



Carto 2023 - Call for Proposals!

Making and Breaking Boundaries: Advancing excellence in Cartography, in Canadian Map Libraries, and Beyond

The **Association of Canadian Map Libraries and Archives (ACMLA)** and the **Canadian Cartographic Association (CCA)** are pleased to announce a return to in-person conferencing at the **University of Calgary June 14-16 for the 56th edition of Carto!** To accommodate members and other interested people not intending to attend in-person, we are planning a hybrid conference that will enable meaningful online participation. From remote library services to remote sensing data collection, this year's conference explores the changing boundaries of cartography and map librarianship in what has been an incredibly transformative couple of years.

The Carto 2023 conference committee invites researchers, students, cartographers, librarians, library staff, archivists, geographic information specialists, and other interested individuals to submit proposals for in-person or online presentations, panels, papers, posters, and workshops that explore this theme and others related to it.

Learn more at the **[Carto 2023 Call for Proposals website](#)**.

Link to submission form: **<https://arcg.is/1XOyfy1>**

Research Events and Webinars

Accessibility in Research: From Design to Dissemination

Wednesday, March 1 - 10:00 am - 11:30 am

Location: Virtually on Teams

The Vice-Principal Research Portfolio is pleased to host a webinar dedicated to Accessibility in Research. This Resources for Research at Queen's (R4R@Q) session will be jointly presented by the Co-chair of SSHRC's Advisory Committee on Accessibility and Systemic Ableism Dr. Stefan Sunandan Honisch and the Queen's Accessibility Coordinator Andrew Ashby.

[Register for the Accessibility Session](#)

Enjoy some coffee, tea & cookies!

GPPL CAFE



TUESDAY, FEB. 28, 12-1 PM

THIRD-FLOOR LOUNGE, ROOM D318

Graduate students, faculty & staff

In the News

David Gordon (Arts and Science, Department of Geography and Planning)

- **Globe and Mail:**

Edmonton is the latest '15-minute city' to be caught in a global conspiracy theory

Dr. Gordon from Queen's School of Urban and Regional Planning says the rise of conspiracy theories such as the one in Edmonton impedes the collective betterment of Canadian cities.

Warren Mabee (Arts and Science, Department of Geography and Planning, School of Policy Studies)

- **The Agenda with Steven Paikin, TVO:**

What Will Be the Fate of Line 5?

Dr. Mabee speaks to possible alternatives to Enbridge's Line 5 pipeline.

- **CBC Online:**

Wildly swinging oil prices will continue, and provinces like N.L. can gain: professor

Dr. Mabee suggests that it will be more likely that companies have a record profit one year, but then have profits fall the next.

- **580 CFRA:**

Gas leak in Ottawa

Dr. Mabee discusses what could have ignited the gas leak in Ottawa.

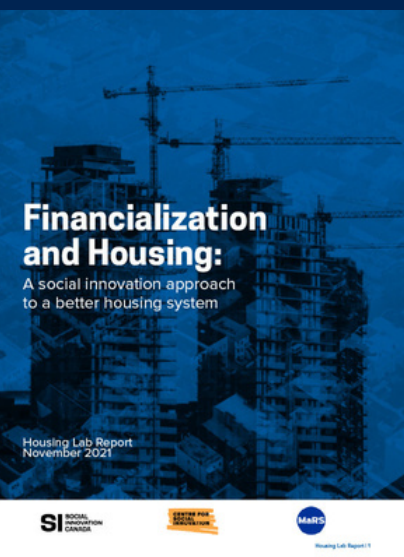
CRYSTAL FUNG AT SI CANADA

Congratulations to Queen's undergraduate student **Crystal Fung**, who successfully completed an eight-month Fellowship with **Social Innovation Canada (SI Canada)** under the academic supervision of **Dr. Carolyn DeLoyde**. Crystal was awarded \$30,000 as part of the *Mitacs Business Strategy Internship* program, and contributed to SI Canada's **Financialization of Housing Lab** project.

Acknowledging the ever-changing landscape of school and work that post-secondary students are navigating, the Elevating Student Engagement in Social Innovation Across Canada Fellowship Program (SI Fellowship), ran for the first time in 2022, aiming to help youth and young adults meaningfully enter the workforce. Students were connected to a national cohort of peers, mentors, and community leaders to build their professional network and participate in supplemental skill building workshops focused on transferable skills required to thrive in today's world.

Crystal's work with the Financialization of Housing Lab centered on engaging cross-sectoral stakeholders and experts, working together on specific problem areas to generate prototypes that captured opportunities and addressed barriers that have resulted from the Financialization of Housing. Well done, Crystal!

(Source: SI Canada)



Dr. Zoe Panchen Speaks at Queen's

Dr. Zoe Panchen is a very accomplished and experienced arctic plant ecologist now with the Museum of Nature who will be visiting Queen's to give the Department of Biology seminar on **Tuesday, Feb 28th from 1:30-2:30 Room 3110, Biosciences.**

Dr. Panchen is particularly interested in climate change effects on tundra plant phenology, community composition, and distribution, and the use of herbarium records to infer patterns. Zoe would be delighted to meet with interested folks either before the seminar next Tuesday anytime from 11:30 up until 1:00 or from 3:00 onwards in the afternoon. Please contact **Paul Grogan** (groganp@queensu.ca) if you are interested in meeting her, and if so, the times that you would be available within the above windows.

Seminar Title:

The blossoming of the Arctic: Natural history records as a resource to study plant responses to climate change



MSGP PRESENTS

a conversation with Jamal Saeed
about his recent memoir

MY
ROAD
FROM
DAMASCUS

MARCH 1st
6:30-8:30
MAC-CORRY
D216

Light refreshments will be served.

this event will also be livestreamed on
our Facebook page



A CONVERSATION WITH JAMAL SAEED

The Muslim Societies, Global Perspectives (MSGP) Project invites you to join a conversation with Jamal Saeed about his recent memoir, *My Road from Damascus*, on **Wednesday, March 1 at 6:30-8:30 PM in Mac-Corry D216.**

Jamal Saeed spent 12 years as a prisoner of conscience in Syria before being invited to Canada in 2016. He continues to raise awareness about Syria's ongoing civil war and humanitarian crisis through his work as an activist, editor, visual artist, and author. He lives in Kingston, ON.

While many prison memoirs focus on the cruelty of incarceration, *My Road from Damascus* offers a tapestry of Saeed's whole life. It looks squarely at brutality but also at beauty and poetry, hope and love.

The conversation will also be live streamed on the MSGP Facebook page. Light refreshments will be served.

Sustainability Hub - March 1st and 15th

The Sustainability Hub is an interactive learning experience that promotes a circular economy by encouraging individuals to repair, reuse, and recycle their items instead of buying new, while working with the Queen's and Kingston communities towards collective climate action.

On **March 1st and 15th from 3:00-7:00 pm**, Queen's students, faculty, staff and the surrounding Kingston community will be able to bring in items to the **Rose Innovation Centre (Mitchell Hall, 69 Union Street West)** that need to be repaired or correctly recycled. This includes bikes, clothing, small electronics, appliance repair and much more.



COMING SOON!

**SUSTAINABILITY
HUB**

March 1st & 15th, 2023

Rose Innovation Hub in Mitchell Hall
3:00pm - 7:00pm



Note: This newsletter is used to inform the Geography and Planning community of events and issues that may be of interest to them. The views expressed do not necessarily represent the views of the Department of Geography and Planning or of Queen's University.