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CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

The Canadian Economics Association invites nominations by any five members of the Association of candidates for Vice-President of the Association or for Member-at-large of the Executive Council. Please send nominations by March 1 each year to the Association's secretary of the Nominating Committee, Ana Ferrer aferrer@uwaterloo.ca.

NEW APPOINTMENTS/ NOMINATIONS RÉCENTES

University of British Columbia	
Cesi Cruz	Assistant Professor (joint with Political Science). July 1, 2018. Previously with University of British Columbia.
Emrul Hasan	Lecturer. August 1, 2018. Previously Simon Fraser University.
C. Shameem Mahmoud	Lecturer. September 1, 2018. Previously York University.
University of Calgary	
Jean-William Laliberté	Assistant Professor. January 12, 2018. PhD University of Toronto.
Eric Mbakop	Assistant Professor. July 1, 2018. PhD Northwestern University.
Lindsay Tedds	Associate Professor and Scientific Director (Fiscal and Economic Policy). May 1, 2018. Previously Associate Professor at University of Victoria.

University of Manitoba	
Soodeh Saberian	Assistant Professor July 1, 2018 (PhD Graduate May 2018 University of Ottawa)
Jesse Hajer	July 1, 2018 Lecturer and converted to Assistant Professor upon completion of PhD. (PhD completed December 2018 New School for Social Research)
McMaster University	
Adam Lavecchia	Assistant Professor (Tenure Track). January 2018. Previously at University of Ottawa.
Zachary Mahone	Assistant Professor (Tenure Track). July 2017. Previously at University of Toronto.
Queen's University	
Ming Xu	Assistant Professor, July 1, 2019 (PhD, University of Minnesota). Previously Postdoc, Aarhus University.
University of Saskatchewan	
Kenneth Belcher	Promoted to Head, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, July 2017-2022
Patrick Lloyd-Smith	Assistant Professor (tenure track), January 1, 2018.
University of Waterloo	
Barbara Bloemhof	Definite Term Lecturer, July 16, 2018.

University of Western Ontario	
Juan Carlos Hatchondo	Professor, January 1, 2019. Previously Associate Professor at Indiana University.
Amanda Michaud	Associate Professor, September 1, 2018. Previously Assistant Professor at Indiana University.
Bruce Salcedo	Assistant Professor, January 1, 2018. Previously graduate student at Cornell University.
University of Winnipeg	
Jie Zhou	Assistant Professor, July 1, 2018. Previously with the Bank of Canada.

***VISITING APPOINTMENTS /
PROFESSEUR(E)S INVITÉ(E)S***

University of British Columbia	
Michael Boehm	September 1, 2018. From Bonn University.
John Fountain	January 2, 2019. Adjunct Professor, University of British Columbia.
Shinya Kawahara	April 2019. From Rishsho University.
Dominic Rohner	August 1, 2018. From University of Lausanne.
Erwann Sbai	September 1, 2018. From University of Auckland.
Kozo Ueda	March 2019. From Waseda University.

Université de Montréal	
Jean-Sébastien Fontaine	du 7 janvier au 24 avril 2019, Banque du Canada
McMaster University	
Miana Plesca	September 2018 to June 2019. From the Department of Economics and Finance, University of Guelph.
University of Saskatchewan	
Konstantinos Karantininis	September 2017 to September 2018. From Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences (SLU)
Kaan Okay	September 2018 to current. Graduate Exchange student from Ankara, Turkey.
University of Toronto	
Jesus Carro	August 1, 2018 to August 31, 2019. From Universidad Carlos III de Madrid.
Javier Fernandez-Blanco	September 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019. From Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona
Xiaoping Li	September 1, 2018 to August 31, 2018. From Central South University
University of Western Ontario	
Sermin Gungor	August 1, 2017 to July 31, 2019. From Bank of Canada.
Cathy Zhang	January 1, 2018 to June 30, 2018. From Purdue University.
Paul Klein	January 1, 2019 to April 30, 2019. From Stockholm University.

