Social Policy
- Susan Cape (School of Social Work)

Shelley Saunders/Koloshuk Family Scholarship
- Adiyasuren Molor (Anthropology)

Social Work Alumni Anniversary Award
- Calvin Prowse (School of Social Work)

SSHRC - Canada Graduate Scholarships – Master’s Program
- Graham Coulter (Labour Studies)
- Loa Gordon (Anthropology)
- Elsa Immer (Religious Studies)
- Bridget Marsdin (School of Social Work)
- Emma Miller (Political Science)
- Sonia Mills (School of Social Work)
- Carolyn Ralph (School of Social Work)
- Brenna Sobanski (Anthropology)
- Gessie Stearns (School of Social Work)
- Madeleine Stewart (Health, Aging & Society)
- Dana Wachter (Institute for Globalization and the Human Condition)

SSHRC - Canada Graduate Scholarships – Doctoral
- Jeffrey Black (School of Social Work)
- Marc Lagace (Religious Studies)
- Erica Thomson (Sociology)
- Anna Phipps-Burton (Religious Studies)

SSHRC - Canada Graduate Fellowship – Doctoral
- Alicia Clifford (Health, Aging & Society)
- Rachel Matheson (Religious Studies)
- Danielle Soucy (Health, Aging & Society)
- Mary Elizabeth Vaccaro (School of Social Work)
- Rachel Vanevery (Health, Aging & Society)

UBC-IDRC Myanmar Fellowship Award (2021)
- Cassandra Preece (Political Science)

UBC-IDRC Myanmar Fellowship Award (2021)
- Aye Lei Tun (Political Science)

Wilson Leadership Scholar Award
- Sarah Adjekum (Health, Aging & Society)
Financial Matters

Faculty of Social Science Budget

The table below presents high-level statement of our finances for 2021-22. A few aspects are noteworthy:

- Over 90% of FSS revenue is derived from tuition and government funding for students enrolled in our programs and students we teach in our courses.
- Over 40% of our revenue was paid as contributions to support central university support services, which range from heat to human resources to the library and to the President’s Office.
- Aside from these central contributions, over 90% of FSS expenditures are for people: faculty, staff, and TA support.
- Over the last few years, the faculty eliminated its debt and has accumulated a surplus balance, which is integral to our fiscal sustainability going forward and to making strategic investments in people and spaces.
- The total accumulated consolidated surplus attributed to the FSS is $20.4 million. Departments and schools control a share (~$2M in department discretionary accounts; $320K in TA accounts); while over $450K is controlled by individual faculty as unspent PDA and similar accounts; and some is held in several small research-oriented accounts that roll up under the overall FSS budget.
Donations and Gifts to the Faculty of Social Science
The Faculty of Social Sciences benefits from and greatly appreciates financial donations from friends and alumni. From January through December of 2021, 206 alumni and friends made gifts totaling $648,035 to the Faculty of Social Sciences. We thank our generous donors. This support enables many students to attend university who otherwise would not be able and helps sustain many programs vital to the faculty’s educational and research mission.
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Total Gifts: 206

Discounted Future Gifts

Other Revenue: -

TOTAL GIFTS: 648,035

2020 Goal: 3,000,000

% Goal Reached: 22%

5-year average (2015-2019): 1,834,665

Private Research Grants (Faculty): 969,841

Definitions:
1. Pledges / Giving includes all outright cash gifts made (does not include pledge payments) and unconditional pledges made
2. Discounted future gifts includes bequests (discounted for donors below the age of 70; or otherwise at the five-year average charitable trusts.
3. Other revenue includes non-philanthropic gifts and revenue, confirmed but not processed through the Office of University
4. Private research grants include contributions received by an institution for either unrestricted or restricted use in the furtherance corporation, foundation, or other organization, rather than an individual.
5. Total revenue = Pledges / Giving + Discounted future gifts + Other revenue + Private research grants
6. For each Faculty, Total Revenue = Pledges / Giving + Discounted future gifts + Other revenue
Appendices

