ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Statutes and regulations
Centre for Interdisciplinary Research on Montreal (CIRM)

Mandate
The advisory committee contributes to the realization of CIRM’s goals. Through its composition, the Committee particularly contributes to the effort to create concrete projects for the development of Montreal and to be the meeting point for academic research and social life. It acts as an interface between the Centre and Montreal society.

Specific Responsibilities
The advisory committee assumes in particular the following responsibilities:
1. To advise the management team on ongoing projects and the steps to take in order to attain the objectives set forth by CIRM’s mandate.
2. To act as an intermediary between the community and CIRM, and to work on establishing partnerships.
3. To announce CIRM’s activities within its network.
4. To contribute to CIRM’s influence.

Composition:
The advisory committee is composed of a maximum of 15 members, the majority of whom must come from outside of the university community. The members of the advisory committee are involved in important areas of life in Montreal (immigration, business, art and culture, administration, transport, communications, etc.). In its composition, the Director will consider gender parity and ethno-cultural and linguistic diversity.

Appointment of advisory committee members
In consultation with the members of the executive committee and the advisory committee, the director chooses and appoints the members of the advisory committee.

Length of advisory committee’s members’ term
Advisory committee members’ terms are of three years. It may be renewed once for a maximum term of six consecutive years.

Members’ commitment
Members of the advisory committee commit to participate in meetings of the advisory committee and, when possible, the annual general assembly.
Moreover, members are to bring all information likely to help CIRM reach its objectives to the attention of the director.