DEPARTURES / DÉPARTS

University of British Columbia	
Mukesh Eswaran	June 30, 2018. Emeritus
Hugh Neary	December 31, 2018. Emeritus
Diana Whistler	April 30, 2018. Retired.
University of Calgary	
Pamela Campa	July 1, 2018. Accepted new position at the Stockholm School of Economics.
University of Manitoba	
Ashantha Ranasinghe	July 1, 2018. Accepted position at University of Alberta.
McMaster University	
Abigail Payne	July 31, 2018 – Resignation. Accepted new position as Applied Economic & Social Research Director and Ronald Henderson Professor at Melbourne Institute.
Queen's University	
James Bergin	December 31, 2017. Retired.
University of Saskatchewan	
Jeffrey Michler	September 14, 2018. Resigned. Accepted new position at the University of Arizona.
Trent University	
Torben Drewes	June 30, 2018. Retired.

University of Western Ontario	
Igor Livshits	June 30, 2018. Resigned. Now Economic Advisor and Economist, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia.
Joseph Mullins	August 31, 2018. Resigned. Now Assistant Professor at the University of Minnesota.
Jacob Short	June 30, 2018. End of contract. Now Senior Economist, Bank of Canada.
University of Winnipeg	
Hai Ta	June 20, 2018. Resigned.

***AWARDS AND OTHER NEWS / DISTINCTIONS
ET AUTRE NOUVELLES***

University of Calgary	
Ron Kneebone	Peak Scholar, University of Calgary
Lucia Vojtassak	Faculty of Arts Distinguished Teaching Award
Lucija Muehlenbachs	Faculty of Arts Distinguished Teaching Award
McMaster University	
David Feeny	Honorary Member by the International Society for Quality of Life Research, October 2018
Michael Veall	Impact Award, Faculty of Social Sciences, 2018

Université de Montréal	
Robert Lacroix	OQ, FRSC, rector emeritus and professor of economics at the Université de Montréal, was promoted from Member of the Order of Canada (CM) to Officer of the Order of Canada (OC)
Université du Québec à Montréal	
Robert Leonard, Professor	Robert Leonard will be keynote speaker at the Austrian School of Economics Biennial Conference at the Wirth Institute for Austrian and Central European Studies, University of Alberta, Edmonton, October 11 – 14, 2018.
University of Saskatchewan	
Hayley Hesseln	Dr. Hayley Hesseln was interviewed and received numerous civic awards and accolades for an incredible rescue of a woman that had fallen into the icy waters on the South Saskatchewan River, https://thestarphoenix.com/news/local-news/what-if-somebody-hadnt-come-along-its-just-too-scary-to-think-about-university-professor-recalls-harrowing-river-rescue

David Natcher	Appointed as the Canadian representative to the International Arctic Science Committee (IASC). The IASC is an international scientific organization that facilitates international cooperation in all aspects of Arctic research. Overall, the IASC supports leading-edge multi-disciplinary research in order to foster a greater scientific understanding of the Arctic region and its role in the Earth system. Appointed in 2018, he will represent Canada through 2022, with a possible 4-year renewal.
Rose Olfert	Emeritus, Dr. Olfert received the Continuing Contribution Award at the USRA Awards banquet, October, 2018. The USRA (University of Saskatchewan Retirees Association) created this award in early 2016 to recognize and express appreciation to persons who have retired from academic, scholarly, extension or administrative work at the University, but have continued to make research, scholarly, artistic or service contributions at an exceptional level. Such contributions may not have been recognized by international, national, provincial or local bodies, but have substantially benefitted the university and society
Tristan Skolrud	Recipient of 2018-19 Dean’s Award of Teaching Excellence
Tristan Skolrud	Nominated 2018-19 ASA (Agriculture Student Association) Honorary President