Appendix A: Research Partners: 2021-22
A list of select research partners with whom we engage:

541 Eatery & Exchange
AIDS Network
Alcohol Drugs & Gambling Services
Alliance to End Homelessness Ottawa
Alternatives for Youth
Alzheimer’s Society of Niagara
Art Gallery of Hamilton
Big Brothers Big Sisters Hamilton
Bob Kemp Hospice
Body Brave
Brain Injury Services Hamilton
Brantford Public Library
Burlington Public Library
Butterfly Project
Canadian Aboriginal AIDS Network
Canadian Federation of Library Associations
Canadian Mental Health Association Hamilton
Canadian Mental Health Association Ontario
Canadian Mental Health Association Peel
Canadian Urban Libraries Council
Catholic Children's Aid Society
Catholic Family Services
Catholic Family Services PAR Program
Catholic Family Services St. Martin's Manor
Centre 3 for Artistic and Social Practice
Centre for Independent Living in Toronto
Children's Aid Society Brant
Children's Aid Society Durham
Children's Aid Society Haldimand Norfolk
Children's Aid Society Hamilton
Children's Aid Society Oxford County
Children's Aid Society Peel
Children's Aid Society York
CHIRAPAQ – Centre for Indigenous Cultures of Peru
Citizens with Disabilities Ontario
City Housing Hamilton
City of Hamilton Immigrant Partnership Council
CityLab/City of Hamilton
COAST
Columbia International College - Mental Health Team
Community Food Centre
Community Foundations of Canada
Community Living Toronto
Compass Community Health
Correctional Services of Canada
De dwa da dehs nye>s Aboriginal Health Centre
Distress Centre of Oakville
Doug Olthuis (United Steelworkers)
Edmonton Police Service
Energy Tap Counselling Services
Enlightened Myanmar Research Foundation
Eva’s Initiatives for Homeless Youth
Family & Children’s Services Niagara
Family & Children’s Services Brant
Family & Children’s Services Brant Native Services
Family & Children’s Services Waterloo
Food for Life
Ganohkwasra
Good Shepherd Barrett Centre
Good Shepherd Brennan House
Good Shepherd Family Centre
Good Shepherd Homes
Good Shepherd Homes - Mathias House
Good Shepherd Mary’s Place Women’s Centre
Good Shepherd Mobile Homes
Good Shepherd Notre Dame House
Good Shepherd Youth Services
Grimsby Public Library
Halton Victim's Services
Hamilton Anti-Racism Resource Centre
Hamilton Centre for Civic Inclusion
Hamilton Community Foundation
Hamilton Executive Directors Aboriginal Coalition
Hamilton Food Share
Hamilton Health Sciences Hamilton
General Site
Hamilton Health Sciences St. Peter's Hospital
Hamilton Health Services Juravinski Site
Hamilton Health Services McMaster Site
Hamilton MAD Student Collective
Hamilton Mental Health Outreach
Hamilton Public Library
Hamilton Regional Indian Centre
Hamilton Roundtable for Poverty Reduction
Hamilton Urban Core Community Health Centre
Hamilton Wentworth Catholic District School Board
Hamilton Wentworth Detention Centre
Hamilton Wentworth District School Board
Hamilton Wentworth Police Victim Services
Head Injury Rehabilitation Ontario
Higher Education Quality Council of Ontario
