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THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATIONAL AND COUNSELLING PSYCHOLOGY

Faculty members within the Department of Educational and Counselling Psychology remain actively involved in research, teaching, service and public policy development. The Department consists of 24 full-time faculty members. The following represents some of the highlights of the Department's activities during the 2014 year.

SECTION I: RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS

Faculty members in the Department of Educational and Counselling Psychology continue to be successful in obtaining funding from a diverse number of sources, including Tri-Council agencies, provincial, federal and international granting agencies, Canadian, American and International Foundations, as well as professional associations.

Research in ECP can be measured, in part, by the ability of its academic faculty to acquire competitive research funding and disseminate their research in peer reviewed publications, books, through scholarly conferences and participation and leadership in professional societies (see Appendices for specifics).

RESEARCH HIGHLIGHTS

Professors in the Department were awarded funding from a number of sources, as well as collaborated on research projects totalling over **\$3.38 million** in new research funding during 2014. Below you will find a list of some of this newly acquired funding:

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC):

- **Martin Drapeau - \$90,000**
Study: *Canadian Psychology – Aid to scholarly journals*
- **V. Venkatesh - \$311,590**
Co-investigators: **Nathan Hall**, P. Abrami, A. Wade, R. Azevedo, R. Negretti, J. Mercier
Study: *Development of Academic Self-regulation to Support Information Literacy*
- **Krista Muis – Insight Grant (Ranked #1) - \$497,286**
Co-Investigators: Philip H. Winne, Reinard Pekrun, Gale Sinatra
Study: *Fostering epistemic belief change: The role of epistemic emotions and self-regulated learning*
- **F. Carnavale - \$439,231**
Co-Investigators: **Victoria Talwar**, D. Collins-Vezina, M.E. MacDonald, S. Shariff, S. von Praagh
Study: *Advancing interdisciplinary research on childhood ethics: an ethonographic best interests and moral agency*

Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR)

- **Annett Körner - \$92,473**
Co-investigators: **Martin Drapeau**, B. Thombs, P. Pluye, A. Batist, Z. Roseberger, A. Spatz
Study: *Secondary prevention of melanoma through early detection via skin self-examination: A mixed-methods study of psychosocial barriers and facilitators of long-term adherence to medical advice*

Fonds de la Recherche sur la Société et la Culture (FRQSC) – MELS

- **Krista Muis - \$150,000**
Co-Investigators : **Susanne Lajoie**, Rhiannon Szollosy, Cathy Roberts
Study: *Environnements d'apprentissage technologiques: augmenter la motivation, l'autorégulation et la réussite scolaire des étudiants à l'aide de l'apprentissage par l'enseignement*

Fonds de Recherche Société et Culture de Québec (FRQSC): Actions Concertées - Approches et pratiques favorisant la persévérance et la réussite scolaires

- Dana Anaby, C. Camden - **\$59,233**
Co-Investigators: **Steven Shaw**, J.C. Kalubi, C. Missiuna, W. Campbell
Collaborators: M. Bonnard, C. Jui, G. Kelso, L. Bonneau, E. Lauzon
Study: *“Comment organiser les services pour mieux soutenir les élèves handicapés ou en difficulté d’adaptation ou d’apprentissage (HDDA): Principes et stratégies efficaces”*.

Ministere de l’Éducation, du Loisir et du Sport, Québec (MELS)

- **Tara Flanagan - \$46,500**
Co-Investigator: Patti Buchanan
Study: *LIVE: Learning in Individualized Vocational Environments*

Ministere de l’Éducation, du Loisir et du Sport, Québec (MELS)

- E. Bloom - **\$75,000**
Co-Investigators: **Nancy Heath**, E. Roberts, A. Shapiro, R. McDonough
Study: *Building stress resilience in students with a school-based delivery of a Cognitive-Behavioral and Mindfulness stress management system*

Education Endowment Fund

- Clare Wood (Coventry, UK) - **\$1,000,000**
Co-Investigators: **Robert Savage**, Janet Vousden
Study: *Evaluating the value-added impact of technology-based reading programs in Key Stage 1*

Movember Canada

- Marvin Westwood, David Kuhl - **\$140,000**
Co-Investigators: Ron Lehr; **Jack DeStefano**
Study: *Adapting the Veterans Transition Program to other subgroups of men*

Australian Research Council (ARC) - \$196,000

- S. Thomas
Co-Investigators: M. Daube, R. Gordon, G. Hastings, **Jeffrey Derevensky**
Study: *Selling the punt: An Interdisciplinary analysis of sports wagering marketing strategies in Australia*

CAE Inc.