Yang Yang	Received the 2018 Richardson-Applebaum Scholarship Award for Best Ph.D. Dissertation (defended April 2018) titled “Deconstructing Public Perceptions of Novel Food Technologies: Human Values and Information Communication Technologies”
Simon Fraser University	
Arthur Robson	Fellow of the Canadian Economics Association
Chris Bidner	<i>American Economic Journal: Microeconomics</i> – Best Paper Award
Doug Allen	2018 FASS Cormack Teaching Award
Jasmina Arifovic	2018 Dean’s Medal for Academic Excellence
University of Western Ontario	
Salvador Navarro	Western Social Science Faculty Scholar, 2018-2020
Stephen Williamson	Bank of Canada Fellowship Award, 2018
Stephen Williamson	Stephen A. Jarislowsky Chair in Central Banking, 2017-2018
Stephen Williamson	Economics Professor of the Year (Graduate), 2017-2018
Charles Zheng	Economics Professor of the Year (Undergraduate), 2017-2018

SHORT-TERM VISITORS / VISITEURS À COURT TERME

University of British Columbia, Sauder Schools of Business	
Felix Musgens	April to July 2019. From Cottbus, Germany.
Emil Temnyalov	January to March 2019. From University of Technology, Sydney.
University of Calgary	
Jean-William Laliberté	October 1, 2018 to December 31, 2018. From the University of Toronto
Université du Québec à Montréal	
Prottoy Akbar	January 23, 2019. From University of Pittsburgh
Arthur Silve	March 8, 2019. From Université Laval
Ryan Michaels	March 15, 2019. From the Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia
Xavier Giroud	March 22, 2018. From Columbia Business School
Bruce Caldwell	March 29, 2019. From Duke University
David Green	April 5, 2019. From University of British Columbia
Gustavo Ventura	April 10, 2019. From Arizona St University
Yanos Zylbergberg	April 24, 2019. From Bristol University
Jonathan Dingel	April 26, 2019. From Chicago Booth
Jacob Goldin	May 3, 2019. From Stanford Law School

Simon Fraser University	
Ege Yazgan	January 2018. From Istanbul Bilgi University
University of Western Ontario	
Francisco Buera	November 12 – 16, 2018. From Washington University St. Louis.
Gueorgui Kambourov	November 12 – 16, 2018. From University of Toronto.
Arthur Lewbel	March 27 – 29, 2019. From Boston College.
Joel Mokyr Distinguished Lecturer	April 15 – 16, 2019. From Northwestern University.
Petra Todd	November 22 – 23, 2018. From University of Pennsylvania.

DOCTORATES / DOCTORATS

University of Calgary	
Younes Ahmadi	June, 2018 – “Three Essays in Global Warming and Carbon Taxes”.
Muna Esheba	November, 2018 – “Essays on Distance Functions and Inefficiency Measurement”.
Seyed Hossein Hosseini Jebeli	November, 2018 – “Optimal Taxation and Innovation in the Presence of Externalities”.
Blake Schaffer	November, 2018 – “Three Essays on Electricity Demand”.

Meng Sun	June, 2018 – “Three Essays in Labor Productivity”.
Jesse Tweedle	November, 2018 – “A Convenience Model of Spatial Competition”.
Yan Yan	November, 2018 – “Three Essays on China’s Public Sector”.
Arezou Zaresani	June, 2018 – “Three Essays in Labor, Public and Health Economics”.
Xiaoli Zheng	November, 2018 – “Three Essays on Energy Economics”.
University of Manitoba	
Pranay Das	July 2018 – “Problem Gambling Through the Lens of Population Health”
Jing Han	March 2018 – “Three Essays on Health Economics for Populations with Vulnerability in Canada”
McMaster University	
Stephanie Houle	August 2018 – “Essays in International Trade and Finance”
Shahed Kaiser Khan	April 2018 – “Three Essays in Macroeconomics”
Natalie Pauline Malak	April 2018 – “Essays in Health Economics”
Saeed-Ur-Rehman Rana	November 2018 – “Three Essays on the Dynamics of Disability Benefit Receipt in the Ontario Disability Support Program”
Terry Po Tat Ansel Yip	April 2018 – “Three Essays in Applied Economics”