Home Suite Hope - Oakville
Homewood Guelph
Hotel Dieu Shaver Health & Rehabilitation Centre Hub
Indigenous Elders and Youth Council
Injurred Workers Community Legal Clinic
Interval House
Interval House - Jared's Place
Interval House - WAG
Interval House - Women's Centre
John Howard Society
Joseph Brant Memorial Hospital
Joseph Brant Memorial Hospital - Nina's Place
Juddah's Place
Kawenni:io/Gaweni:yo Public School
Kayanaase
Living Rock
Living Wage Hamilton
Lubicon Lake Band Office
Lynwood Charlton Centre
Lynwood Flamborough
Macassa Lodge
Makivik
March of Dimes
MAREAS Therapeutic Services
McMaster Anti-violence Network
McMaster Residence Life
McMaster Student Accessibility Services
McMaster Student Affairs
McMaster Student Success
Melanoma Network
Midaynta Community Services
Milestone Foster Homes
Mission Services of Hamilton
Monique Taylor, MPP Office
National Autonomous University of Honduras
Native Women's Centre
Neighbour to Neighbour
Niagara Health
No Hate in the Hammer
North Hamilton Community Health Centre
Nova Vita
NowWhat? Social Services
Ontario Council of Agencies Serving Immigrants
Ontario SPCA and Humane Society
PAH Program Rock Online
Pathway Employment
Positive Space Network Halton
RAFT
Reconciliation Kenora
Regina Gardens
ROCK, Reach Out for Kids
Salvation Army - Ellen Osler Homes
Salvation Army - Lawson Ministries
Shalem Network
Shoal Lake 40 First Nation
Shotley Peninsula Archaeology Research Community
Six Nations Child & Family
Six Nations Elected Council
Six Nations Family Health Team
Six Nations Health Services
Six Nations Mental Health
Six Nations Polytechnic STEAM Academy
Six Nations Public Works
Six Nations Social Services
Six Nations Two Row Canoe
Social Planning & Research Council
South Asian Women's Rights Organization
Speqtrum
St. Joseph's Hospital - Charlton Campus
St. Joseph's Hospital - West 5th Campus
St. Joseph's Hospital - Youth Wellness
St. Joseph's Villa
St. Matthews House
Strathcona Neighbourhood Project
| Sudbury Workers Education and Advocacy Centre | Victim Services Hamilton |
| Summerville Family Health Team | Victim Services Peel |
| Thrive Burlington | Wesley Housing |
| Toronto District School Board | Wesley Newcomer Services |
| Two Row Partnership Group: McMaster and Deyohahá:ge Indigenous Knowledge Centre | We Trans |
| Unifor | Wentworth Lodge |
| United Steelworkers | Woodland Cultural Centre |
| Universidad Luterana Salvadoreña | Women’s Advocacy |
| Universidad de San Carlos de Guatemala | Women’s Health in Women’s |
| Universidad Nacional Autónoma de Nicaragua, Managua | Women’s HIV/AIDS Initiative |
| University of the West Indies | Women’s Centre – Flamborough |
| University of Hawaiʻi Nā Pua Noʻeau Center for Gifted and Talented Native Hawaiian Children | Women’s Centre - Hamilton |
| Urban Native Homes | Xperience Annex - City of Hamilton |
| | Youth Opportunities Program FS Peel |
| | Hands |
| | YWCA Hamilton |
| | YWCA SISTER Program |
| | YWCA Transitional Living Program |
Appendix B: Events Listing: 2021-22

