



NEWSLETTER



From the Department of Geography & Planning

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CALENDAR

Friday, April 8: Winter Term Classes End.

Saturday, April 9 – Wednesday, April 13: Winter Term Pre-Assessment Study Period.

Thursday, April 14; The virtual **Queen's Northern Studies Research Symposium**. See full details further in the *Newsletter*.

Friday, April 15: Good Friday. Classes will not be held.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Dan Cohen who was an **Honorable Mention** for the 2021 Urban Geography Early Career Researcher Prize. <https://www.urbangeographyjournal.org/journal/early-career-researcher-prize/2021-prize-winners>.

UPCOMING THESIS EXAMINATION

Monday, May 16, 2022; 9:00 a.m.; Teams: Sirikul Hutasavi's PhD Oral Thesis Examination. Thesis title: "Evaluating industry park development and its social/economic impact in a developing country with remotely sensed data: A case study of Eastern Economic Corridor, Thailand." Supervisor: Dr. Dongmei Chen.

IN THE NEWS

David Gordon (Arts and Science, Department of Geography and Planning). **CBC Online:** [*The 100 years' wrangle: How to revamp Wellington Street*](#). Prof. Gordon talks about discussions in Ottawa regarding 'reinventing' the Wellington Street area, particularly in the wake of the recent truck convoy.

Mohammad Qadeer (Arts and Science, Department of Geography and Planning, Department of Political Studies, School of Graduate Studies). **Policy Opinions:** [*Student immigration visas are a money-making business*](#). Dr. Qadeer says universities' reliance on international students has turned immigration visas into a money-making business.

FACULTY FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

[International Policy Ideas Challenge 2022](#)

[Mitacs Globalink Research Awards \(with Eligible Countries\)](#)

[Mitacs: Globalink Research Award Call for Proposals with National Research Council of South Africa \(NRF-SA\) \(South Africa - travel to and from Canada\)](#)

Mitacs: Globalink Research Award Call for Proposals with French Embassy in Canada (France - travel from Canada)

Partnership Engage Grants—Residential Schools Joint Initiative

Tri-Agency Special Response Fund for Trainees (Ukraine)

Canadian Statistical Sciences Institute

Apply to become a member of CIHR's Institute Advisory Boards

QUEEN'S NORTHERN RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM

We would like to extend the invitation to participate in the virtual **Queen's Northern Research Symposium (QNRS)** to **undergraduates and graduate students** outside of Queen's University. The QNRS is hosted *by students for students* and is a great opportunity to network and collaborate. **Registration is free!** This invitation is open to students wishing to do an **oral presentation, poster session, or those who simply wish to attend!** If you would like to submit an abstract, it should not exceed 250 words. The only requirement is that your subject must relate to research in the North. If it covers history, sociology, geopolitics, the cryosphere, biology, engineering, etc. ...we want to hear about it!

Registration is open to everyone and abstract submissions are not required, however we would like to reserve *presentation* opportunities for students including undergraduate students, graduate students, and post-docs.

Registration and abstract submission links can be found on our website: <https://queensnrs.wordpress.com/>



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**A DECADE OF RESEARCH:
CONNECTING HISTORIC VIEWS
AND NEW PERSPECTIVES**

QNRS is organized *by students for students* and encourages participation from students at all stages in their research!

10th annual meeting hosted virtually by the Department of Geography & Planning

Thursday, April 14th, 2022

Register and submit abstracts at <https://queensnrs.wordpress.com>

We hope you join us!

Sincerely,

The QNRS Organizing Committee

Dr. Chris Omelon; Carley Ross; Cedelle Pereira; Theresa Gossmann; Maddie Myers

ON THE LIGHTER SIDE.....



The photographer really liked this photo! Note the “make” of the car! 😊

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