CUE WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

TWO-NIGHT
ONLINE WORKSHOP

Sexual Violence Prevention

Nov. 9th 4-6:30pm

Level 1 & 2: Understanding Sexual Violence & Bystander Intervention Nov. 10th: 4-5:30pm

Level 3: Responding to a Disclosure

Registration: tinyurl.com/IKRCSVP

CUE's Indigenous Knowledge & Research Centre (IKRC) has partnered with the Sexual Violence Prevention team to build a workshop that offers Indigenous students an opportunity to learn more about sexual violence prevention and bystander intervention in a safe space.

Please contact William Logan or Danielle Powder with any questions.

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GRAD PHOTOS ON CAMPUS-NOVEMBER 9 & 10

To book your grad photo session: <u>Lifetouch Graduation Portraits / Concordia</u>

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Scroll down to "Schedule Now"
- in the black Menu, choose "schedule"
- Under Appointment Locator, choose Concordia University
- Then choose Photo Session University (\$15.00)
- Then follow steps 1 5 to complete your booking.







Chamber Music Ensemble (MUPE 162/262) Winter 2021

The Chamber Music Ensemble course offers a rich and varied experience for qualified performers, regardless of instrument or voice type. The course fulfills 1.5 ensemble credits towards program requirements. Students registered for the Winter 2021 term will have the opportunity to collaborate with members of the Concordia Symphony Orchestra Nucleus. All coaching sessions will take place in Tegler Center.

Note: This course adheres to strict Covid-19 safety protocols. For more details, please contact the course instructor.

To schedule an audition, or for more information, contact Dr. Danielle Lisboa <u>danielle.lisboa@concordia.ab.ca</u>

DOING YOUR TAXES WHAT'S IN IT FOR YOU?

Come to an online information session to find out about benefit and credit payments you could get from the Canada Revenue Agency

Sandra Paul from the Canada Revenue Agency will share information on:

- Why file your tax return? What benefits and credits are available – GST Credit, Disability Tax Credit, Canada Child Benefit, Climate Action Incentive Payment
- Community Volunteer Income Tax Program (CVITP)

> Scams

WHEN: November 4, 2020

12:00 pm - 1:30 pm

WHERE: Online & by telephone

REGISTER: To get a link where you can join the

session email Margie.schoepp@concordia.ab.ca



CUE IS CREATING A NEW

INDIGENOUS STRATEGY

& WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Current students and alumni are invited to join a virtual focus group on Nov. 3 at 1pm or 4pm.

Register at:

tinyurl.com/indigenous-cue-feedback

WANTED: 8 VOLUNTEER STUDENTS TO TAKE PART IN A PILOT STUDY

Project Title

Health information-seeking and behavior among post-secondary students during the COVID-19 pandemic

Why Should I Take the Pilot Survey?

To help us pilot a survey that seeks to better understand student's health needs, where they look for health information, and how they use this information to maintain health during a pandemic by:

- Completing a 10-minute online survey
- Provide feedback on the survey via google meets

How Will the Results from the Pilot Be Used?

To develop a larger survey to be administered to develop students across Alberta. The final survey information will be used to develop appropriate information and support strategies to keep the public informed and healthy during future pandemic.

How Do I Volunteer?

Students can volunteer by contacting publichealth@concordia.ab.ca or780-479-9233, by October 30th, 2020.



Vacancy Announcement for an Internship at Bielefeld University's Faculty of Law (Germany) within the framework of the Alberta OWL Cooperation

Open to: Students (Law, Business Law, Political Science, Criminology or similar)

from the University of Alberta, MacEwan University, Northern Alberta

Institute of Technology, Concordia University of Edmonton

Posting Date: October 15, 2020

Application Closing Date: December 15, 2020

Short information: Duration 6-8 weeks (8 weeks recommended) from e.g. May to June 2021

or other period; Paid (600€-1.200€ in total depending on the duration);

Supervision and work certificate guaranteed.

Bielefeld University is a young innovative research university with 25.000 students and more than 2.700 employees in Northwest Germany. This modern location for top-level research and education abides by the principle of excellent cross-disciplinary research and teaching.

Bielefeld University's Faculty of Law with 29 full time professors and 4.000 law students offers first-class training in legal theory, doctrine, and practice in order to broaden and deepen legal and interdisciplinary thought. The faculty has produced leaders in law, government and society who play an active role in the legal and political discourse in Europe through numerous publications, lectures and academic conferences or by serving as counselors to the Federal and State Government as well as political parties. In 2018, Bielefeld University's award for outstanding achievements in teaching went to a law professor.

About the Internship:

The intern gets the opportunity to get an insight into the work environment of the Faculty:

- Everyday business of a Law Faculty in Germany. Get insights into Comparative and International Criminal Law, Comparative Criminal Procedure and Comparative Civil Law, Constitutional Law, Administrative Law and International Law.
- Research and teaching duties.
- International research project possible (please bring ideas). The Faculty offers panels for discussion.