Conferences, symposia, workshops and miscellaneous events

- October 2021, Book Workshop on Gender and Politics in Myanmar (IDRC-funded workshop hosted by PhD student Cassandra Preece and Dr. Netina Tan)
- October 2021, CAPA – The Canadian Association for Physical Anthropology (Department of Anthropology)
- October 2021, Coaching athletes with an intellectual disability virtually: A participant-driven approach to developing an online coach training resource. Virtual conference presentation. (Canadian Society for Psychomotor Learning and Sport Psychology)
- November 2021, Emerging Adolescence – A Virtual Workshop (Department of Anthropology)
- November 2021, Taos Institute’s Education as Relating Virtual Conference: Workshop Presentation by Cathy Paton and Ann Fudge Schормans (Taos Institute)
- March 2022, Mapping the Global Dimensions of Policy 11 – Multiple Crises: Recovery, Reform, Transformation (Department of Political Science, Dr. Stephen McBride - Canadian Research Chair in Public Policy & Globalization (CRC Chair), IGHC, and the School of Earth, Environment and Society)
- March 2022, V-Dem East Asia Regional Centre Online Workshop: Democratic Backsliding in Southeast Asia (Co-organized by Yuko Kasuya and Netina Tan as part of the V-Dem East Asia Regional Center’s activities and funded by the Suntory Foundation)
- April 2022, Health Tech: The politics and policies of remote rehabilitation (Master of Public Policy in Digital Society and the Institute for Research on Public Policy)
- April 2022, McMaster University Child Health Conference, Virtual workshop: Overlooked Youth: Homelessness and disability in ableist systems, a partnering for change project forum theatre workshop (Faculty of Medicine, McMaster University)
- April 2022, Peer mentorship for women labelled with a developmental disability who also experienced sexual abuse by Ann Fudge Schормans (SSHRC & Family Services Toronto)
- May 2022, CASIM (Canadian Association for the Study of Islam and Muslims) Inaugural Conference (Department of Anthropology)
- May 2022, Decolonizing the Study of Religion in Canadian Universities (Department of Religious Studies)
- June 2022, Canadian Society of Biblical Studies (Department of Religious Studies)

Seminars

Speaker series

Anthropology Department Colloquium

- October 2021, From Qeya Qollu Chico to Berlin: The Itineraries of a Terminal Late Formative Ceramic Style, (Andy Roddick, Associate Professor & Graduate Chair, Anthropology, McMaster University)
- October 2021, Modalities of the Perhaps: Secularity, Post-humanism, Uncertainty (Mayanthi Fernando, Associate Professor, Anthropology, UC Santa Cruz)
- November 2021, Adjudicating Crime, Advocating Forbearance: Conflict, Mediation, and Justice in Iranian Criminal Courts (Arzoo Osanloo, Professor, Law, Societies & Justice, University of Washington)
- November 2021, Biological race, modern genomics and DTC ancestry testing, (Ann Horsburgh, Assistant Professor, Anthropology, Southern Methodist University)
January 2022, Sonorous Worlds, Musical Enchantment in Venezuela – A book talk
(Yana Stainova, Assistant Professor, Anthropology, McMaster University)

February 2022, Capture-Recapture - Enclosure and Entanglement in Global Health
Worlds (Cal Biruk, Associate Professor, Anthropology, McMaster University)

March 2022, Human-Environment Interactions in Holocene Southern Africa (Michelle
Cameron, Assistant Professor, Anthropology, University of Toronto)

March 2022, Havana Syndrome – Political Imaginations, Brain Injuries, and Sonic
Fictions, (Denielle Elliott, Associate Professor, Anthropology, York University)

April 2022, Religious Afterlives of a Revolution, (Amira Mittermaier,
Professor, Study of Religion, Anthropology, University of Toronto)

Department of Economics Seminar Series

September 2021, The Determinants and Impacts of Historical Treaty-Making in
Canada, Rob Gillezeau

September 2021, Inflation as a Subsidy to Homeownership, Shahar Rotberg

September 2021, Incentives and the Persistence of Teacher Value-Added, Michael
Gilraine

October 2021, Exporting and Investment under Credit Constraints, Walter Steingress

October 2021, Deliberate Surrender? The Impact of Interwar Indian Protection, Markus
Lampe

November 2021, Job Ladder and Business Cycles, Felipe Alves

November 2021, Efficiency in Household Decision Making: Large Evidence from the
Retirement Savings of US Couples, Lucas Goodman

November 2021, Labor Market Scarring in the Very Long Run: Evidence from Large-
Scale Longitudinal Microdata, Vellore Arthi

November 2021, When Diligence Backfires: Gender Differences in Prioritizing
Rewarding Tasks, Louis-Philippe Morin