Université de Montréal	
Jonathan Créchet	Juillet 2018 – “Employment protection legislation in a frictional labor market”
Eric Marius Pondi Endengle	Novembre 2018 – “Essays in empirical asset pricing”
Université du Québec à Montréal	
Jean-Gardy Victor	March 2018 – “Trois essais sur les coûts de bien-être de l’inflation et le cycle économique”
Queen’s University	
Michael Barber	November 2018 – “Three Essays on Family Background and Educational Achievement”
Sepideh Dolatabadi	September 2018 – “Issues in International Macroeconomics and Finance: A Time-Series Analysis”
Bill Dorval	September 2018 – “Essays on Banking, Credit, and Money and their Relationship to Output, Population, and Productivity”
Maggie Jones	September 2018 – “An Economics Analysis of the Treaty Right to Education”
Jonathan Lee	August 2018 – “International Property Usage as a Determinant of Market Structure”

University of Saskatchewan	
Seyed Hosseini Pozveh	November 2018 – “Governance Under Uncertainty: Task Assignment in Producer Controlled Organizations”
Yang Yang	April 2018 – “Deconstructing Public Perceptions of Novel Food Technologies: Human Values and Information Communication Strategies”
Simon Fraser University	
Duman Bahramirad	July 2018 – “The origins and consequences of kin networks and marriage practices”
Xiaowen Lei	August 2018 – “Three Essays on Macroeconomics and Wealth Distribution”
Meiyu Li (posthumous)	August 2018 – “Essays on Serial Correlation Tests with Wavelets and Fractional Memory”
Yang Wang	December 2018 – “Essays on Occupation-Specific Human Capital Investment and Occupational Mobility”
Xiao (Christy) Yu	November 2018 – “Three Essays on Applying Structure Analysis in Financial Econometrics”
Keyi Zhang	November 2018 – “Three Essays on Applying Structure Analysis in Financial Econometrics”

University of Toronto	
Remi Daviet	2018 – “Methods for Statistical Analysis and Prediction of Discrete Choices”
Kevin Devereux	2018 – “Essays in Interpersonal Economics”
Limin Fang	2018 – “Three Essays in Industrial Organization”
Nicolas Gendron-Carrier	2018 – “Essays in Labour and Urban Economics”
Maripier Isabelle	2018 – “Essays in Health Economics”
Soomin Lee	2018 – “Essays in Technology in Finance and Market Design”
Jean-William P. Laliberté	2018 – “Essays in Labour Economics”
Young Wu	2018 – “Dynamic Mechanism Design Without Transfers”
Erhao Xie	2018 – “Essays on Identification and Estimation of Empirical Games Without Equilibrium Assumption”
University of Waterloo	
Sara Aghakazemjourabbaf	December 2018 – “The Economics of Waste Clean-Up from Extraction Projects: Environmental Bonds versus Strict Liability”

University of Western Ontario	
Miguel Cardoso	August 2018 – “Essays in International Economics: The Trade-Creation Effect of Migration”
Youjin Choi	October 2018 – “Essays on Parental Leave and Labour Supply”
Galyna Gryynkiv	August 2018 – “Non-Linear Time Series Modelling with Applications to Equity and Fixed Income Markets”
Antonella Mancino	September 2018 – “Essays on Crime, Education, and Employment”

OBITUARIES

RAMAZAN (RAMO) GENÇAY (1935 – 2017)

It is with deep sadness that we report the unexpected passing of Professor Ramazan “Ramo” Gençay in December, 2018.

Professor Gençay was a renowned economist who paved a unique path in his field.

Originally from Turkey, Professor Gençay obtained his BSc in economics with honours from the Middle East Technical University in Ankara. He then came to Canada and completed his MA in economics at the University of Guelph, followed by his PhD in economics at the University of Houston.

His specialization was in financial econometrics, the use of sophisticated statistical tools to analyze data from financial markets. Professor Gençay was a pioneer in the use of wavelets to analyze financial data, in the analysis of high-frequency data, and more recently in the role of economic networks in financial markets. The interdisciplinary nature of his work meant that he published in economics, finance, and physics journals, and his enthusiasm for scholarly pursuits meant that he had coauthors and friends all over the world.

Professor Gençay's career in economics flourished beautifully. With 70 publications in academic journals, two books, extensive citations to his work, and numerous visiting posts at other universities around the world, Professor Gençay had a decidedly productive and influential academic career.

He had taught at Simon Fraser University since 2004 and had previously held academic positions at the University of Windsor and Carleton University.

