



Queen's Research Data Centre (QRDC)

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Executive Summary

2012 was a growth year for the Queen's Research Data Centre (QRDC). Change was the overarching theme, with new staffing, hardware, software, and networking, along with new administrative and budget structures.

Of particular note, the QRDC budget process has changed as a consequence of the University moving to a new *activity-based budgeting* model. Under this model, funding for the QRDC has become more institutionalized, with Queen's University Library becoming responsible for managing the RDC's budget in close consultation with Queen's Information Technology Services, and the Office of Research Services.

The QRDC saw 19% activity growth from the previous year. With the departure of our longstanding Statistical Analyst, who was a very active researcher in the QRDC, it is unclear what direction activity levels will take in 2013. Our new Statistical Analyst is working out very well. With active promotion of the RDC, completion of the Active Directory migration project, and the CFI-funded hardware/software changeover, it is hoped that we can continue to grow research activity in the QRDC.

Section One: Background Information

a. QRDC Contact Information

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¹ Analyst confirmed in position in May, 2013

d. QRDC Advisory Committee Members (as of April, 2013)

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		for the Study of Economic Policy
Dr. Sandra Den Otter	History, Sch. of	Associate Dean, Graduate Studies
	Graduate Studies	
Bo Wandschneider	ITServices	Associate VP Information Technology and CIO
Martha Whitehead	Library	University Librarian
Jeff Moon	Library	Academic Director, Data & Government
		Information Librarian
Dr. Ian Michael Janssen	School of Kinesiology	Professor
	and Health Studies,	
	Department of	
	Community Health	
	and Epidemiology	
Dr. Cynthia Fekken	Associate VP Research	Associate VP Research
Bin Hu	Economics	Statistics Canada Analyst (Interim)
Dr. Olena Ivus	Business	Professor
David Rappaport	Computing & School	Associate Dean, School of Graduate Studies
	of Graduate Studies	
Kamin Peyrow	Economics	Graduate Student
Mary Purcell	y Purcell EQUIP Queen's University Infrastructure Programs 1	
Sonia Nobrega	EQUIP Queen's Univers	ity Infrastructure Programs Task Force
Karina McInnis	Office or Research	Interim Director
	Services	

e. Hours of Operation

The Centre is open 18.75 hours per week
10:00 AM until 4:45 PM, Tuesdays – Wednesdays – Thursdays
Closed for lunch 12:45 – 1:15 PM
12 workstations are available to researchers

Section Two: Research Output and Training Activities

Criterion 1: Total Number of Contracts

Table 1: QRDC Summary of the Number of Contracts Started, Completed and Withdrawn				
Contracts Started Contracts Completed Contract Withdraw				
2012	21	13	0	

Note: **5** reported in Program Manager's Report, plus **8** more related to Graduate students in a course = **13**.

Instructions:

The source for the information in this table is the Program Manager's Report which will be sent to each Centre by Statistics Canada by the end of March of each year.

Definitions

Started: The count of all the contracts started during the calendar year
 Completed: The number of contracts that met their contractual obligations
 Withdrawn: The number of contracts that were withdrawn at the request of the

principle investigator

Criterion 2: Summary of Project Output

	Table 2: QRDC 2012 Measure and Weighting of Output				
		Un-weighted	Weighted		
Rating	Units	Total	Total		
0.5	Completed Projects	13	6.5		
2.0	Books				
1.0	Edited Books				
1.0	Book Chapters				
1.5	Refereed Articles	3	4.5		
0.5	Working Papers	3	1.5		
1.0	Policy Reports	1	1		
2.0	PhD Theses				
1.0	MA & Hon. Theses	12	12		
2.0	Full Year Graduate Course (6 credits)				
1.0	Semester Graduate Course (3 credits)	1	1		
0.5	RDC Data in Conference, presentations or invited talks				
0.5	(same presentations may be counted only once)	9	4.5		
2.0	CRDCN Conference Organization				
1.0	Organize Conference Sessions, Workshops, Symposia				
	Total	42	31		

Note: From "Criterion 2 - Table 2 - Summary Table of Project Output for QUE - Raw.xls", and from analysis of QRDC outputs from "All RDCs Output List -- Listing by RDC and Output Type.html", filtered by "QUE-", and eliminating duplicate conference proceedings. Final table summarized in: 'ANNUAL REPORT TABLE STATISTICS Added Up in Excel.xlsx'.