- **Susanne Lajoie - \$100,000**
Co-Investigators: Dr. Ilian Cruz-Panesso
Study: *Understanding of key cognitive components of aviation training in the context of an e-learning environment*

MedU

- **Susanne Lajoie - \$25,000**
Co-Investigators: Dr. Eric Poitras, Dr. Laura Naismith
Study: *Using learning analytics to assess clinical reasoning in an online learning environment*

Spanish Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness

- M. Castelló - **\$126,180**
Co-Investigators: **Lynn McAlpine** and others
Study: *Researcher Identity Education in the Social Sciences*

University of Cambridge and Leiden

- **Lynn McAlpine - \$37,160**
Co-Investigators: S. Saunders, N. Wilson
Study: *Investigating the 'lived experience' of being a principal investigator*

PUBLICATIONS

The Departmental faculty continues to be highly productive. During 2014, faculty members published 80 peer-reviewed journal articles, 3 books, 16 book chapters, 19 research reports and conference proceedings, and made 226 national and international conference presentations. The faculty continue to disseminate their research through multiple academic resources.

The list of publications and conference presentations are available at <http://www.mcgill.ca/edu-ecp/about/reports>.

SECTION II: TEACHING AND LEARNING

TEACHING AWARDS

Dr. Nathan Hall was the recipient of the 2014 Faculty of Education Distinguished Teaching Award.

TEACHING PROGRAMS INITIATIVES AND INNOVATIONS

The Counselling Psychology doctoral program received accreditation from the Canadian Psychological Association (CPA) for a period of 4 years.

The School/Applied Child Psychology doctoral program was revised and submitted its self-study to the Canadian Psychological Association (CPA) for accreditation.

GRADUATE SUPERVISION INITIATIVES

The faculty continue to remain committed to provide ongoing supervision and mentoring for graduate students. Evidence can be found in the large number of co-authored manuscripts, book chapters and conference presentations. This is also evident in the increased number of students receiving highly competitive graduate fellowships.

Faculty members supervised an average of 9.6 research graduate students in 2014, with a total of 217 graduate research students registered in the various programs.

GRADUATE STUDENT AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

Departmental students continue to be recognized for their scholarship by a large number of professional, academic, and community organizations throughout 2014. While a significant number of our graduate students already hold major fellowships and awards, the following are the highlights of newly awarded honours, awards, and fellowships:

TABLE 1: ECP STUDENT AWARDS (2014 AWARDS)

STUDENT	DEGREE	TOTAL AMOUNT	Years of Tenure, <i>if Applicable</i>
Canada Graduate Scholarships - Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC)			
Marie-Michelle Boulanger	Masters	\$17,500	–
Pierre-Alexandre Cardinal	Masters	\$17, 500	–
Lauryn Conway	Masters	\$17,500	–
Amanda Jarrell	Masters	\$17, 500	–
Micah Tilley	Masters	\$17,500	–
Evgenia Milman	Doctoral	\$20,000/year	4 years
Canada Graduate Scholarships - Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) Fellowships			
Megan Knoll	Masters	\$17, 500	–
Nicole Roberts	Doctoral	\$35,000/year	3 years
Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC) Doctoral Fellowships			
Jillian Budd	Doctoral	\$35,000/Year	3 years
Laura Copeland	Doctoral	\$35,000/Year	3 years
Ivana Di Leo	Doctoral	\$35,000/year	3 years
Paraskevi Engarhos	Doctoral	\$35,000/year	3 years
Kyle Hubbard	Doctoral	\$35,000/Year	3 years
Gillian Klassen	Doctoral	\$35,000/Year	3 years
Cynthia Psaradellis	Doctoral	\$35,000/year	3 years
Lyane Trepanier	Doctoral	\$35,000/year	3 years
Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) Doctoral Fellowships			
Nicole Roberts	Doctoral	\$35,000/year	3 years
Fonds de recherche sur la Société et culture Québec (FQRSC) Fellowships			
Laura Copeland	Doctoral	\$20,000/year	2 years
Marianne Chevrier	Doctoral	\$20,000/year	2 years
Ivana Di Leo	Doctoral	\$20,000/year	2 years
Maryam Gholamrezaei	Doctoral	\$20,000/year	2 years
Gauthamie Poolokasingham	Doctoral	\$20,000/year	2 years
Cynthia Psaradellis	Doctoral	\$20,000/year	2 years
Amanda Saxe	Doctoral	\$20,000/year	2 years
Amy Shapiro	Doctoral	\$20,000/year	2 years
Constantina Stamoulos	Doctoral	\$20,000/year	2 years
Amanda Jarrell	Masters	\$15,000	–
Lila Lee	Masters	\$15,000	–
Gregory Trevors	Doctoral	\$5,000	–