November 2021, Fiscal Policy in the Age of COVID: Does it get in all of the Cracks?,
Nick Sander

February 2022, Building Credit Histories, Igor Livshits

March 2022, Difference in Differences with Time-Varying Covariates, Brantly Callaway

March 2022, The evolution of U.S. retail concentration, Sergio Ocampo Diaz

March 2022, Occupational Exposure to Capital Embodied Technical Change, Julieta
Caunedo

March 2022, Normalizations and misspecification in skill formation models, Joachim
Freyberger

March 2022, Windfall Income Shocks with Finite Planning Horizons, Michael Boutros

March 2022, Inference in Regression Discontinuity Designs under Monotonicity,
Soonwoo Kwon

April 2022, You Can’t Handle the Truth: The Effects of the Post-9/11 GI Bill On Higher
Education and Earnings, Andrew Barr

April 2022, Hours Mismatch, Raffaele Saggio

HASTalks (co-hosted by the Department of Health, Aging and Society and the Gilbrea
Centre for Studies in Aging)

October 2021, Acceleration, contestation, and interconnection: “Vaccine nationalism”
through a global lens, Y. Rachel Zhou

November 2021, Unpacking the complexity of public preferences for and beliefs about
dying at home in Canada, Laura Funk
February 2022, At the limits of care: How women negotiate moral, gendered responsibilities in our aging society, Janna Klostermann

March 2022, Safe places for aging and care? Exploring violence in care for older adults, Rachel Herron

March 2022, Indigenous Health and Dementia, Jennifer Walker

**Distinguished Hooker Visitor Public Lecture**

March 2022, Health versus Wealth: On the Distributional Effects of Controlling a Pandemic, Dirk Krueger

March 2022, The Fiscal and Welfare Effects of Policy Responses to the Covid-19 School Closures, Dirk Krueger

March 2022, Neoclassical Growth Transition Dynamics with One-Sided Commitment, Dirk Krueger

**MPP-DS Fireside Chat**

July 2021, Fireside Chat, Marc Etienne Ouimette

July 2021, Fireside Chat, Jane Lytwynenko

July 2021, Fireside Chat, Andrew Graham

July 2021, Fireside Chat, Hana Zaidi

September 2021, Fireside Chat, Jacob Glick

September 2021, Fireside Chat, Paris Marx

October 2021, Fireside Chat, Cyrus Tehrani

October 2021, Fireside Chat, Jaimie Boyd

October 2021, Fireside Chat, Amy Kirtay

October 2021, Fireside Chat, Neil Bower,

October 2021, Fireside Chat, Bryson Masse

November 2021, Fireside Chat, Ben White

November 2021, Fireside Chat, Andy Best

January 2022, Fireside Chat, Jake Hirsh-Allen

January 2022, Fireside Chat, Monica Ciriello

February 2022, Fireside Chat, Lindsay Doyle

February 2022, Fireside Chat, Kaylie Tiessen

February 2022, Fireside Chat, Adam Blinick

March 2022, Fireside Chat, Steve De Eyre

March 2022, Fireside Chat, Sascha Darius M

March 2022, Fireside Chat, Angela Orasch

March 2022, Fireside Chat, Casey Aden-Wansbury

**Research in Progress Seminars**

October 2021, Reckoning with the colonial present: the failures of reconciliation and the denialism of the Canadian State, Dr. Vanessa Watts, Assistant Professor, Indigenous Studies & Sociology, McMaster University Dr. Robert A. Innes, Associate Professor, Indigenous Studies & Political Science, McMaster University Dr. David B. MacDonald, Professor, Political Science, University of Guelph

