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Post-Doc Appreciation Reception

September 18 - please RSVP

Dear Queen’s Post-Doctoral Fellows,

The Office of Post-Doctoral Training in the School of Graduate Studies invites Queen’s post-doctoral fellows and their faculty advisors to the inaugural Post-Doc Appreciation Reception!

Please join us at the University Club (168 Stuart Street) on September 18 from 4-6 pm and enjoy food and drink (cash bar) and good company. This is an opportunity for you to connect with peers and other Queen’s faculty while we celebrate the many important contributions of post-doctoral fellows to our research community.

Please RSVP here. For questions or comments, please email me at sgspostdoc@queensu.ca

I look forward to seeing you all on September 18!

warm regards,
Rebecca Hügler,
Coordinator, Office of Post-Doctoral Training

More information on this event

Orientation Session for New and Current Post-Docs

September 16, 1-3 pm

New and current Post-Docs are invited to attend an orientation session. Join us in Mac-Corry Hall B176 (Faculty and Staff Learning Facility) on September 16, 1-3 pm to learn more about services available to post-docs to enhance research training, teaching and community involvement.

Please RSVP here. For comments or questions, please email Rebecca at sgspostdoc@queensu.ca

More information on Post-Doc Orientation

European Funding Opportunities - Information Session

9 September 2014, 9 am to 12:15 pm

You are cordially invited to a EURAXESS Links North America Information Session co-organized by the Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada (AUCC) and Queen’s University.

Tuesday, September 09, 2014
9:00 AM TO 12:15 PM
Kinesiology and Health Studies Room 100

Researcher mobility is a critical element of the construction of European Research Area. Several models for mobility schemes are used in Europe (at national and European levels), covering a large scale and scope, from the early-stage researcher to the recognised/established researcher and beyond. These mobility opportunities are open to researchers from all over the world regardless of nationality.

By fostering transatlantic exchange of researchers (including PhD and postdoc candidates), these schemes contribute to training researchers in addition to stimulating and supporting research partnerships and institutional cooperation beyond the world of academia.

More information and RSVP
Expanding Horizons Workshop Schedule Now Online

Registration to open soon

The School of Graduate Studies (SGS), in partnership with student service providers at Queen’s, offers Expanding Horizons - a series of workshops and seminars to support the academic, personal, and professional success of our graduate students and post-doctoral fellows. Post-Docs are encouraged to participate according to their needs and interests and may take one or as many workshops/seminars as they would like.

Registration for the workshops opens soon. We also invite ideas to expand these professional development opportunities to the needs of post-docs. Please email Rebecca at sgspostdoc@queensu.ca to share your thoughts.

Find the Expanding Horizons Schedule online

Canadian Breast Cancer Foundation Fall 2014 Call for Proposals – Fellowship Program

Intent to apply deadline: 17 September. Application deadline: 15 October

Canadian Breast Cancer Foundation is Canada’s leading community-driven breast cancer charity dedicated to funding relevant and innovative research and supporting and advocating for the breast cancer community. Researchers, physicians, nurses, allied health professionals, collaborative research teams, graduate students and post-graduate fellows from across Ontario are invited to apply for funding through the Foundation’s peer-reviewed grant competitions. The Fellowship Program supports research and/or clinical and professional training for graduate and post-graduate level scientists, physicians, nurses, and allied health professionals to pursue and develop expertise in breast cancer research and care.

The applicant must be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident of Canada. Intent to Apply Deadline: Wednesday, September 17, 2014 @ 5:00 PM ET. Application Deadline: Wednesday, October 15, 2014 @ 5:00 PM ET.

More information and detailed eligibility criteria

Azrieli International post-doctoral fellowships

Deadline: 3 November 2014

The Azrieli Foundation announces the Call for Applications for the 2015 – 2016 academic year.

Azrieli International post-doctoral fellowships enable the best and brightest academics to pursue post-doctoral research in Israel for 1 – 2 years, in all fields of study. Applicants must be Canadian citizens or have completed a doctorate at a Canadian university. The fellowships are awarded on the basis of academic excellence. Candidates are assessed by leading experts and academics for their potential to make cutting-edge contributions to their respective fields. Aspects of personal merit and leadership abilities are also taken into consideration.

Deadline: 3 November 2014

More information on this opportunity

Kingston Multicultural Arts Festival

7 September 2014

Kingston celebrates the 5th annual Multicultural Arts Festival on September 7 from 11:30 am to 5:30 pm in Confederation Park in Downtown Kingston. Bring your family and enjoy the celebrations with food, music, dance and art!

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