Azam Bhatti, Student and Alumni Engagement Advisor at the Economics Department, recalls Professor Gençay as a warmhearted man who liked to get involved. "He was volunteering at the 2010 Winter Olympics in Whistler," said Bhatti. "He was doing the most nondescript job ever, passing around microphones or something. I remember him saying, 'I just wanted to be a part of this.'"

His other passions in life included salsa and bachata dancing, marathons, hiking the North Vancouver mountain trails, and backpacking all over the world.

Professor Gençay is survived by his wife and two daughters. He will be deeply missed.

The celebration of life for Professor Gençay will be held on Friday, January 18, 2019 at 2 pm at Boal Chapel, 1505 Lillooet Rd, North Vancouver, BC V7J 2J1.

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Selected Publications of Ramazan Gençay:

Articles

"International Chaos", *European Economic Review*, 1988, 32, 1569-1584, with M. Frank and T. Stengos

"Forecast Comparisons of Residential Housing Prices by Parametric and Semiparametric Regression", *Canadian Journal of Economics*, 1996, 39, 515-519, with X. Yang

“Unit Root Tests with Wavelets”, 2010, *Econometric Theory*, 26, 1305-1331, with Y. Fan.

“Tests for Serial Correlation of Unknown Form in Dynamic Least Squares Regression with Wavelets”, 2017, *Economics Letters*, 155, 104-110, with M. Li.

Books:

An Introduction to High Frequency Finance, Academic Press, 2001, with M. Dacorogna, U. Müller, R. Olsen and O. Pictet.

An Introduction to Wavelets and Other Filtering Methods in Finance and Economics, Academic Press, 2001, with F. Selçuk and B. Whitcher

STEPHAN F. KALISKI (11/06/1928 – 08/12/2018)



Stephan F. “Steve” Kaliski, B.A., M.A., Ph.D., died peacefully at the Kingston General Hospital on August 11, 2018 at age 89. Steve is survived by his daughter, Susan, and his brother, Ted; and predeceased by his much loved wife, Marian. Steve will be fondly remembered by his niece Lucy.

Born in Warsaw, Poland in 1928 to Jakub and Ludwiga Kaliski, he and his family fled the country in 1939 just before the Germans invaded and arrived in Vancouver in 1941 after a perilous trip across the Soviet Union. They were among the nearly 6,000 Jews fleeing the Holocaust rescued by a Sugihara visa. In Vancouver as a teenager, he quickly learned English and completed his secondary education. Following a B.A. at the University of British Columbia (1951) and an M.A. at the University of Toronto (1953), Steve completed his Ph.D. at Cambridge in economics (1959).

Steve began his academic career as an Assistant Professor at Carleton University in 1959.

And so began a stellar career as a labour economist. Aside from his teaching duties, Steve supervised research performed for the 1966 Report of the Royal Commission on Taxation, published multiple articles over the 1960s on structural unemployment in Canada, and secured a full professorship (1965). In 1969 he was appointed to the faculty of Queen's University and, following a prolific period of research production, was elected a Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada in 1978. Steve served as editor of the *Canadian Journal of Economics* from 1977 to 1979; worked as a consultant to the Royal Commission on the Economic Union and Development Prospects for Canada (1978-1984), and to the Commission of Inquiry on Unemployment Insurance (1985-86); in 1980 he was appointed to the Board of Directors for the National Bureau of Economic Research in Cambridge MA, and became President of the Canadian Economics Association in 1986-1987. His active research extended into the mid-1990s. His breakout article was on the Phillips Curve. He had an encyclopedic knowledge about labour market issues (which was particularly valuable before the era of internet search engines) and he was a demanding critic of the highest standard (which helped build the Queen's Economics Department). In 2008, Steve was one of over 230 signatories to the Open Letter to Leaders of Canada's Political Parties on the Economics of Climate Change.

Steve was well known for his subtle wit and his soft-spoken nature and he was always a self-effacing gentleman. He cherished his family, friends and colleagues and was a person for whom traditions were very important.

Friends and family are welcome to attend a celebration of his life at the home of Mary Smith, at 145 King Street, Kingston, Ontario on Sunday September 16, 2018 from 3 to 5 p.m. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Médecins Sans Frontières. Condolences may be made to smkaliski@aol.com.