Requirements:

- Student of Law, Business Law, Political Science, Criminology or similar at one of the above named Canadian institutions
- At least one year of study left at the home institution.
- Interest in getting an insight into the German legal system.
- Research project desirable, but not mandatory (e.g. doing research on a specific question, writing a paper etc.).
- Basic German language skills are required.

Application:

Please submit the following documents in a single PDF-file prior to the closing date:

- Letter of motivation (max. 1 page, in English or in German, please state your earliest starting date for the
 internship as well as the desired duration, please state your main focus and interests within your studies,
 please state if you have a research project you work on).
- CV in a table
- A copy of your transcript (attended courses and grades) (no German translation needed).
- A proof of basic German language skills (e.g. evidence of attended German classes or written explanation).

Information about Bielefeld University's Faculty of Law: www.jura.uni-bielefeld.de/en

Information about the Alberta OWL Cooperation: www.uni-bielefeld.de/owl-ab

Please contact the International Office of your institution to submit the application and for further questions. Please find the right contact person under www.uni-bielefeld.de/internship-in-owl

Please note: The changing epidemiological situation of the COVID-19 pandemic in both countries has to be taken into account: Internships can only be taken up, if your University allows international mobility and if international travelling is possible.



Vacancy Announcement for a Research Internship at Bielefeld University's Faculty of Biology (Germany) within the framework of the Alberta OWL Cooperation

Open to: Students (Biology, Molecular Biology, Environmental Sciences, Life

Sciences, Ecology or similar) from the University of Alberta, MacEwan University, Northern Alberta Institute of Technology, Concordia University

of Edmonton

Posting Date: October 15, 2020

Application Closing Date: December 15, 2020

Short information: Duration 6 weeks minimum (8 weeks recommended as a minimum) up to

3 months; Starting time negotiable (e.g. May to July 2021); Unpaid;

Supervision and reference letter guaranteed.

Bielefeld University is a young innovative research university with 25.000 students and more than 2.700 employees in Northwest Germany. This modern location for top-level research and education abides by the principle of excellent cross-disciplinary research and teaching.

Bielefeld University's Faculty of Biology has three key research areas: "Individuality & Interaction", "Sustainability & Resource Efficiency", "Networks: from genes over metabolism to diversity" (www.uni-bielefeld.de/fakultaeten/biologie/forschung/profil/index.xml).

With its 22 Research Groups (www.uni-bielefeld.de/fakultaeten/biologie/forschung/arbeitsgruppen/index.xml), it is one of Bielefeld University's largest faculties. The following groups are participating in the exchange program

- A) Active Sensing, Animal Behaviour, Biological Cybernetics, Cognitive Neurosciences, Neurobiology
- B) Animal Ecology, Chemical Ecology, Evolutionary Biology, Experimental Ecology & Systems Ecology, Theoretical Biology
- C) Algae Biotechnology & Bioenergy, Cell Biology, Cellular and Developmental Biology of Plants, Computational Biology, Genetics and Genomics of Plants, Genetics of Prokaryotes, Plant Biochemistry and Physiology, Proteome and Metabolome Research, RNA Biology and Molecular Physiology.

About the Internship:

The intern gets the opportunity to gain work experience in one of the named Research Group:

- Work in a well-equipped laboratory collecting valuable work experience.
- Get insights into research work in Germany. Choose the Research Group that fits to your main interests.
- Research project possible: You will have the opportunity to advance your own research project or to join existing
 ones. Benefit by collecting ideas or material for a paper or for your thesis.

Requirements:

- Student of Biology, Molecular Biology, Environmental Sciences, Life Sciences, Ecology or similar at one of the above named Canadian institutions.
- Student in the fourth semester and up (at least 3 semesters completed when starting the internship).
- Lab course or other practical experience is obligatory.
- The internship will be in English (no German language skills required).

Application:

Please submit the following documents in a single PDF-file prior to the closing date:

- Letter of motivation (max. 1 page, in English or in German, please state your earliest starting date for the internship as well as the desired duration, please state your main focus and interests within your studies, please name the research group for which you are most interested).
- CV in a table
- A copy of your transcript (attended courses and grades) (no German translation needed).

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INTERESTED IN STUDY ABROAD? TAKE PART IN A PAID FOCUS GROUP

Hey students!

Have you considered a work and/or study abroad program? We (Universities Canada) are looking for students to participate in facilitated focus group sessions to review national communications and branding for new work and study abroad opportunities and would love your opinion.

Specifically, we're looking for a representation of students who meet one of the following criteria:

- Indigenous students First Nations, Métis or Inuit-identifying students
- Students with disabilities
- Low-income students those who qualify for government loan and grant programs

Sessions are offered in either English or French. Should you be interested, please fill out the following survey and if you are selected you will be contacted with an invitation to attend one of our sessions. Qualifying students will receive a \$50 stipend for participation.

