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Submitted to the Executive Director of the Canadian Research Data Centre Network (CRDCN), March 2009
Executive Summary

The Toronto Research Data Centre and the Canadian Research Data Centre network have made some remarkable achievements over the past year and a half. At the national level, the midterm review of our SSHRC/CIHR grant was very favourable. The international review committee commented that, "The RDC application for renewal was of the strongest possible quality. The committee considered the governance structure of the RDC Network remarkable.” As other countries around the world are setting up their own networks of data centres, it is clear that the Canadian model is exemplary.

Locally, we are very pleased to report that our partner York University has decided to become a branch within the RDC network. This means researchers at York will now be able to access RDC data on campus within a secure facility. Administrative connections between the York branch and the Toronto RDC will remain strong, however, as we share the same local Statistics Canada support and services.

We also completed the planning for the first graduate course in panel data methods offered at the RDC. This course, which is offered in cooperation with the School of Public Policy and Governance at the University of Toronto, provides an introduction both to statistical methods that have been developed for analyzing longitudinal data and to the particular data sets housed in the RDC. The course commenced in January 2009 with 19 students drawn from graduate programs across the University of Toronto.

The year has seen a sharp increase in the level of research activity at the RDC. There are now in excess of 135 active projects at the Centre (December 31 2008). Over the year there were 67 projects initiated representing 121 new researchers. This higher level of activity is a testament to the contribution of the RDC to research in the Toronto area. Such a sharp and quick increase in activity also, naturally, puts strains on the Centre’s infrastructure, and on behalf of all our users I extend our thanks to the RDC staff for their efforts over this period. As in previous years various units within the University of Toronto’s Faculty of Medicine are the largest users of our data.

Finally, this report marks a change in both the frequency and format in which we will be documenting our operations. At the request of the National Coordinating Committee we have changed our reporting period from the fiscal to the calendar year to match the administrative requirements of our grant from SSHRC and CIHR. This is the reason there was no annual report in May 2008. We have also reformatted much of the report to match the categories SSHRC/CIHR require for their midterm and end of term reviews. As a result you will find greater detail on various dimensions of the RDC’s operations than in previous reports.
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Section One: Background Information

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d. Operation: Number of Workstations & Hours of Operation

The centre is open Monday to Friday from 9am to 6pm. The Toronto RDC has 25 lab workstations and 5 internet computers, one full-time and two part-time analysts, a part-time administrative assistant, a full-time research and computing consultant and a part-time manager, in addition to our Academic Director.

The Toronto Region Statistics Canada Research Data Centre (RDC) provides faculty and student researchers from the University of Toronto, York University and Ryerson University with direct access to master file data from a range of ongoing national surveys collected by Statistics Canada. The RDC is located on the 7th floor of Robarts Library on the University of Toronto campus.

RDCs are the only research facilities where researchers can link Canadian data on individuals longitudinally to study change over time. The RDC houses the master files from Statistics Canada's longitudinal surveys: the National Population Health Survey (NPHS), The Survey of Labour and Income Dynamics (SLID), the National Longitudinal Survey of Children and Youth (NLSCY), the Youth in Transition survey (YITS), the Workplace and Employee Survey (WES), the Canadian Community Health Survey (CCHS), and Longitudinal Survey of Immigrants (LSIC). Although the primary mission of the RDC is to make longitudinal surveys available to researchers in a secure environment, researchers may also submit proposals to access other cross-sectional Statistics Canada data files, e.g., the General Social Survey (GSS), the National Graduate Survey (NGS), and the Labour Force Survey (LFS), to name a few.

These data greatly enhance the position of Canadian behavioural and social science in the international discourse on a broad range of social, health, psychological, and economic research issues. In addition, the increased access of academics to these data inevitably means a much broader base of evidence to inform and shape social policy in Canada in the future.