Written by Susan Kaliski

DICK SCHONEY (MARCH 25, 1946 - AUGUST 31, 2017)

Emeritus Professor, University of Saskatchewan.

Richard (Dick) Schoney passed away suddenly on August 31, 2017 in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan at the age of 71 years. Dick was born to Earl and Doris (Ferguson) Schoney on March 25, 1946 in Lena, Illinois, the middle of three children. He grew up on the family farm and enjoyed working with his dad. Dick and his father shared a passion for flying and he got his pilot's license at a young age. After high school he went on to the University of Illinois where he met his future wife, Madeline Hill. After obtaining his B.S. degree he joined in the Brethren Volunteer Service where he spent 2 years in Morocco. He returned to earn his master's degree from the University of Illinois and his Ph.D. from Purdue University in Agriculture Economics. He then took a position at the University of Wisconsin-Madison and enjoyed 6 years of teaching and farm extension. While in Wisconsin he developed the Top Management Program to help farmers begin using some of the first personal computers in farm planning. In 1982 he moved his family to Canada to start a job with the University of Saskatchewan. Richard was a professor at the university teaching farm management and finance until his retirement in July 2015. He cared about his students and enjoyed being their mentor. Richard continued to stay in contact with his former students and often invited them to his home for holiday dinners. He had the privilege of going to visit some of his students in their native countries of China, Thailand and Germany. He loved to spend time with family, particularly his grandchildren. He had a passion for traveling, photography, and enjoyed landscaping his back yard, which he called his "park". He was a Bible scholar and really enjoyed sharing his faith with others. He felt very privileged to have served as a board member of Lakeview Free Methodist Church. Dick is survived by his wife, two children, Dave (Kelli) of Urbandale, Iowa, Suzanne (Stephen) of Edinburgh, Scotland. He has 7 grandchildren, Andy, Isaac,

Clark, Lillian, Cole, Eli and Elodie. He is survived by his siblings, Gary Schoney and Nancy (Ron) Jones of Urbandale, Iowa, sister-in-law and brothers-in-law Rita and Neal Carlson and Ronnie Hill, nieces, nephews, cousins, aunts and an uncle. He was predeceased by his parents, parents-in-law, and sister-in-law, DiAnn Hill. A Memorial Service will be held on Friday, September 8 at Lakeview Free Methodist Church, corner of Highway 16 and Boychuk Drive, Saskatoon at 11 a.m.

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CALL FOR PAPERS

53rd Annual Canadian Economics Association (CEA) Annual Conference, Friday May 31 — Sunday June 2, 2019

The CEA invites anyone wishing to present a paper at the 2019 Conference to submit an abstract by **Friday, February 15, 2019**. Paper submissions in English or French are accepted starting December 1, 2018 through the web interface at www.economics.ca. The maximum length for an abstract is 250 words. You will receive a notification once your paper is accepted or rejected. If your paper is accepted, it is expected that you will be prepared to serve as a discussant and/or program chair at other sessions within your areas of interest. Please direct all inquiries and correspondence to the assistant of the conference organizer, Paula Emery, at cea.conference@gmail.com.

Any member can propose a special session or sessions which may have invited papers. If you are interested in this possibility, please contact Paula Emery (cea.conference@gmail.com) before January 31, 2019. See the "Session Organizers" link on the conference web site for further information.

NEW PROGRAMS

The University of Saskatchewan recently approved a new joint Ph.D. program in Applied Economics, hosted jointly by the Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Department of Economics, Edwards School of Business and the Johnson-Shoyama Graduate School of Public Policy. Applications are now being accepted for Fall 2019 admission into the PhD program. Deadline January 15th, 2019.

NEW SCHOLARSHIP

Nihar And Minar Bose Graduate Scholarship (University of Waterloo)

Professor Sukesh Ghosh and Mrs. Nandita Ghosh have made a financial gift to the Department to create the Nihar and Mina Bose Graduate Scholarship in Economics. The scholarship will be awarded annually to a graduate student registered full time in the Department of Economics at the University of Waterloo.