February 2022, Panel on recently published books: Childhood in IR, Austerity and Paradox & Democracy, Dr. Catherine Frost, Associate Professor, Political Science, McMaster University Dr. J. Marshall Beier, Professor, Political Science, McMaster University, Dr. Stephen McBride, Professor and Canada Research Chair in Public Policy and Globalization and Political Science, McMaster University
March 2022, Decolonizing the Syllabus / Decolonizing the Classroom, Dr. Shiera S. Malik, Associate Professor, International Studies, DePaul University Dr. Desirée Poets, Assistant Professor, Political Science, Virginia Tech, Dr. Rahul Rao, Lecturer, International Relations, University of St. Andrews, Dr. Zubairu Wai, Associate Professor, Global Development Studies, University of Toronto

Religious Studies Colloquium Speaker Series

- November 2021, Old Men, Young Blood: Transhumanism and the Promise and Peril of Immortality, Jenny Huberman, University of Missouri-Kansas City
- December 2021, Talking to Creatures Who Don’t Speak: Martin Buber and the House Cat, Dustin Atlas, Queen’s University

School of Labour Studies Speaker Series

- October 2021, Caught in the Carceral Web: Anti-Trafficking Laws and Policies & their Impact on Migrant Sex Workers, (Dr. Judy Fudge (McMaster), Sandra Ka Hon Chu, co-Executive Director, HIV Legal Network, Vincent Wong, lawyer and PhD Candidate, Osgoode Hall Law School, Elene Lam, Executive Director, Butterfly & PhD Candidate, School of Social Work, McMaster University, Moderator: Kamala Kempadoo, Professor, Department of Social Science, York University)
- January 2022, Interrogating the Union Politics of Equity, Inclusion and Diversity: A Roundtable Discussion, (Winnie Ng, former Gindin Chair, TMU, Carol Wall, former Ontario Regional Director of the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service, Fred Hahn, President, CUPE Ontario, Patricia Chong, Education Officer, AMAPCEO)
- March 2022, Environmental Racism, Environmental Justice and Work after COP26, (Christopher Wilson, director, Regional Offices Branch, Public Service Alliance of Canada, Shanice Regis-Wilkins, Union Organizer, Public Service Alliance of Canada, Payton Wilkins, executive director, Coalition of Black Trade Unionists Education Centre)
- March 2022, Collective Bargaining, Police Unions, Race and Civilian Deaths, (Dr. Rob Gillezeau, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, University of Victoria and fellow at the Broadbent Institute)

Canadian Association for Work and Labour Studies annual meeting (plenary panel co-sponsored by School of Labour Studies and Centre for Labour-Management Relations, TMU)

- May 2022, New Leadership – New Possibilities for Labour Movement Transformation? Moderators: Peggy Nash (TMU) and Stephanie Ross (McMaster), Andria Babington, president, Toronto and York Region Labour Council, Siobhan Vipond, VP, Canadian Labour Congress, Lana Payne, National Secretary Treasurer, Unifor, Jan Simpson, National President, CUPW, Patty Coates, President, Ontario Federation of Labour

Sociology Speaker Series

- October 2021, Coming Out to the Streets: LGBTQ Youth Experiencing Homelessness, Dr. Brandon Robinson
- November 2021, Transgressing Boundaries: Exploring Muslim Women’s Hidden Experiences of Social Exclusion in the Workplace, Awish Aslam
- January 2022, Big Books and Celebrity Intellectuals: How Erich Fromm’s public sociology helped create the 1960s and why his radical activism did not lead to the change he wanted, Dr. Neil McLaughlin
February 2022, Making Middle-Class Multiculturalism: Immigration Bureaucrats and Policymaking in Postwar Canada, Dr. Jennifer Elrick

Appendix C: Undergraduate Student Awards: 2021-22
These undergraduate students received awards between July 1, 2021 and June 30, 2022.