This enhanced access to Statistics Canada data is possible at the RDCs because they operate under the same security provisions as any other Statistics Canada office. This includes the use of physical access controls, an internally independent and secure computer network, and the vetting of output to ensure it complies with confidentiality policies. The RDC program works collaboratively with Data Liberation Initiative (DLI) to ensure that Statistics Canada survey data is used to the fullest extent possible.
Section Two: Summary of Criteria

Criterion 1: Total Contracts and Total Number of Researchers

a. Summary Table of Primary and Secondary Projects and Researchers by Calendar Year

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The Toronto RDC had a huge influx of projects in 2008 with 64 primary and 3 secondary, for a total of 67 new projects during the year, and 137 active projects (new and continuing) at December 31st, 2008. In comparison, the two prior years saw, 41 new primary projects and 3 or 4 new secondary projects for a total of 44 or 45 new projects. In other words there were at least 20 more in 2008 than in the prior two years. The number of new researchers increased as well, with 116 new primary researchers, and 5 new secondary, for a total of 121 new researchers in 2008, an increase of 34 over the prior year, and 46 more than 2006. The graph below shows the number of new contracts and researchers over the years of operation. The second line from the top illustrates the increase in new project activity for 2008. The top line illustrates the increase in new researchers for 2008. Clearly we are at levels of activity that surpass any prior levels in the history of our operation.
The number of projects that ended during 2008 is comparable to 2006, but more than 2007. Thirty-five primary and four secondary projects, for a total of 39 ended in 2008 (while 28 ended in 2007 and 36 ended in 2006).

c. Toronto RDC Use of datasets

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The RDC’s core holdings include the National Population Health Survey (NPHS), the Survey of Labour and Income Dynamics (SLID), the National Longitudinal Survey of Children and Youth (NLSCY), the Youth in Transition Survey (YITS), the Workplace and Employee Survey (WES), the Longitudinal Survey of Immigrants in Canada (LSIC) and the cross-sectional Canadian Community Health Survey (CCHS). In addition to the Toronto RDC’s core surveys, researchers with approved projects may also access other survey master files, such as the General Social Survey (GSS), as well as the Ethnic Diversity Survey (EDS), the Aboriginal People’s Survey (APS), the Residential Care Facilities Survey (RCFS) and the National Graduate Survey (NGS).

In addition, new data files were received in 2008 for the Maternal Experience Survey (MES), The National Survey of Work and Health of Nurses (NSWHN), and the Canadian Internet Use Survey (CIUS). The most popular surveys used by researchers in 2008 include the CCHS, the NPHS, the NLSCY, SLID, and LSIC.

**Criterion 2: Project Output Information**

The summary of project output was determined by researchers’ response to the request for output for 2008, and includes only those references published in the 2008 calendar year (January to December, 2008).

**a. Summary Table of Project Output Toronto RDC**

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| 14 | Other: Media Coverage   | 9425 |
| 15 | Other: Academic Activity | 2 |
| 16 | Other: Significant Health Component | 42 |
|    | some health component   | 8 |
|    | no health component     | 42 |
The information in the output summary table comes from the researchers themselves, with the exception of the number of projects and theses completed and the events organized by the RDC staff. These are taken from the RDC database, the RDC analysts, and the RDC staff respectively. The response rate from researchers this year who responded to our request for output was about 57% and included only those researchers with active projects within the last five years. The information in the next table on health related projects was taken from the RDC database and includes all projects to date (n = 355).

b. Summary Substantive Comments on Publications

The strength of the research conducted in the Toronto RDC is evidenced by its quality and relevance. A large proportion of research is in the area of health, and the preferred method of publication is the refereed journal article. Reports from our researchers (57% response rate) continue to reveal a steady flow of 20 to 30 journal articles per year (29 in 2008, plus an additional 2 from 2007 just received as output in 2008). For the most part these publications are in leading journals.

Looking forward to the next generation of researchers, students are the leading users of the Toronto RDC. Much of this use is research assistance, which provides students with training and an introduction to the RDC data. RDC data is also emerging as an important basis of students’ independent research: 5 M.A. and honours theses and 6 Ph.D. theses have come to completion during 2008. In addition, there are three masters’ level students and 21 doctoral students with their theses in progress at the Toronto RDC.

c. Summary report on major media coverage of RDC research

The wider relevance of research, such as a study’s influence on public policy and practice or its appeal to the public interest, is harder to measure. To a certain extent media coverage captures this dimension. In 2008, media attention from research completed at the Toronto RDC includes continued international coverage for Emma Robertson-Blackmore’s project on mental health and stress in the workplace, including the Financial Post article Thursday October 30th, 2008 “Is your office making you sick.” In fact, Dr. Robertson-Blackmore reported over 9,000 media events related to this project, and published her research in the British Journal of Psychiatry, as well as the Canadian Journal of Psychiatry. Chris Zatzick and Tony Fang reported local media coverage for their project on workplace practices and employee well-being. It was the basis for an article in the Toronto Star October 24, 2008 “The Dream Isn't Working Now,” as well as one in the headlines in the Singtao Daily October 19, 2008 “Over 60% of Chinese New Immigrants Are Over-educated.”