>>TAKE THE SURVEY

https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/OSMintake





Find these ebooks and more at: www.concordia.ab.carlibrary

A History of Horror by Wheeler W Dixon

At the Mountains of Madness by H P Lovecraft

<u>Creepers: British Horror and Fantasy in the</u>
<u>Twentieth Century by Clive Bloom</u>

Dracula's Guest: And Other Stories by Bram Stoker

Frankenstein by Mary Wollstonecraft Shelley

Introduction to Japanese Horror Film by Colette Balmain

John Landis Presents Haunted Houses: Classic Tales of Doors
that Should Never be Opened by John Landis

Korean Horror Cinema by Alison Peirse & Daniel Martin

Ramsey Campbell and Modern Horror Fiction by S.T. Joshi

The Complete Stories of Edgar Allan Poe by Edgar Allan Poe

The Horror Film by Stephen Prince

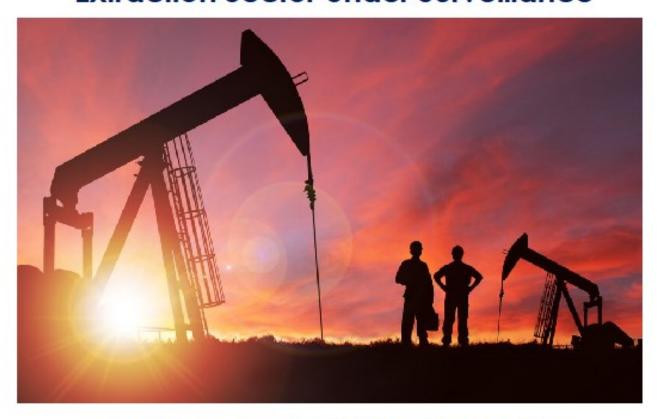
The Legend of Sleepy Hollow by Irving Washington

The Rats in the Walls and Other Tales by HP Lovecraft

https://concordia.on.worldcat.org:443/list/17013984



Remote Work in Canada's Oil and Gas Extraction Sector Under Surveillance



Presenter: Dr. Marcella Siqueira Cassiano Friday, October 30. 2020. 4 – 5 pm To join, please click Google Hangout Meet

Dr. Marcella Siqueira Cassiano is a Lecturer in Sociology at the Concordia University of Edmonton and the University of Alberta. Marcella holds a PhD in Sociology from the University of Alberta and a master's degree from Shandong University in China. Her research projects focus on population governance, particularly the policies, practices, and technologies that manufacture social conformity and regulate populations in the contexts of work and migration.

In her Talk, Marcella will present the most popular workplace surveillance practices in the workcamps of Alberta's oil sands region, and discuss their consequences from the perspective of employers and employees.

Your Student Plan is Active! Mobile and online claims for GroupNet by Canada Life.

Register here at:

gwl.greatwestlife.com/MyRegistration

For plan details and benefits card: mystudentplan.ca/csa/en/home

To contact the Plan Coordinator email: concordiaplan@mystudentplan.ca

Plan number = 166175 Member ID = Student ID





Financial Aid and Awards

Indigenous Careers Award (\$2000 per semester)

Annual awards designed to encourage Indigenous Albertans (First Nations, Métis, and Inuit) to pursue and complete post-secondary studies in certificate, diploma, applied degree, and bachelor's degree programs. Eligible programs at Concordia University of Edmonton include Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of



Science, Bachelor of Education After Degree, Bachelor of Environmental Health After Degree, Bachelor of Management and Dual Degrees in Science/Management. *This award is made possible by funding from the Government of Alberta*.

How to Apply: Complete the <u>2020-2021 application form</u> and submit it along with all supporting documentation to Student and Enrolment Services, HA120. Deadline: **November 15, 2020**



Visit our Financial Aid & Awards website to learn more about...

<u>Métis Scholar Award</u> (Value \$2500) Deadline **Nov. 1, 2020** <u>Indigenous Careers Award</u> (\$2000/semester) Deadline **Nov. 15, 2020**

Government Student Aid | FREE MONEY! In response to the Covid-19 pandemic the maximum amount of Canada Student Grants will be doubled for the 2020-2021 academic year. The Canada Student Grant for Full-Time Students will increase up to a maximum of \$6,000 and the grant for part-time studies to \$3,600. For those students who have NOT applied for government student aid this year, a Concordia financial aid advisor can help you identify if you are eligible for grant funding and explain how to request grants only, no student loans when you apply.

Have previous student loan debt? Not applying for student aid this year? Let your student loan lenders know you are back in school full-time by completing the appropriate interest-free forms.



Financial Tips:

Leave room in your budget for unexpected expenses Be organized – don't miss deadlines



CONTACT US

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