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## Conferences & Trainings

### **Complex Trauma Symposium: Canadian Perspectives and Initiatives - Symposium Trauma Complexe: Perspectives et initiatives canadiennes**

**Registration**

**Apr 16 @ 10:00**



The Centre for Research on Children and Families is organizing a symposium on complex trauma research and treatment that will include presentations and discussions led by researchers and clinicians regarding promising advances in practice settings in Quebec and Ontario. There will be presentations in French and English and access to simultaneous translation as needed.

The symposium will take place at the Grande Bibliothèque in Montreal on June 14th and 15th, 2018. Registration will begin on April 16<sup>th</sup> at 10:00. There are 250 places and they will be quickly filled! For more information, please click [here](#).

Le Centre de Recherche sur l'Enfance et la Famille organise un symposium sur la recherche et la pratique en trauma complexe qui comprendra des présentations et des discussions animées par des chercheurs et des intervenants/cliniciens sur des avancées prometteuses dans les milieux de pratique du Québec et de l'Ontario. Il y aura des présentations en français et en anglais et accès à de la traduction simultanée au besoin.

Le symposium prendra place à la Grande Bibliothèque à Montréal les 14 et 15 juin 2018. Les inscriptions débuteront le 16 avril à 10h. Il y a 250 places et elles seront vite comblées! Veuillez cliquer [ici](#) pour plus d'informations.

## **International Refugee Rights Conference 2018**

**June 7-9**

**York University, Toronto**

**Register by 7 May 2018 to take advantage of the reduced fees**

Join non-governmental organizations, academics, government officials, UNHCR representatives, refugees and vulnerable migrants from across Canada and around the world to exchange and collaborate with others committed to the rights of refugees and other vulnerable migrants. This three-day international conference at York University in Toronto is designed to enhance effectiveness in promoting the human rights of refugees and vulnerable migrants, and to strategize across borders to better meet their evolving needs. Discussions will focus on cross-border networking and collaboration among non-governmental organizations committed to the rights of refugees and vulnerable migrants, and between NGOs and academics. All are welcome to participate.

Full details about the International Refugee Rights Conference, including online registration, are available at: [ccrweb.ca/en/refugee-conference-2018](http://ccrweb.ca/en/refugee-conference-2018)

## **Colloque de L'Institut Universitaire Jeunes en Difficulté - Défis Jeunesse**

**Date limite pour déposer proposition : 16 mai**

L'Institut universitaire Jeunes en difficulté (IUJD) est heureux de vous inviter à soumettre [en ligne](#) des propositions de symposium, de communication orale libre ou par affiche dans le cadre du Colloque *Défis jeunesse* qui se tiendra les 3 et 4 décembre 2018 au Centre Mont-Royal.

Cet événement sera l'occasion de créer un espace de partage et de débat autour des projets réalisés à l'IUJD et ailleurs, notamment sur la scène internationale, ainsi que de démontrer l'intérêt et les retombées que peuvent avoir les travaux de recherche et les projets d'amélioration des pratiques professionnelles en ce qui a trait aux défis que les communautés scientifique et pratique doivent relever pour mieux répondre aux besoins de la jeunesse, notamment :

- Comment aider les jeunes dont les trajectoires développementales sont éminemment complexes?
- Comment mieux arrimer les services (scolaires, communautaires, sociaux, de santé) qui leur sont offerts?
- Comment accompagner leurs familles?
- Comment favoriser leur intégration sociale?

## **Events**

**Indigenous Child Welfare Research Group**

**Apr 5 12:00 – 14:00**

**May 3 12:00 – 14:00**

**CRCF conference room (suite 106), 3506 rue University**

A monthly discussion group of graduate students, faculty and researchers as well as professionals from university affiliated organizations. Aimed at building empirical knowledge on

topics related to Indigenous child welfare and to facilitate knowledge translation of Indigenous child welfare research. Click [here](#) for more information.

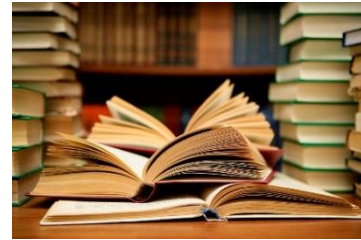
### **Trans Youth and Families Journal Watch**

**Apr 11 12:15-13:15**

**CRCF conference room (suite 106), 3506 rue University**

The [Trans Youth and Families Journal Watch](#), aka TYF Watch, is a joint initiative between CRCF and McGill University Sexual Identity Clinic (MUSIC). Every month, we gather together on a Wednesday at lunch time (12:15 - 13:15) in the CRCF conference room to discuss the most recent peer reviewed journal articles on transgender topics. If you are interested in transgender research, come join us!