d. Summary of Health Related Contracts

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<td>Total Health Component</td>
<td>227</td>
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<td>Total Number of Projects</td>
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Almost all Toronto RDC projects are social science in nature, and a large proportion (almost 60%), have a significant health component.
Criterion 3: Toronto RDC Training and Employment

a. Summary Table 2008

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Notes:
1. Two doctoral student with other responsibilities, who are also analysts, Byron Lee and Angela Prencipe, 1 of whom (Byron) is also counted as doctoral student with thesis in progress
2. Two employees, Tina Hotton Mahony and Dave Haans, who also have research projects at the RDC

b. Substantive Summary

Students have consistently been the top users of the Toronto RDC and are again in 2008. The table documents the high level of use by Ph.D. level students. In 2008 six Ph.D. theses were completed and another 21 are in progress. Furthermore, other doctoral students were participants on a further 25 projects. In terms of usage statistics, doctoral students are the leading users of the RDC in 2008 at 35.29%, while all students represent 50.81% or half of the usage time in 2008. These numbers are testament to the many and varied training opportunities provided by the Centre. They also document the growing importance of the Toronto centre as a site for student training. The Centre has undertaken a number of initiatives to support student use, including a new graduate level course in panel data methods.
Criterion 4: Toronto RDC Staff

a. Summary Table 2008

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b. Substantive Summary

Over 2008 the number of Statistics Canada analysts at the Toronto RDC varied slightly from 2.2 to 2.4 and back to 2.2 to accommodate one of our student analyst’s flexible schedule. We had two students over the year at 1.6 (to 1.8 and back again to 1.6), and one non-student at .6. For most of the year the Centre employed a full time statistical and computer consultant, who went to .8 in the last month of the year. We share an office manager with the University of Toronto’s Institute for Life Course and Aging and her Toronto RDC FTE was 0.45 for the entire year. Neither the consultant nor the office manager are students. Our part-time casual administrative staff is a student working approximately a .25 FTE (10 hours a week).

Criterion 5: Toronto RDC Knowledge Mobilization Events 2008

a. Events in 2008

i) Introductory SAS Workshop

Dave Haans
RDC Consultant
Toronto Region Statistics Canada Research Data Centre

This workshop is open to current RDC researchers and is generally presented twice a year, in Spring and Fall. This workshop is meant to help current researchers at the RDC acquaint or re-acquaint themselves with the SAS programming language. In this workshop, the basics of the SAS programming language will be covered, including creating variables, reading in raw text files, modifying SAS data sets, and merging SAS data sets. Most recently, a section on group processing has been expanded and made much more interactive.

Wednesday, November 26, 2008
1:00pm to 4:00pm
ii) National Longitudinal Survey of Children and Youth (NLSCY) Workshop

Stephanie Lalonde  
NLSCY Survey Manager  
Rochelle Garner  
Research Analyst  
Claude Girard  
Survey Statistician  
Yves Lafortune  
Survey Statistician  
Statistics Canada

Tuesday September 30th, 2008 and Wednesday, October 1st, 2008  
9:30am to 4:30pm

This 2-day workshop will begin with an overview of the NLSCY, including a discussion of the content and changes over the cycles, sampling across the cycles, response rates (both cross-sectional and longitudinal), issues that could affect comparisons across cycles, and the sampling distribution of ages across cycles. NLSCY researchers will benefit from a discussion of the NLSCY’s survey weights, including how they are created, how to use them for both longitudinal and cross-sectional research, how they can be used to make inferences about the population of children, how to pool samples and calculate new weights for the pooled sample, information about normalized/standardized weights, and why bootstrap weights should be used to generate final variance estimates. A presentation on variance estimation will explain sampling error and how it indicates if the sample size is large enough to reliably report a survey estimate, what confidence intervals and coefficients of variation are, and how bootstrap weights are used to estimate sampling error. Nonresponse issues will be detailed, including how the NLSCY weights account for unit nonresponse, how to deal with partial nonresponse, and how to evaluate nonresponse bias. A presentation on general research issues, such as sample size, sampling error and other errors in the survey will round out the presentations. A question-and-answer session will be held on Wednesday afternoon, and NLSCY researchers are encouraged to submit questions before the workshop.

