



February 2020

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News & Events

Main Campus Writing Retreats

Enjoy a half or full day of quiet writing on main campus on **February 14, 2020**. Finalize your CIHR Project Grant application, or work on another writing project. [Ingrid Qemo](#), ORIS, will be available to grant writers. Click here for [registration details](#).

SSHRC Working Group: Insight Grant

Faculty are invited to develop outstanding [SSHRC Insight Grant](#) applications through a workshop series co-hosted by ORIS and the Office of the Dean, FAHSS. Each session will blend quiet grant writing time, sharing approaches to various sections of the application, and immediate feedback on work in progress. The first workshop will be held from 9 AM to noon on **Friday, February 28, 2020**. [More information to follow](#).

Writing Retreats at Willistead Manor

Writing Retreats will be from April 21-22, 2020 along with August 25-26, 2020, and will be open to all faculty, staff, and postdoctoral fellows [More information to follow](#).

Events & Workshops

Celebration of Excellence in Research, Scholarship and Creative Activity

Save the date for the 20th annual Celebration of Excellence in Research, Scholarship and Creative Activity on **March 25, 2020** from 4:30 to 6:30 PM in Alumni Auditorium. A formal invitation will be forthcoming.

UWill Discover
Conference

 **UWill Discover!**

This interdisciplinary conference allows undergraduate and graduate students to showcase their academic work and creative projects. The deadline to submit proposals on the [conference website](#) has been extended to **February 7, 2020**. Submissions will be accepted based on four challenge categories and one open category, with cash prizes for the top presentation in each. For those seeking assistance with writing their proposals, [workshops](#) are available. Learn more



Faculty Lunch n' Learn

Faculty members are invited to attend this workshop where Dr. Tom Kenworthy will discuss ways of incorporating entrepreneurship content into non-entrepreneurship courses. This will take place in the EPICentre workshop room on **February 25, 2020**. RSVP to lyndas@uwindsor.ca by February 18, 2020.

Funding Opportunities

Faculty Deadlines for Applications

Some Faculties have internal deadlines to secure the relevant signatures and to offer proposals the opportunity for peer review before they are submitted to the funding agency.

*Applicants from the Faculty of Education and FAHSS: By the "Application due Faculty" deadline below, email to the relevant person (1) the rough copy of application, and (2) an [ORIS form](#) signed by you and your department head:

- Education: [Glenn Rideout](#), cc. [Mandy Turkalj](#)
- Faculty of Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences (FAHSS): [Brent Lee](#)

Applicants from HK: By the "Application due Faculty" deadline below, email [Cheri McGowan](#) the rough copy of the application. Ask your department head and dean to sign your ORIS form before the ORIS deadline.

Applicants from Law: Two weeks before the ORIS deadline, email [Laverne Jacobs](#) (1) the rough copy of application, and (2) an [ORIS form](#) signed by you.

Applicants from other Faculties: Ask your department head and dean to sign your ORIS form before the ORIS deadline.

Submitting Grants/Contracts for Institutional Approval

The ORIS deadline is five (5) business days before the agency deadline unless otherwise stated. All applications for external funding must be submitted to ORIS accompanied by an ORIS Information Sheet and Checklist.

[Read more](#)

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Internal Funding Opportunities

[SSHRC Explore Grants](#) are small non-renewable funding opportunities to conduct research and other scholarly and artistic activities that aid in strengthening their future

external grant application. These grants are administered by ORIS. The maximum amount per grant is **\$5,000**. The grant is substantially augmented by a special allocation of monies from the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC).

Applications are due to oris@uwindsor.ca no later than **4:30 PM on Friday, March 14, 2020**. No paper copies of applications will be accepted, all applications **MUST** be submitted by email. Please ensure you send your application to your departmental secretary in time to receive electronic signatures from your Dean and Department Head! [Read the full guidelines](#) or [download an application](#).



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Research Grants for Women are small non-renewal funding opportunities for female researchers to conduct research and other scholarly and artistic activities that aid in strengthening their future external grant applications. These grants are administered by ORIS. The maximum amount per grant is \$5,000 with all funds provided solely by the University of Windsor.

Applications are due to oris@uwindsor.ca no later than **4:30 PM on Friday, February 28, 2020**. No paper copies of applications will be accepted, all applications **MUST** be submitted by email. Please ensure you send your application to your departmental secretary in time to receive electronic signatures from your Dean and Department Head! [Read the full guidelines](#) or [download an application](#).

The **UWT-SEG Exchange Travel Grant** encourages the exchange of research knowledge both within and beyond the academic community. Its objectives are to allow researchers to present research or artistic exhibitions/presentations and to support the organization of small-scale knowledge mobilization activities to encourage collaboration and dissemination of research results both within and beyond the academic community. Applicants cannot apply more often than every fourth cycle.

The next cycle of applications for the Exchange Travel Grant is due no later than **4:30 PM on February 10, 2019**, and must be submitted to oris@uwindsor.ca note that **no paper copies of applications will be accepted**. All applications **MUST** be submitted by email. Please ensure you send your application to your departmental secretary in time to receive electronic signatures from your Dean and Department Head! [Download an application](#).