Mrs. Ghosh and Professor Ghosh both grew up in India. They moved to the United States in 1963 and Professor Ghosh received his PhD in Economics in 1966 from the University of Wisconsin - Madison. He joined the Department of Economics at the University of Waterloo in 1969 where he had a distinguished career, retiring in 1996. He continued to teach in the Department until 2000.

Professor and Mrs. Ghosh have established this award to honour the memory of Professor Ghosh's late uncle and aunt, Nihar and Mina Bose. Professor Ghosh received a good education with the support of his aunt and uncle, even though this caused them great financial hardship. In honour of this commitment and care, Professor and Mrs. Ghosh are proud and honoured to establish this award and recognize in perpetuity the determination shown by his aunt and uncle in helping him become a successful human being.

See <https://uwaterloo.ca/economics/nihar-and-mina-bose-graduate-scholarship> for more information.

CONFERENCES / CONFÉRENCES

Title: Frontiers of Macroeconomics Workshop
Dates: May 10, 2019
Location: Queen's University
Contact person: Sharon Sullivan
Contact e-mail: sullivas@econ.queensu.ca
Website: <http://www.econ.queensu.ca/frontiers2019>

Title: Financial Intermediation and Regulation
Dates: May 14, 2019
Location: Queen's University
Contact person: Sharon Sullivan
Contact e-mail: sullivas@econ.queensu.ca
Website: <https://jdi.queensu.ca/events/>

Title: The 5th Annual Empirical Microeconomics
Workshop
Dates: August 24-25, 2019
Location: Banff, Alberta
Contact person: Arvind Magesan
Contact e-mail: anmagesa@ucalgary.ca
Website: <https://sites.google.com/site/econatuofc/>

Title: 5th Annual Financial Econometrics and Risk
Management Conference
Dates: Friday April 26, 2019
Location: Delta Armouries Hotel, 325 Dundas St, London,
ON N6B 1T9
Contact person: Lars Stentoft
Contact e-mail: lars.stentoft@uwo.ca
Website: https://economics.uwo.ca/cfirm_2019/index.html

Title: Colloque CIREQ Montréal d'économie
appliquée
Dates: 12 avril 2019
Location: Hôtel de l'Institut, 3535 rue St-Denis, Montréal
(Québec)

Contact person: Mathieu Marcoux (Université de Montréal, CIREQ)

Contact e-mail: mathieu.marcoux@umontreal.ca

Web address: <http://www.cireqmontreal.com/view/25387>

Title: Colloque CIREQ Montréal d'économétrie

Dates: 10 et 11 mai 2019

Location: Hôtel de l'Institut, 3535 rue St-Denis, Montréal (Québec)

Contact person: Prosper Dovonon (Concordia University, CIRANO, CIREQ)

Silvia Gonçalves (McGill University, CIRANO, CIREQ)

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Web address: <http://www.cireqmontreal.com/view/25547>

Title: Economics Science Association (ESA) 2019 World Meeting

Dates: July 4, 2019 – July 7, 2019

Location: Simon Fraser University, Vancouver Harbour Centre campus

Contact person: Luba Petersen

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Web address: <http://www.sfu.ca/economics/esa.html>

**ACCEPTED AND FORTHCOMING PAPERS IN
CANADIAN PUBLIC POLICY (CPP) / ARTICLES
À PARAÎTRE DANS ANALYSE DE POLITIQUES**

Eugene Beaulieu and Mustafa Rafat Zaman: *Do Subnational Trade Agreements Reduce Trade Barriers? Empirical Evidence from Canadian Provinces*

Frank T. Denton and Byron G. Spencer: *The Effects of Population Aging on GDP Per Capita In the Canadian Provinces: Could Productivity Growth Provide an Offset?*

The information in this *Newsletter* is based on questionnaires completed by chairs of Economics departments in Canadian universities and on unsolicited submissions. The latter may be sent to: Professor Robert Dimand, Newsletter Editor, Department of Economics, Brock University, 1812 Isaac Brock Way, St. Catharines, Ontario, L2S 3A1 or e-mail rdimand@brocku.ca.