For any student at McGill potentially interested in joining or to receive more information, please contact Irene Beeman at [irene.beeman@mcgill.ca](mailto:irene.beeman@mcgill.ca).



### **Child Welfare Journal Club**

**Apr 16 12:05-13:30**

**CRCF conference room (suite 106), 3506 rue University**

The [Child Welfare Journal Club](#) is a joint McGill / University of Toronto initiative supported by funds from the Royal Bank of Canada. It is a monthly journal club for faculty and graduate students interested in child welfare research. We review empirical studies published in the leading child welfare journals and select the most salient and rigorous studies to be summarized and distributed in monthly e-newsletters disseminated through the [Canadian Child Welfare Research Portal \(CWRP\)](#).

For any PhD student at McGill potentially interested in joining the Research Watch team or to receive more information, please contact Biru Zhou at [biru.zhou\(at\)mcgill.ca](mailto:biru.zhou(at)mcgill.ca).

### **Intervenir auprès de groupes sectaires ou de communautés fermées : s'outiller pour protéger les enfants**

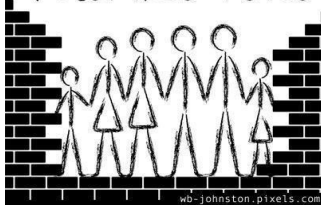
**May 24 & 25 in Montreal**

**Registration is now open**

Click [here](#) for more information.



**SOLIDARITY UNITY  
TOLERANCE PEACE**



### **Huddle for Action and Social Justice**

**CRCF conference room (suite 106), 3506 rue University**

Some CRCF members decided to join together to create a Huddle - a gathering of people who wish to define next steps, and envision how to transform the energy shown at the Women's Marches into local and national action. During monthly meetings held on the first Thursday of the month from 2:00 to 3:00 pm at the Centre for Research on Children and Families, Huddlers identify social issues

they are concerned about and develop strategies to act on. Members can also connect by videoconferencing or teleconferencing. For more information or to join the Huddle, please contact [Jennifer Nutton](#).

## Qualitative Data Analysis Group (QDAG)

Center for Research on Children and Families, suite 106, 3506 rue University

The QDAG is a space for social work doctoral students to work independently with others to be able to ask questions as they emerge during data analysis. The QDAG is not a discussion group. It is a work-focused group to move students forward through the data analysis phase of the dissertation with the support of others. For more information and for the upcoming meeting times, please contact [Gina Glidden](#) or [Jennifer Nutton](#).



## Job/Scholarship Opportunities

Research Coordinator, Old Brewery Mission program of research

School of Social Work, McGill University / Old Brewery Mission

Applications are currently being accepted

Click [here](#) for more information.

## News & Notices

**CRCF Postdoctoral Fellow presents her research**

[Gail Teachman](#) presented her work titled "Dis/Articulating conceptions of 'voice' in qualitative inquiry" to the McGill Qualitative Health Research Group in March.



## Another successful PhD defense!

Congratulations to [Sacha Bailey](#) (fourth from left in photo) who successfully completed her PhD defense! We wish you much success in all of your future endeavours, Dr. Bailey 😊. Sacha is pictured below with CRCF members [Nicole Ives](#), [Delphine Collin-Vézina](#), [Nico Trocmé](#) and [Lucy Lach](#).



## Publications & Presentations

### New book published!

Congratulations [Lorraine Derocher](#) on the publication of your book, "Intervenir auprès de groupes sectaires ou de communautés fermées: S'outiller pour protéger les enfants" in collaboration with [Delphine Collin-Vézina](#), [Melanie Doucet](#) and Jacques Dumais!



### New articles on disability in Canada

If you are interested in learning more Medical Aid in Dying (MAID) you may wish to read this article about proposed regulations to monitor the practice of MAID for those who are vulnerable. Click [here](#) to read the article.

This second article discusses Canada' Registered Disability Savings Plan. Click [here](#) to read the article.

### Articles for CRCF's *ON THE RADAR*



If you are not aware, CRCF's [On the Radar](#) publication is a dissemination initiative that promotes it's members research. On the Radar can be used to publish preliminary data, a pilot study, a policy paper or findings from a small project that are not suitable for a journal publication. It can also be used to provide a product to a partner.

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