Note: Using "Corrected Student list from Dave Haans.xlsx", per email of 26 May 2013, changed the number of MA & Hon. Theses from 1 to 12. Included 2 additional Working Papers reported by QRDC, bringing the total to 3 in the table, above.

Instructions:

Source of line 1 (completed projects) is the Program Manager (PM) report.

Source of # of publications (lines 2-9) is the CRDCN Researchers' Questionnaire, supplied as conditional results in mid-May, **plus** non-duplicate results for the Annual Report year from the CRDCN Bibliography (http://rdc-cdr.ca/statistics) before mid-June, **plus** any publications obtained by the RDC outside of either. By mid-June, publications will be edited, corrected and completed and made available in the CRDCN Bibliography.

Source of lines 10 and 11 (graduate courses) are from the RDC.

Source of line 12 (conference presentations) is the CRDCN Researchers' Questionnaire, supplied in mid-May.

Source of lines 13 and 14 (conference organization, conference sessions, etc.) is the RDC.

² Files from Dave Haans - C:\Users\moonj\Documents\Committees\aaa_RDC Network\QRDC\Annual Reports and PI Survey\Annual Reports\2012 Annual Report\QUE_Researcher Survey Files from Dave Haans.zip

Box 2a: Summary of Substantive Comments on Publications

QRDC researchers produced a range of articles, working papers, policy papers, and theses in 2012, and gave RDC-based presentations at a number of conferences.

Instructions: Source of information is the CRDCN Researchers' Questionnaire.

Box 2b: Summary of Major Media Coverage of Research

Urban sprawl's relationship to childhood obesity was discussed in the Windsor Star in June 2012. The researchers found a modest relationship between sprawl and self-reported physical activity among 12-19 year olds. There was no relationship found between sprawl and obesity in this age group, Seliske said, even though there is a lot of research suggesting urban sprawl is linked to obesity in adults.

In another article, researchers reported that suburban youth walk and bike more than city peers. The policy goal is to strike a balance between letting kids be active and concerns for their safety.

Television panel discussion on: 'Making It Work? The New El Rules'

<u>Instructions</u>: Source of information is the CRDCN Researchers' Questionnaire.

Criterion 2a: Measure of Focus of Research

Table 2a: QRDC Focus of Research				
Category	Count	% of Total		
Aging				
Education	3	9.7		
Family and Children	3	9.7		
Financial Security				
Health	11	35.5		
Immigration	5	16.1		
Labour Force	6	19.4		
Other	3	9.7		
Total Number of Projects	31	100		

Note: From "Criterion 2a, Table 2a - Focus of Research for QUE .xls"-- Percentage of Total recalculated because of errors in spreadsheet delivered to QRDC

Instructions: Source is the CRDCN Researchers' Questionnaire.

Final table summarized in: 'ANNUAL REPORT TABLE STATISTICS Added Up in Excel.xlsx'.

Criterion 3: Training and Employment

Table 3a: Students in the QRDC

	Theses in Progress	Theses Completed
Undergraduate		
Masters	0	12
Doctoral	7	1
Postdoctoral	1	1

Note: Initially from "Criterion 3, Table 3a - Summary of Student Training and Employment for QUE .xls", but then used corrected student list "Corrected Student list from Dave Haans.xlsx", per email of 26 May 2013.

