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UPCOMING RESEARCH ACTIVITIES AT UBCO
CFI - Leaders Opportunity Fund Workshop

A workshop will be held at UBC Okanagan for anyone planning on submitting an application to the CFI Leaders Opportunity Fund. The deadline for this competition is **August 15, 2007**. Whether you have applied in the past or are planning to apply this round, this workshop will have new information for all who attend. Mike Blades, CFI Coordinator, and Ian Burgess, Director of CFI, will be there to answer questions.

The workshop will be held on **Thursday, June 21st** from **10:00 - Noon**. Location TBA. For more details and to register, please click [here](#).

FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES
DHRN Internship Program 2007

The Disabilities Health Research Network (DHRN) is providing six **graduate student internship** positions within the disabilities health research community. There will be three internship positions based in a community organization setting, and three internship positions based with the DHRN, either at the Vancouver or Kelowna office. Student interns will be co-supervised by either their academic supervisor and the community organization designated supervisor or their academic supervisor and the DHRN designated supervisor. The stipend for each internship position is \$12,000 for one academic year. The possibility of a second year renewal of internship is currently under budgetary and program initiative consideration.

These internships are being offered to provide opportunities for graduate students within the disabilities health-related community to gain direct experience and also participate in networking and research capacity-building activities. Full details are available on the [DHRN homepage](#). Application deadline is **July 15, 2007**.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES
Social Work Sessional Lecturers

The School of Social Work at UBC Okanagan requires part-time Sessional Lecturers to teach the following courses during the Winter 2007 sessions:

Semester I (September 4th – November 30th, 2007)

SOCW 310 – Social Work Theory & Practice 1
 SOCW 340 – Social Work Practice with Individuals
 SOCW 360 – Social Work Practice with Groups
 SOCW 504 – MSW – Mental Health and Mental Illness

Semester II (January 7th – April 11th, 2008)

SOCW 460 – Special Topics in Social Work and Social Welfare

Preferred qualifications are a Ph.D. in Social Work, with demonstrated university level teaching experience, but candidates with an MSW will also be considered. The deadline for applications is **July 6, 2007**. The complete job description can be [downloaded](#).

UPCOMING CONFERENCES & EVENTS
Highlights:

2nd International Nurse Education Conference - NETNEP 2008 **Date:** June 9-11, 2008
Location: Dublin, Ireland
Details: The conference aims to enable educators, students, practitioners and researchers to disseminate and discuss evidence of education research, development and innovation in health professional education.
Call for Abstracts Deadline: Sept. 7, 2007
Website: <http://www.netnep-conference.elsevier.com/>

A complete list of upcoming conferences can be viewed at <http://web.ubc.ca/okanagan/hsd/research/conferences.html>

FACULTY ANNOUNCEMENTS

New Awards

Congratulations to Dr. Kathy Rush and Dr. Gwen Anderson on their HeRRO Seed Fund awards. Funding will assist Dr. Rush's "Weakness in Geriatrics Study (WinGS)" project, and Dr. Anderson's "Case Studies of Current Models of Delivering Cancer Genetic Counselling Services in BC's Urban, Rural and Remote Communities" project. The award is designated to support the development of proposals to CIHR.

UPCOMING DEADLINES

Funding Agency	Name of Grant	Application Deadlines	Website
BC Medical Services Foundation	Research & Development Grants	LOI: Aug. 10, 2007 Full Application: Oct. 5, 2007	http://www.vancouverfoundation.bc.ca/GrantInformation/BC_Medical/BCMRResearchFund.shtml
BC Mental Health and Addictions Research Network	Seed Grants	October 1, 2007	http://www.mhanet.ca/documents/SeedGrantApplication_000.pdf
Canadian Tobacco Control Research Initiative	Idea Grant Research Planning Grant	October 1, 2007 May 30, Aug. 31, & Nov. 30, 2007	http://ctcri.ca/~ctcri/en/index.php?option=content&task=view&id=20&Itemid=39
Canada Foundation for Innovation	Leaders Opportunity Fund	UBC Deadline: Aug. 15, 2007	http://www.innovation.ca/programs/index.cfm?websitesid=393
CIHR	Operating Grant	LOI: Aug. 15, 2007 Full Application: Sept. 17, 2007	CIHR
CIHR	Team Grant Program	LOI: Feb. 15, 2007 Full Application: Sept. 1, 2007	http://www.cihr.ca/e/31228.html
CIHR (Institute of Human Development - Child & Youth Health)	Priority Announcement Operating Grant: Start-up Grants for New Investigators PA- New Investigator Awards New Investigator Grants Program in Child & Youth Health	Reg.: August 15, 2007 Reg.: August 15, 2007 April 30 & October 31	http://www.cihr-irsc.gc.ca/e/34090.html http://www.cihr-irsc.gc.ca/e/34172.html http://www.sickkidsfoundation.com/grants/default.asp

MSFHR	Team Planning Award	May 15 & Nov. 15, 2007	http://www.msfhr.org/sub-funding-research-planning.htm
National Cancer Institute of Canada	Program Project Grant	LOI: May 1, 2007 Full Application: Sept. 15, 2007	http://www.ncic.cancer.ca/ncic/internet/standard/0,3621,84658243_85810071__langId-en,00.html
National Cancer Institute of Canada	Individual Research Grants	October 15, 2007	http://www.ncic.cancer.ca/ncic/internet/standard/0,3621,84658243_85804622__langId-en,00.html
SSHRC	Standard Research Grants	October 15, 2007	http://www.sshrc.ca/web/apply/program_descriptions/standard_e.asp
UBC	Martha Piper Research Fund	October 1, 2007	http://www.research.ubc.ca/marthapiperfund.aspx

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