The Dr. Harry Lyman Hooker Scholarships
- Ismail Aslam (Hons. Economics)
- Alisha Bustamante (Hons. Political Science Specialization in Public Law and Judicial Studies)
- Melissa Elliott (Hons. Social Work)
- Tiana Johnson (Hons. Social Work)
- Hsiang Jien Naik (Economics)
- Sarah Trevitt (Hons. Social Work)

The University (Senate) Scholarships
- Abigail Amos (Honours Environment & Society)
- Sorina Andrei (Honours Psychology, Neuroscience and Behaviour - Mental Health Specialization)
- Mayson Broccoli-Romanowska (Honours Indigenous Studies & English & Cultural Studies)
- Taylar Cassidy (Honours Psychology, Neuroscience and Behaviour - Mental Health Specialization)
- Madison Cherry (Honours Social Psychology)
- Reed Ciarloni (Honours Sociology (Specialist Option) & Environment & Society)
- Luc Peeters (Honours Psychology Neuroscience & Behaviour)
- Cayla Rustja (Honours Political Science Specialization in Public Law and Judicial Studies)
- Melissa Salemi (Honours Sociology)
- Saxon Schwarz (Honours Psychology Neuroscience & Behaviour)
- Whitney Slattery (Sociology)
- Maria Sushcheva (Honours Psychology Neuroscience & Behaviour)
- Shanur Syed (Honours Psychology, Neuroscience and Behaviour - Mental Health Specialization)
- Rachel Dennison (Honours Social Psychology)
- Jing Yao Dong (Honours Social Psychology)
- Connor Gibala (Honours Psychology Neuroscience & Behaviour)
- Sophie Gordon (Honours Psychology Neuroscience & Behaviour)
- Julia Jakubek (Honours Social Psychology)
- Susan Kadzielska (Honours Social Psychology)
- Alison Laurie (Honours Environment & Society)
- Evelyn Lauritzen (Honours Sociology)
- Mehak Tariq (Honours Political Science)
- Olena Urbanowicz (Honours Social Work)
- Raeesa Valani (Honours Political Science)
- Chelsea Wilson (Honours Political Science Specialization in Public Law and Judicial Studies)
- Zuzanna Wolos (Honours Political Science Specialization in Global Citizenship)
- Jing Yao Dong (Honours Social Psychology)
The University Achievement Award
- Whitney Slattery (Sociology)
- Julia Jakubek (Honours Social Psychology)

The Pitcher-Ratford Awards
- Abigail Amos (Honours Environment & Society)

The J Beverly Krugel Schships -German Lang Studies
- Alexandra Irvine (Honours Psychology, Neuroscience and Behaviour - Mental Health Specialization)

The Norman G. Koether Scholarship
- Hung Phan (Honours Economics)

The Class of ’50 Scholarship in Honours Economics
- Hiya Goyal (Honours Economics & Political Science)

The Hugh Clark Scholarship
- Naviatha Abbas (Honours Political Science Specialization in Public Law and Judicial Studies)

The Mary C. Shane Scholarship
- Vincent Barzetti (Honours Labour Studies & Political Science)
- Gia Haggith (Honours Labour Studies)

The Margaret Cudmore Scholars in Political Science
- Wadana Abbas (Honours Political Science Specialization in Public Law and Judicial Studies)

The Wouters Family Scholarship
- Sierra Granger (Honours Health & Society Specialization in Mental Health & Addiction)

The McMaster University Retirees Association Scholarship
- Ilisa Merz (Honours Health & Society Specialization in Mental Health & Addiction)
- Tegan Wilson (Honours Health & Society Specialization in Mental Health & Addiction)

The Pitcher-Ratford Awards
- Alison Laurie (Honours Environment & Society)

The Mahatma Gandhi Scholarship
- Hannah Chapman (Honours Political Science Specialization in Public Law and Judicial Studies)

The South Ontario Economic Development Council Scholarship
- Abigail Amos (Honours Environment & Society)
- Alison Laurie (Honours Environment & Society)

The Provost’s Honour Roll Medal
- Guangyuan Liu (Honours Economics, Specialist)
The Social Work Prize
  o Xin Huang (Honours Social Work)