<u>Instructions</u>: Source is the CRDCN Researchers' Questionnaire

Table 3b: Teaching in the QRDC

Table 3b: Teaching in the QRDC			
Courses or Training sessions	Number	Approximate average number of participants	
Summer school (1 or 2 week sessions)			
Training sessions or Workshops (1 or 2 days)			
Data seminars			
RDC promotion			
Full year graduate or undergraduate course (6 credits)			
Semester graduate or undergraduate course (3 credits)	1	13	
Other, specify			
Total			

<u>Instructions</u>: Source is the RDC.

Box 3: Substantive Comments and Summary of Training within the RDC

The former QRDC Statistical Analyst, Dr. Casey Warman (now at Dalhousie), taught a course on empirical methodology using Statistics Canada microdata.

<u>Instructions</u>: Source is the RDC.

Criterion 4: Staff

Table 4: RDC Summary Table of Staff

Table 4: QRDC Summary Table of Staff *			
Roles and Responsibilities	Students	Non-Students	
RDC Analyst		0.5	
Technician			
Professional Research Associate			
Administrative Support Staff		0.15	
Statistical Assistants (part-time, Branch staff, extra hour employees)	0.15 ³		
Knowledge Transfer Staff			
Other(s): Please Specify, Academic Director		0.10	
Summary		•	

^{*}Please indicate the full time equivalent (FTE).

Instructions: Source is the RDC.

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³ Statistical Assistant worked January to March 2012; position was vacant for balance of 2012.

Criterion 5: Knowledge Mobilization Activities

Table 5: Training Sessions & Other RDC-Based Knowledge Transfer & Dissemination Activities

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RDC-based publications (e.g. newsletters, working papers, research summaries or highlights, synthesis reports)	Research in the QRDC in 2012 gave rise to a number of policy papers, working papers, articles, and theses.		
Training sessions and research seminars or conference hosted by the RDC (e.g. workshops, brown bag luncheons, symposia)	6 Economics seminars aimed at graduate students and faculty were organized/sponsored by the QRDC analyst and a member of the QRDC Advisory Committee.		
RDC-related outreach activities (e.g. meetings with public officials and other stakeholders)	Introduction to QRDC provided to Community Health and Epidemiology Grad Students		
RDC-related media mentions	5 total – 4 Newspaper mention and 1 Television mention.		
RDC website (e.g. number of visitors)	362 unique visits to https://queensrdc.othree.ca/		
Other (blogs, tweets). Please specify	Several blog posts to QRDC web page, announcing training sessions, funding opportunities, data developments, and generally promoting the QRDC.		

Instructions: Source is the RDC.

⁴ Count obtained from O3 administrator, host of our QRDC website, for the period covered by this report.

Vignette 1

Vignette 1: A researcher worked in the QRDC to characterize 'movers and stayers' in the context of immigration policy and the mobility of French and English Canadians. Canadians moved to the U.S. in large numbers in the late 19th and early 20th centuries. Canadians also moved to settle the Prairies. The researcher merged Canadian and U.S. Census microdata files from 1900 through 1931 to generate a sample of the population of the Canadian-born living in both Canada and the U.S. The researcher then quantified the relative odds of Anglo- and Franco-Canadians moving inter-provincially and to the U.S., and did this for each Census year. This allowed direct comparison of the relative mobility of each group, and changes in mobility over time. A shift was noted in the characteristics of French Canadians moving to the U.S. during the 1920s, that could be due to changes in labour demand or the effect of the literacy requirement introduced by Congress in 1917.

Vignette 2: Targeted employment subsidy programs are commonly employed by governments. A researcher team examinee one such initiative that rebated unemployment insurance premiums for net new insurable employment for youth aged 18 to 24. Using microdata from two datasets to estimate the labour market impacts of this program, researchers found statistically and economically significant impacts of various measures of employment for the targeted age group relative to older age groups. Neither dataset exhibited a concurrent change in unemployment; rather a reduction in those not in the labor force was observed. Oddly, no program impacts are observed for females; all of the effects are for males. Notably, researchers found evidence of displacement – substitution away from slightly older non-subsidized workers towards the younger subsidized group. These spillovers suggest that the aggregate impact of the program is less than that observed for the targeted group.