Ontario Human Capital Research and Innovation Fund (OHCRIFF)

The Ministry of Labour, Training and Skills Development is pleased to announce the launch of the next iteration of the OHCRIFF – a program that supports research and innovation activities, via Transfer Payment Agreement (TPA) to identify better ways to help people prepare for, return to or keep employment and become productive participants in the labour force. OHCRIFF will fund research to enhance the evidence base for workforce development strategies, ideas and approaches to support the positive participation of Ontarians in the labour market to help them better plan for and respond to the needs of employers. You will find full details about the program on the [Employment Ontario Partners Gateway website \(EOPG\)](#). The total available funding is \$1.5 million and MLTSD will fund up to \$100,000 to \$250,000 per project.

More details on these themes and eligible projects are provided in the Program Guidelines on the [EOPG](#) website. If you have further questions, please contact OHCRIFF@ontario.ca. All research grant applications must be submitted--along with the [ORIS Information Sheet and Checklist Form](#)--to ORIS for institutional signature. For questions, please contact Nicole Noël in the Office of Research and Innovation Services at nnoel@uwindsor.ca or ext. 3916.

Lab2Market (L2M)



the first national-level program in Canada to fund and equip graduate students and their faculty supervisors with the entrepreneurial skills needed to assess the commercial viability of their university-based research innovations. Accepted teams will receive \$15,000 to cover expenses over the duration of the program. This program will be delivered by I-INC member institutions, Ryerson

University and Dalhousie University over four cohorts. The first cohort will begin May 2020. Deadline to apply has been extended to **February 14th, 2020**. See details [online](#).

New Frontiers in Research Fund - Transformation 2020

The [New Frontiers in Research Fund 2020 Transformation](#)

is designed to support large-scale, Canadian-led interdisciplinary research projects that address a major challenge with the potential to realize real and lasting change. The challenge may be fundamental, leading to a scientific breakthrough, or applied, with a social, economic, environmental or health impact. Projects are expected to be world-leading, drawing on global research expertise, when relevant.



- **Award Value:** Each award will range from a minimum of \$2,000,000 to a maximum of \$4,000,000 per year.
- **Award Duration:** Up to six years.

Important dates:

January 21, 2020 - Webinar

February 11, 2020 - internal NOI deadline

February 18, 2020 - agency NOI deadline

April 1, 2020 - internal LOI deadline

April 15, 2020 - agency LOI deadline

October 7, 2020 - Faculty application deadline

October 21, 2020 - ORIS application deadline

November 16, 2020 - Submission on Convergence Portal of final application for submission by ORIS on November 18, 2020

Please note that the eligibility criteria for team members are highly specific, as are the types of projects that the program is designed to support. Please be sure to read carefully the program description and eligibility criteria. For eligibility details, [click here](#).

For more information, please contact Nicole Noel at nnoel@uwindsor.ca or review the [full program guidelines](#).



[NSERC Alliance Grants Option 2](#)

- Full details concerning Option 2 grants will be released in February
- Applications will be accepted as early as March (exact date TBA)
- Intended for proposals which:
 1. conduct natural science or engineering research that addresses an unmet societal need
 2. connect organizations willing and able to overcome barriers to address these challenges and achieve results that can lead to a societal impact beyond economic benefits



[Brain Canada Foundation](#)

[CIHR Operating Grant: Human Frontier Science Program – Research Grants](#)

To support innovative basic research and novel/interdisciplinary approaches. [Click here](#) for more information.

1. Young Investigators
2. Program Grants
 - Registration opens early February 2020. LOI deadlines

1. [Future Leaders in Canadian Brain Research](#) – LOI due December 10, 2019. Application due to ORIS/Ingrid March 10, 2020. Application due to Brain Canada March 24, 2020
2. [Platform Support Grants](#) – Registration deadline February 4, 2020. Applications due to ORIS/Ingrid February 25, 2020. Applications due to Brain Canada March 10, 2020.

are expected to be end of March 2020. Full applications will be due mid-September 2020

[CIHR Project Grants: Spring 2020](#)

- Registration on ResearchNet– February 5, 2020
- Application due to FAHSS or HK (if applicable) – February 12, 2020
- Application due to ORIS – February 19, 2020 to [Ingrid Qemo](#)
- Application due CIHR – March 4, 2020
- Find more information for the grant program [here](#)

[CIHR Planning & Dissemination Grants](#)

- To support planning activities, partnership development and/or increase understanding of health research landscape
- To support dissemination events/activities focusing on health research
- Applications due to ORIS/[Ingrid](#) March 3, 2020. Applications due to CIHR March 17, 2020

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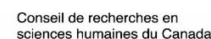
[SSHRC Partnership Grant – Stage 1](#)

- NOI - As a courtesy, notify [Natasha Wiebe](#) of intent to apply – August, 2019
- Application due faculty (see above) January 3, 2020*
- Application due ORIS – January 17, 2020 to nwiebe@uwindsor.ca
- Application due SSHRC – February 15, 2020 [More info](#)

[Partnership Engage Grants: March 2020](#)

- NOI – As a courtesy, notify nwiebe@uwindsor.ca of intent to apply – January, 2020
- Application due Faculty (see above) – February 10, 2020
- Application due ORIS – February 24, 2020
- Application due SSHRC – March 15, 2020, 4 PM [More info](#)

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