NLSCY Workshop Presentations Slides (pdf files):

1. Overview of the NLSCY (Stephanie Lalonde)  
2. Statistical Concepts: Weighting and Variance Estimation (Claude Girard)  
3. Nonresponse, Normalized/Standardized Weights, Pooling Data from Several Cycles, An application of the statistical concepts introduced on Day 1 using NLSCY data, “Use of Computers by Teenagers” (Yves Lafortune)  
4. Things to Know and Question and Answer Session (Rochelle Garner, with Stephanie Lalonde, Claude Girard, and Yves Lafortune)

iii) Some Survey Data Sets Available from Statistics Canada’s Social and Aboriginal Statistics Division

Cathy Connors  
Michael Wendt  
Susan Stobert  
Kathy Marshall  
Christina Jaworski  
Statistics Canada
Tuesday April 1st, 2008
1pm to 5pm
Room 230, the Fields Institute, 222 College St., 2nd Floor.

Members of the Social and Aboriginal Statistics Division at Statistics Canada will provide a series of 20 minute presentations on some of our key data sets. These rich sources of social data are or will soon be available for researchers to use within Statistics Canada’s Research Data Centres Program. Additionally, a representative from one of Statistics Canada’s refereed journals, Perspectives on Labour and Income, will discuss publishing opportunities at Statistics Canada.

The presentations will be of interest to researchers and graduate students in the social sciences. Please feel free to attend one or more of the presentations. We will also be available to answer any questions you have on the surveys. A representative of the Toronto Regional Statistics Canada Research Data Centre will also be on hand to answer any questions you might have on how to apply to the Research Data Centres Program.

Schedule (session title links to .pdf of presentation materials):

1:00 – 1:10: Introductory Remarks
1:10 – 1:30: Aboriginal Children’s Survey: is a national survey of First Nations, Inuit and Métis children under the age of 6 years which collects information on the development and well-being of Aboriginal children.
1:30 – 1:50: Aboriginal People’s Survey: provides data on the social and economic conditions of Aboriginal people in Canada. Its purpose is to identify the needs of Aboriginal people focusing on issues such as health, language, employment, income, schooling, housing, and mobility.
1:50 – 2:10: General Social Survey: is an annual cross-sectional household survey that gathers information on the social conditions of Canadians.
2:10 – 2:30: General Social Survey 20th Anniversary Project: We are constructing a coherent, easily used historical database containing data from all the 20 annual cycles in harmonized form.
2:30 – 2:50: Break: Feel free to talk with any of the representatives.
3:10 – 3:30: Statistics Canada Publication Opportunities: Statistics Canada provides a range of publishing options for RDC research. We encourage submissions on topics of relevance to citizens and policy-makers.
3:30 – 3:50: Vitality of Official-Language Minorities Survey: is the first survey that pertains specifically to Canada’s official-language minorities. It contains a vast and rich source of data on these groups.
3:50 – 4:15: Discussion: Feel free to talk with any of the representatives.

The Toronto RDC would like to thank the Fields Institute for providing the venue for this presentation.

b. Substantive Comments and Summary of Activities for 2008

The Knowledge Mobilization events during 2008 took the form of training workshops on popular statistical softwares (SAS), and datasets (NLSCY), and public lectures to publicize RDC Data (GSS) and/or provide instruction in statistical methodologies for their analysis (NLSCY). Our software workshops are a direct response to the fact that many students enter our RDC with good research ideas but needing support with their technical skills. The public lectures inform our communities of new opportunities for research at the Toronto RDC.
c. Summary of Types of Statistical and Methodological Topics Covered in Training Sessions

Presentations at the Toronto RDC have been generally informational in nature, describing research results or the contents of Statistics Canada surveys and the Canadian census.

Presentations have included the survey content and changes over the cycles of the NLSCY, presented by Stephanie Lalonde, Rochelle Garner, Claude Girard and Yves Lafortune from Statistics Canada. The 2 day workshop covered a wide variety of topics related to the analysis of the NLSCY at the Toronto RDC, including weighting and variance estimation techniques, nonresponse, normalized and standardized weights, and pooling data across different survey cycles, with time allotted to researchers’ questions on day 2. Other presentations include the survey data sets presented by Statistics Canada on Social and Aboriginal surveys, in order to increase their use. Five surveys, a 20th anniversary project on the GSS, and opportunities to researchers for publication of RDC research, were all presented.