Instructions: Provide an example of research mobilization in the RDC.

Criterion 6: Networks of Collaboration, Partnerships in Research and Interdisciplinary Work

Table 6a: List of QRDC researchers' disciplines

Academic Discipline	Number of Researchers	Percent
Civil Law	2	1.9
Community Health and Epidemiology	5	4.7
Economics/Économique	53	50.0
Geography	2	1.9
Industrial Relations / Relations Industrielles	1	0.9
Kinesiology and Health Sciences	1	0.9
Kinesiology and Health Studies	5	4.7
Management	1	0.9
Physical Education and Health	4	3.8
Policy Studies	8	7.5
Queen's School of Business	7	6.6
RDC/Research Data Centres Program	13	12.3
Social economics	1	0.9
Sociology / Sociologie	2	1.9
Strategic Management and Organization	1	0.9
Total:	106	100.0

<u>Instructions</u>: Please refer to Contact List provided by Statistics Canada.

Note: Table information obtained from Donna Dosman, 22 May 2013;

Final table summarized in: 'ANNUAL REPORT TABLE STATISTICS Added Up in Excel.xlsx'.

Table 6b. Research networks in which researchers are involved as a RDC researcher

Table 6b: Research Networks			
Research networks	Number of Researchers		
Mental Health Commission of Canada Opening Minds Evaluation Network	1		
Canadian Labour Market and Skills Researcher Network	1		
Opening Minds Anti-stigma Evaluation Network	5		
University of Alberta collaboration	2		
NBER, EPRI and CLSRN	2		

Note: Partner 'research network' info from "Research Networks for QUE.txt"; number of researchers obtained by looking up the project in the Researcher Survey.

<u>Instructions</u>: Please summarize the information provided by the CRDCN Researchers' Questionnaire.

Table 6c. Partnerships with any level of government agencies in which RDC researchers are involved

Table 6c: Partnerships with Government Agencies				
Government agencies	Number of Researchers			
Mental Health Commission of Canada	5			
OECD	2			

Note: Partner 'research network' info from "Partnerships for QUE.txt"; number of researchers obtained by looking up the project in the Researcher Survey.

<u>Instructions</u>: Please summarize the information provided by the CRDCN Researchers' Questionnaire.

Table 6d. List of collaborations with NGOs in which RDC researchers are involved

Table 6d: NGO Collaborations				
NGO	Number of Researchers			

<u>Instructions</u>: Please summarize the information provided by the CRDCN Researchers' Questionnaire.

Table 6e. List of funding agencies that support researchers' RDC project

Table 6e: Funds for RDC researchers				
Agency	Number of Researchers			
Student stipends (~ \$60,000 per year)	2			
CIHR Doctoral Research Award (Institutes of Population and Public Health)	1			
EPRI (The Education Policy Research Initiative, U Ottawa)	1			
John Deutsch Institute (JDI)	2			

Note: From "List of Funding Sources for QUE.txt" and looking at Researcher Survey.

<u>Instructions</u>: Please summarize the information provided by the CRDCN Researchers' Questionnaire.

Criterion 7: Summary of Major Achievements and Challenges for the past year

2012 was a challenging year for the Queen's Research Data Centre (QRDC). Just about everything that could change, did – staffing, hardware, software, networking, and administrative structure. We hired a new interim Statistical Analyst, Bin Hu. We started the process of hiring a new Statistical Assistant. I started as the new Academic Director.

We worked hard toward migrating the QRDC hardware, software, and networking to meet the new Windows AD environment required by Statistics Canada. While we didn't complete migration in 2012, much of the key groundwork was done – including getting an approved Network Architecture (July, 2012) and starting detailed migration planning (Fall 2012, with excellent support from Queen's IT Services). 2012 also saw administrative and financial responsibility for the QRDC move from the Economics Department to Queen's University Library.

