

## Research Administration Network

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**From:** Research Administration Network  
**Sent:** Friday, March 27, 2020 9:46 AM  
**To:** RESEARCH\_ADMINISTRATION\_NETWORK@LISTS.MCGILL.CA  
**Subject:** Renewal of the Tri-Agency Guide on Financial Administration (TAGFA)

*This message is sent on behalf of Elvie Coletta, Director, Research Financial Management Services (RFMS).*

TO: McGill Researchers, Academic Leadership, and Administrative Staff

RE: Renewal of the Tri-Agency Guide on Financial Administration (TAGFA)

Dear Colleagues,

As you are aware, the Tri-Agency has committed to implementing the new Tri-Agency Guide on Financial Administration ([TAGFA](#)) on April 1, 2020.

Due to the current COVID-19 situation, the implementation of the new TAGFA at McGill University will be deferred to **June 1, 2020**, so that we may adequately support the community in adapting to this new guide. In the interim, we will continue to rely on the [2017 Tri-Agency Financial Administration Guide](#) in administering Tri-Agency grants.

Research Financial Management Services (RFMS) will organize training sessions to explain the implementation of the TAGFA changes in detail. The schedule for training sessions will be communicated at a later date.

If you have any questions or require our assistance, please do not hesitate to contact [crystal.yu@mcgill.ca](mailto:crystal.yu@mcgill.ca).

Thank you.

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***SPECIAL MESSAGE:*** *Please take note that, as part of McGill University's instructions aiming to limit propagation of the Covid19 virus, I am working from home until May 1st. Financial and Procurement Services are committed to maintaining University operations during the shutdown of classes and ramp down of research, and so I invite you to please use my email to contact me. I have all the necessary accesses to conduct our business relatively normally during the current period. I will still monitor my voice mail periodically, however emails can be expected to be responded to in a more timely fashion. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.*

***MESSAGE SPÉCIAL :*** *Veillez prendre note que, suivant les instructions de l'Université McGill visant à limiter la propagation du virus Covid19, je travaille de la maison jusqu'au 1er mai. Les Services financiers et de l'approvisionnement sont engagés dans le maintien du fonctionnement de l'Université durant la fermeture des classes et la réduction des activités de recherche, et donc je vous invite à utiliser mon courriel afin de me contacter. Je dispose de tous les accès nécessaires pour la conduite relativement normale de nos affaires durant cette période. Je compte prendre mes messages vocaux de façon périodique, mais les réponses aux courriels devraient être plus assidues. Merci de votre compréhension et pour votre coopération.*