Faculty of Education Fellowship, Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce (CIBC) Fellowship			
Kelsey Moore	Doctoral	\$2,500	–
Faculty of Education, Jackie Kirk Fellowship			
Jennifer Ho	Doctoral	\$9,000	–
Faculty of Education Fellowship, Jackie Kirk <i>Fieldwork</i> Fellowship			
Chao-Mei Chiang	Doctoral	\$5,000	–
Faculty of Education, Walter A. & K. Mary Marsh Fellowship			
Lila Lee	Masters	\$ 4,600	
Faculty of Education, Dr. Gauri Shankar Fellowship			
Marisol Olga Marfull Jensen	Doctoral	\$930	–
Faculty of Education, WYNG Trust Fellowship in Education			
Tara Shannon Tressel	Doctoral	\$5,000	–
Shakib Nasruallah	Doctoral	\$5,000	–
Atiyeh Shohoudi Mojdehi	Doctoral	\$5,000	–
Faculty of Education, Herschel & Christine Victor Fellowship			
Stacey Bradley	Doctoral	\$9,000	–
Faculty of Education Ruth Hoyt Cameron Fellowship			
Kelsey Marie Moore	Doctoral	\$ 2,500	–
Atiyeh Shohoudi Mojdehi	Doctoral	\$ 2,500	–
Tara Shannon Tressel	Doctoral	\$ 2,500	–
Shakib Nasruallah	Doctoral	\$ 2,500	
Faculty of Education, Judy Fish Graduate Award in Inclusive Education			
Ilana Chernak	Masters	\$2,500	
GPS Pilot Project Recruitment Award			
Andrea Reyes Ayloon	Doctoral	\$20,000/year	4 years
Elif Direkoglu	Masters	\$7,500/year	2 years
Faculty of Education, Dr. Bryant, John A. Memorial			
Patricia Paul	Master's	\$1,000	–

SECTION III: PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Faculty members served as Editor of 10 journals, 2 Associate Editors, served on 48 Editorial Boards, and were reviewers of an additional 86 manuscripts.

Members of the Department sat on the Boards of the Order of Psychologist, Quebec; Research awards committees in the U.S., Australia, Hong Kong, Netherlands, Norway, Denmark, New Zealand, Israel, Canada, Singapore, Belgium; and served on multiple professional accreditation committees.

Drs. Sue Lajoie and Jake Burack continue to serve as editorial consultants and acquisition editor for several book series.

Dr. Nancy Heath's Research Team continued to offer Stress Management workshops to schools and students, who participated in the research study on students stress when transitioning from elementary school to high school. Dr. Heath along with Amy Shapiro, Masters Candidate in Educational Psychology, co-developed the

workshop, "StressOFF Strategies", and received excellent reviews from student participants, teachers, and mental health professionals. Over 2,000 grade 9 students completed the single-session workshop.

Dr. Jeffrey Derevensky's research team continued to offer prevention workshops to schools, parents and students concerning problem gambling. His community outreach team once again participated in the Partners in Prevention Programme with the Lester B. Pearson School Board. Several in-school workshops and parent evenings included approximately 275 elementary school children in grades 5 & 6. Their prevention awareness programs are being used throughout Canada, U.S., Europe, Australia, New Zealand, Hong Kong.

Dr. Martin Drapeau continued collaboration with the National Institute of Excellence in Health and Social Services of Quebec (INESS).

Dr. Martin Drapeau served as Chair, Clinical section of the Canadian Psychological Association while Dr. Ada Sinacore was Chair of the Counselling Psychology section of the Canadian Psychological Association.

Dr. Martin Drapeau was the host and organizer of the 2014 Society for the Exploration of Psychotherapy Integration (SEPI) International Conference on access to psychotherapy. Member from Quebec, Canada, Belgium, Switzerland and France attended the meetings.

Dr. Robert Savage continued serving the community through his Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) funded intervention study, "Responding to intervention: Schools where all children learn to read". This project is the largest and longest literacy project in Canada.

Drs. Nancy Heath and Alenoush Saroyan continued as members of the University Senate.

Dr. Sue Lajoie was a member of the search committee for the Provost and Dr. Jeffrey Derevensky was a member of the Faculty of Education Dean search committee.

Dr. Laura Winer was a member of the Provost's Advisory committee on innovative pedagogy and member of the Principal's workgroup on MOOCs.

Many faculty members sat on a wide variety of national and international conference committees. Faculty members also served as external examiners on multiple doctoral dissertations in Canada, U.S., Europe, Asia, and Australasia. Many faculty members were featured in media stories concerning their research.

SECTION IV: APPOINTMENTS

In 2014 the Dean Rassier appointed Dr. Jeffrey Derevensky as Department Chair.

Dr. Laura Winer, Director of Teaching and Learning Services was appointed as a member of the Department.

SECTION V: HONOURS, AWARDS AND PRIZES

FAULTY RESEARCH AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

Faculty members in ECP continue to hold various honorable designations. Drs. Susanne Lajoie (Tier I), Victoria Talwar (Tier II) and Dr. Krista Muis (Tier II) all hold prestigious *Canada Research Chairs*. Dr. Nancy Heath continued as *James McGill Professor*, and Dr. Robert Savage as *William Dawson Scholar*.

Dr. Bruce Shore was the recipient of the Award of Excellence from the American Mensa Education and Research Foundation.

Dr. Armando Bertone received the FRSQ Research Scholar Award.