As the new Academic Director, I spent a lot of time learning how to administer the 2011 PI Survey. This was an often frustrating but always enlightening experience. It opened my eyes to the range of research projects being conducted in the QRDC and elsewhere. When a new online "Researcher Survey" was proposed by CRDCN, I greeted this with enthusiasm and contributed to its development. This report is based in part on results gathered using this new tool. Support from Dave Haans is greatly appreciated in this regard.

In 2012, we developed a new QRDC website, with the goal of increasing transparency (providing access to Annual Reports, and other background

documents) as well as fostering a community of researchers (via 'researcher profiles', QRDC Blog, news items, etc).

Criterion 8: Major Objectives and foreseeable Challenges for next year

Looking forward to 2013, there are several activities and challenges on the horizon. These include:

- Completing the QRCD migration project
- Using the QRDC website, workshops, personal communication, and other forms of outreach to promote the QRDC to researchers and departments, and putting the RDC in the context of the broader spectrum of statistical and data resources available at Queen's.
- Promoting the new 'Program of Research' option for RDC researchers.
- Fostering a community of research, using the QRDC website to profile researchers and research projects and to encourage interaction among researchers.
- Refreshing the QRDC Advisory Committee membership and ensuring ongoing communication with this group (two scheduled meetings and emails as needed).
- Confirming the Interim Statistical Analyst
- Hiring a new Statistical Assistant
- Providing feedback on the new online Researcher Survey to improve things for the next year
- In cooperation with QUL, ITS, and ORS, refining administrative process surrounding operation of the QRDC and our relationships with outside agencies (Statistics Canada, SSHRC, CFI, etc.); in particular, adapted the QRDC budget process to work with the University's new activity-based budgeting model.
- Improving the layout of the QRDC (e.g. building a wall to create a meeting room, to minimize disturbances for researchers)
- Working with the Statistical Analyst to become more familiar with the 'researcher experience' in the QRDC, to better respond to researcher needs and concerns

Section Three: RDC Operating Budget – Revenue and Expenses Report for Fiscal Year

NOTE: The QRDC budget process has changed, as the University has moved to a new activity-based budgeting model. Under this model, funding for the QRDC has become more institutionalized, with Queen's University Library becoming responsible for managing the RDC's budget, in close consultation with Queen's Information Technology Services, and the Office of Research Services.

Table 7. RDC Operating Budget: Revenue

Table 7: QRDC Revenue 2012-2013			
Source	[Amount]		
University	\$ 67,915.36		
SSHRC	\$ 36,419.50		
CIHR	\$ 36,419.50		
CFI			
Other-RDC-NCC			
HRSDC			
Fee for Service			
Other, specify			
Total Revenue	\$ 140,754.36		

Note: While RDC activity is based on calendar year, the financial report is based on the fiscal year of your University (e.g. April 1st to March 31st).

Note: Queen's University fiscal year is May 1 to April 31.

Note: All budget tables (Tables 7, 8 & 9) are summarized in 'QRDC Budget Tables in Excel Format.xlsx' in folder: 'C:\Users\moonj\Documents\Committees\aaa_RDC Network\QRDC\Annual Reports and PI Survey\Annual Reports\2012 Annual Report'

Table 8. RDC Operating Budget: Expenses

Table 8: QRDC Expenses 2012-2013						
AMOUNT						
		In Cash		In Kind	Te	otal
Statistics Canada Services	\$	82,904.87	\$	-	\$	82,904.87
Director Buy-Out of Time and Responsibilities			\$	10,000.00	\$	10,000.00
Secretarial and Administrative Staff			\$	13,504.86	\$	13,504.86
Translation Services					\$	-
Student Support for Longer Opening Hours					\$	-
Statistical and Methodological Services					\$	-
Supplies, Telephone, Security	\$	6,215.05			\$	6,215.05
Computer Software, Supplies and Licenses	\$	3,433.16			\$	3,433.16
Computer Assistance			\$	8,000.00	\$	8,000.00
Computer Depreciation and Replacement					\$	-
Local Governance, Conference, Receptions					\$	-
Workshops, Courses, Training	\$	1,747.77			\$	1,747.77
Travel (not Directors or training)					\$	-
Fellowship, Incentives Grants					\$	-

