



Welcome Home!

Dinner Information

A light dinner will be served in the
Wendy Patrick Room at 5:00 p.m.

RSVP Information

Kindly send your RSVP to
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or call 514-398-2030 by
October 8th, 2014

Location

McGill University
School of Social Work
Wendy Patrick Room
3506 University Street
Montreal, Quebec H3A 2A7
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*The Kagedan Lecture on Social
Work and Human Rights
Annual Alumni Homecoming
and Networking Supper*

**Reflections on the Quebec
Charter of Values:**

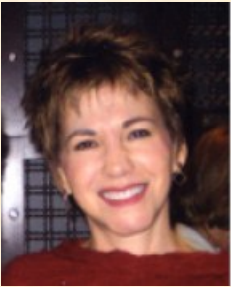
Where do we go from here?

An inter-disciplinary panel discussion on the socio-cultural context from which the Charter emerged, the lingering impacts upon affected communities, and implications for social workers and health professionals interested in supporting an inclusive agenda that supports cultural diversity.

*October 16th, 2014
at 6:00 p.m.*

SPEAKERS

Dr. Sara Kahn, School of Social Work



Dr. Sara Kahn has joined the School of Social Work after 20 years of international social work practice experience. Dr. Kahn's passions are fostering the development of new social workers, expanding roles for

social workers on the world stage, and contributing to the evolution of cross-cultural approaches to support resilience in traumatized populations. Her research interests involve focus on the experiences of particularly vulnerable refugees settling in North America, including survivors of torture, gender-based violence, and persecution based upon sexual orientation and gender identity.

Dr. Jaswant Guzder, Department of Psychiatry

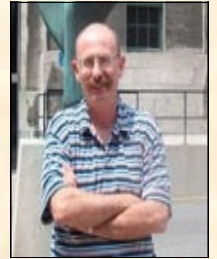


Dr. Jaswant Guzder is an Associate Professor in the Department of Psychiatry at McGill University. She is head of Child Psychiatry at the Jewish General Hospital, where she is also Director of Child Day Treatment. Dr. Guzder specializes in multicultural child

and family therapy, and has published widely on issues related to addressing the mental health of refugee and immigrant populations, and cultural considerations in child and adolescent psychiatry. As a clinician and researcher, Dr. Guzder's work and publications have focused on culturally competent practice with immigrant and refugee children and families, treating psychological trauma across cultures, and the training of clinicians in cultural psychiatry. Dr. Guzder is the current Québec Representative of the Canadian Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry.

Dr. Morton Weinfeld, Department of Sociology

Dr. Weinfeld holds the Chair in Canadian Ethnic Studies, and directs the minor program in Canadian Ethnic Studies. He is the winner of the 2013 Marshall Sklare Prize for outstanding career contributions to the field by the Association for the Social Scientific Study of Jewry.



Dr. Weinfeld's current research and thesis supervision interests are in areas of ethnicity and public policy, notably the role of minority-origin professionals in various policy domains. Dr. Weinfeld has taught undergraduate courses on the sociology of ethnic relations, Jews in North America, an undergraduate seminar in Canadian ethnic studies and graduate seminars on the sociology of ethnic conflict, and social inequality and public policy.

Ms. Amal El-Sana, School of Social Work

Amal El-Sana is currently a Ph.D. student in Social Work at McGill University. For her doctoral work she is exploring the tensions, problems, and limits inherent in social change service organizations and community organizations. Amal completed her BA in Social Work at Ben-Gurion University in the Negev of Israel.



Through a Fellowship with the McGill Middle East Fellowship Program she completed her Masters in Social Work in Community Organizing at McGill University. Upon her return from Canada, she worked to implement innovative methods of changing the stable but inherently unjust equilibrium characterizing the Palestinian national minority in Israel, particularly the Bedouin of the Negev.