The Betty MacMillan Prize
  o Rachel Raakman (Honours Sociology, Specialist Option)

The Dr. Thomas Hobley Prize
  o Naviatha Abbas (Honours Political Science Specialization in Public Law and Judicial Studies)

The Lianne Marks Scholarship
  o Julia Plechinger (Honours Sociology)

The Psychology Society Prizes
  o Alexandra Irvine (Honours Psychology, Neuroscience & Behaviour - Mental Health Specialization)

The Rosart Properties Inc. Scholarship
  o Alison Laurie (Honours Environment & Society)

The Marjorie and Charles Wilkinson Scholarship
  o Aaraf Khan (Honours Society, Culture & Religion)

The Herbert S. Armstrong Memorial Fund Scholarship
  o Alison Laurie (Honours Environment & Society)

The Patricia L. Smye Memorial Scholarship
  o Carolyn Lange (Psychology)

The Christine Feaver Scholarship in Economics
  o Shuajun Liu (Honours Economics)

The Anne Stein Memorial Prize
  o Tiana Johnson (Honours Social Work)

The Kenneth W. Taylor Book Prize
  o Hiya Goyal (Honours Economics & Political Science)

The William Mackenzie Memorial Prize
  o Tanya Mahendru (Honours Economics)

The Pioneer Energy LP Prize in Aging and Society
  o Claire Talbot (Honours Aging and Society Specialization in Mental Health and Addiction)

The R. Louis Gentilcore Prize
  o Caelan Harrington (Honours Environment & Society & Political Science)
  o Madelyn Heise (Honours Labour Studies & Environment & Society)

The Ralph Weekes Scholarship
- Sai Thunga (Honours Economics & Computer Science)
- Rhoda Otono (Honours Economics)

**The Human Rights Award**
- Alisha Bustamante (Honours Political Science Specialization in Public Law and Judicial Studies)

**The Ellen Bouchard Ryan Scholarship**
- Zichen Wang (Honours Health & Society)
- Florencia Saposnik (Honours Health & Society Specialization in Mental Health & Addiction)

**The Larry Sefton Scholarships**
- Gia Haggith (Honours Labour Studies)

**The Barbara and Ronald Bayne Award**
- Florencia Saposnik (Honours Health & Society Specialization in Mental Health & Addiction)

**The Susan Farley and Beth Farley-Groves Scholarship**
- Myia Wilhelm (Honours Aging and Society Specialization in Mental Health and Addiction)

**The Allan R Veall Scholarship in Environment Economics**
- James Lieb (Honours Economics)

**The Moffat Family Prize**
- Eeva-Marie Ball (Honours Anthropology & Geography)

**The McMaster University Future Fund In-course Award**
- Kailey Chaplin-Shiga (Honours Sociology)

**The MacGibbon Scholarship**
- Qi Lu (Honours Economics)
- Alexandra Gladkova (Honours Economics)

**The Melinda Wapshaw Achievement Award**
- Vincent Barzetti (Honours Labour Studies & Political Science)
- Gia Haggith (Honours Labour Studies)

**The Citizen Action Group Award in Memory of Harry Penny**
- Emily Michetti-Wilson (Social Work SD)
- Carling Bulger (Honours Social Work)

**The Jeanne and Peter Nolan Award**
- Alicia Seed (Honours Social Work)
- Kiara Thomas (Honours Social Work)

**The Jack Richardson Memorial Scholarship**
- Fathia Ali (Honours Social Psychology)
- Ashley Chabot (Honours Social Psychology)

**The David Winch Memorial Scholarship**
- Samuel Oosterhoff (Political Science)

**The Alice and Walter Day Scholarship**
- Madelyn Heise (Honours Labour Studies & Environment & Society)
- Jack Kelso (Honours Labour Studies)

**The McMaster Undergraduate Scholarships**
- Guangyuan Liu (Honours Economics, Specialist)