Dissemination (Website, Promotion of RDC)			\$	2,403.17	\$ 2,403.17
Branch RDC's Annual Costs					\$ -
Other				\$ 12,545.48	\$ 12,545.48
Actual Square footage of Centre (not dollars)	918.41 Square Feet				
Total	\$	94,300.85	\$	46,453.51	\$ 140,754.36

Table 9. RDC Summary of Contributions

Table 9: Summary of Contributions 2012-2013				
Source of funds	Percentage of Contribution			
Queen's University				
	Cash Contributions – Operating	15.25%		
	In-kind Contributions	33.00%		
	Total for university	48.25%		
SSHRC/CIHR – Grant		51.75%		
Other (please list)				

Appendix A: Detailed list of researcher output, conference presentations and media mentions for 2012

Instructions: List will be provided by mid-May of all researcher output for, or attributed to the RDC from the CRDCN Researchers' Questionnaire for the Annual Report year.

> This list is generated directly from the project questionnaire data, so changes in the questionnaires will be reflected in this list.

Appendix A. Queen's RDC Outputs

- copied and modified from: "All RDCs Output List -- Listing by RDC and Contract.html"

2012 Publications, Conference Presentations, and Media Mentions for: Queen's RDC (Kingston)

Refereed Articles

- 08-SSH-QUE-1844: Iwona Bielska and Helene Ouellette-Kuntz and Duncan Hunter (2012). Using national surveys for mental health surveillance of individuals with intellectual disabilities in Canada Chronic Diseases and Injuries in Canada, 32(4), 194 - 199.
- 09-SSH-QUE-2080: Michelle Reitsma and Joan Tranmer and Diane Buchanan and Elizabeth VanDenKerkhof (2012). The epidemiology of chronic pain in Canadian men and women between 1994 and 2007: Longitudinal results of the National Population Health Survey Pain Research and Management, 17(3), 166 172.
- 09-SSH-QUE-2103: Katya M. Herman and Wilma M. Hopman and Elizabeth VanDenKerkhof and Mark W. Rosenberg (2012). Physical activity, weight status and health-related quality of life in Canadian adults. Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise, 44(4), 625 636.

Policy Reports

12-DTS-QUE-3029-S007: Eiad El Fateh (2012). , .

Working Papers

- Arthur Sweetman and Casey Warman "The Structure of Canada's Immigration System and Canadian Labour Market Outcomes" (2012) QED Working Paper Number 1292.
- Matthew Webb, Arthur Sweetman and Casey Warman "How Targeted is Targeted
 Tax Relief? Evidence from the Unemployment Insurance Youth Hires Program"
 (2012) QED Working Paper Number 1298.

M.A. and Hon. Theses

 12-DTS-QUE-3029-S001: The Impact of the Residential Schooling System on Aboriginal Health in Canada

Author: Amirkhalkhali, Yasmine 2012

 Female Education and Marriage in Canada - A Preliminary Investigation Using Census Data

Author: Andrusiak, David 2012

 The Impact of Participation in Community and School Based Activities on Educational Performance

Author: Wills, Kelly 2012

 Job Search Technique and Worker Quality: Do Job Search Methods Yield Higher Earnings Due to Human Capital Differences?

Author: Rai, Vikram 2012

 The Effect of Retirement on Cognitive Functioning in Canada Author: Penney, Christopher 2012

Conference Presentations Using RDC Data

- 09-SSH-QUE-2060: Conference Type: Invited talks to academics. Conference reference: Casey Warman, 25JAN2012. From Engineer to Taxi Driver? Occupational Skills and the Economic Outcomes of Immigrants. Winnipeg, Manitoba.
- 09-SSH-QUE-2060: Conference Type: Invited talks to academics. Conference reference: Casey Warman, 30JAN2012. From Engineer to Taxi Driver? Occupational Skills and the Economic Outcomes of Immigrants. Montreal, Quebec.
- 09-SSH-QUE-2060: Conference Type: Invited talks to academics. Conference reference: Casey Warman, 06MAR2012. From Engineer to Taxi Driver?
 Occupational Skills and the Economic Outcomes of Immigrants. Toronto, Ontario.
- 09-SSH-QUE-2060: Conference Type: Invited talks to academics. Conference reference: Casey Warman, 08MAR2012. From Engineer to Taxi Driver?
 Occupational Skills and the Economic Outcomes of Immigrants. Halifax, NS.
- 09-SSH-QUE-2060: Conference Type: Invited talks to academics. Conference reference: Casey Warman, 09JUN2012. From Engineer to Taxi Driver? Occupational Skills and the Economic Outcomes of Immigrants. Bouctouche, New Brunswick.
- 10-HSD-QUE-2460: Conference Type: Public presentations. Conference reference: Szeto, ACH, Dobson, KS., 14JUN2012. The Association Between Work-related stress, occupation type and mental disorders from the Canadian Community Health Survey (Poster). Halifax, Nova Scotia.
- 10-SSH-QUE-2444: Conference Type: Talks or papers at academic conferences. Conference reference: Byron Lew, 28OCT2012. Canadian Emigration to the US, 1900-1930: Characterizing Movers and Stayers, and the Differential Impact of

- Immigration Policy on the Mobility of French and English Canadians. Banff, Alberta.
- 10-SSH-QUE-2444: Conference Type: Talks or papers at academic conferences. Conference reference: Byron Lew, 25MAY2012. The Role of Education/Ethnicity in Interprovincial Migration, 1891–1951. Guelph, Ontario.
- 11-ECT-UTO-2857: Conference Type: Presentations to government, panels or other groups. Conference reference: Ross Finnie, 14DEC2012. Access to and persistence through postsecondary education (PSE) using the Youth in Transition Survey.
 Amsterdam.
- 12-SSH-QUE-3274: Conference Type: Talks or papers at academic conferences.
 Conference reference: Webb, 20OCT2012. On the Effectiveness of Provincial Graduate Retention Programs. Halifax, NS.

Media Mentions

- 09-SSH-QUE-2141: Date: 20JUN2012. Media Type: Television. Mention Type: Panel Discussion. Article title: Making It Work? The New EI Rules. Media name: CPAC and iChannel. Media location: . Comments about media mention: This and other related work on EI.
- 10-SSH-QUE-2346: Date: 20JUN2012. Media Type: Canadian newspapers. Mention
 Type: interview for a health article. Article title: Suburban youth walk and bike
 more than city peers. Media name: CBC. Media location: . Comments about media
 mention: Suburban youth walk and bike more than city peers; Striking a balance
 between letting kids be active and concerns for their safety.
- 10-SSH-QUE-2346: Date: 22JUN2012. Media Type: Canadian newspapers. Mention
 Type: Blog. Article title: Urban sprawl linked to active adolescents, research finds.
 Media name: Windsor Star. Media location: . Comments about media mention:
 The researchers also found a modest relationship between sprawl and selfreported physical activity among 12-19 year olds. There was no relationship found
 between sprawl and obesity in this age group, Seliske said, even though there is a
 lot of research suggesting urban sprawl is linked to obesity in adults..
- 10-SSH-QUE-2385: Date: 01JAN2012. Media Type: Canadian newspapers. Mention Type: op-ed. Article title: . Media name: The Provence. Media location: Vancouver.
- 10-SSH-QUE-2385: Date: 01JAN2012. Media Type: Canadian newspapers. Mention Type: op-ed. Article title: . Media name: Victoria Times-Colonist. Media location:

Victoria .