The increase in project and researcher activity has limited the time analysts were able to allot to the organization of events, and subsequently, there were no brown bag seminars this year.

In 2008, formal training continued in the Toronto RDC with the teaching of SAS as an introductory topic for RDC researchers. Along with the basics of using this software, some longitudinal programming techniques germane to longitudinal analyses are included.

d. Audiences

Presentations at the Toronto RDC for 2008 were mainly comprised of RDC researchers and generally reflected the academic backgrounds of researchers here – graduate students, research assistants/associates/coordinators from various research organizations, and faculty. For example, the two day NLSCY workshop held September 30th and October 1st at the RDC, included faculty and student researchers from our partner universities as well as those from other RDCs (Calgary, McMaster, UNB, and UWO), while the SAS workshop held June 20th included mostly student researchers from our partner university community.

For those presentations or workshops that were open to people outside the RDC community, participants included federal, provincial and municipal governmental policy analysts, consultants, and university administrators. For example, the four hour presentation April 1st from the Social and Aboriginal Statistics Division, held at the Field’s Building on campus at U of T, included many participants from the Ministry of Health and Long Term Care, as well as Health Canada, the Ministry of Health Promotion, the City of Toronto, and organizations such as Cancer Care Ontario, and the Ontario Tobacco Research Unit, in addition to researchers (faculty and students) from our partner universities (Ryerson, York, Toronto) and other universities (Kent, Guelph).

e. Toronto RDC Newsletter

The Toronto RDC newsletter is typically distributed twice a year to a diverse list of academics who are encouraged to forward it to interested parties. In 2008, the Toronto RDC’s newsletter was published in Spring 2008, and an email sent out that contains a brief description of the Toronto RDC and a link to the full newsletter online. This is done for two reasons: the UofT restricts mass mail outs through its email system and two, adding a link to our webpage results in many more visits to our website than would normally be the case.

In addition to information on the RDC program, the Toronto RDC newsletter describes the data available for analysis, and the proposal submission process, advertisement of our public lectures, conference announcements, calls for papers, and funding opportunities for research using Statistics Canada micro-data.
f. Website

The Toronto RDC’s website URL is: http://www.utoronto.ca/rdc

The Toronto RDC’s website’s purpose is to give researchers and prospective researchers a clear overview of the Toronto RDC and what its purpose is, and provide helpful guidance and links to those who visit.

As well, the Hours web page at http://www.utoronto.ca/rdc/hours.html is updated regularly with vacation-related closings and changes to operating hours. The link to this page is given out when emails are sent to all researchers notifying them of changes to our normal operating hours or dates.

Visits to the Toronto RDC’s website have been tracked since May, 2006 using Google Analytics. In the calendar year 2008, the website received 4,193 visits, or approximately 15-20 per weekday. “toronto rdc” was the search term used most often to locate the Toronto RDC’s website, indicating that many visitors to the website are looking for the Toronto RDC’s website and not finding it by accident. The bulk of visits (n=3402, 81%) come from Canada, with most of the international visits from the US (n=348, 8%), and the remaining 11% of visits from a variety of countries (Ireland, UK, India, Germany, Australia, Hong Kong, France and the Netherlands).

The Papers page of the website features an alphabetical and chronological list of a sample of published articles resulting from research at the Toronto RDC, including links to articles appearing in Statistics Canada publications such as Health Reports, Perspectives on Labour and Income, and Juristat, which are available for free on the Statistics Canada website.

The website also contains a brief introduction to the Toronto RDC, links to the Toronto RDC’s partners, links to information about the data, links to the SSHRC application site, contact and location information, and a page highlighting the Toronto RDC’s computing and network resources.

It also offers researchers from York and Ryerson Universities the same broad information offered to University of Toronto researchers, including links to the partner university’s data libraries and statistical consulting services.

g. Summary of Knowledge mobilization, dissemination and communication.

The Toronto RDC regularly issues newsletters, organizes in-house and external presentations on behalf of Statistics Canada staff, RDC researchers and RDC staff. We also update our website regularly, and also distribute conference information, job postings and other information that is of interest to researchers and others interested in the Toronto RDC.

Criterion 6: Scientific Innovation

Due to the large number of projects handled by each of our analysts, there was little time in 2008 for scientific innovation or methodological advances. However, our analysts held focal point responsibilities for the Homicide Survey pilot project (Tina Hotton), the National Graduates Survey (Angela Prencipe), and the National Survey of Giving, Volunteering, and Participating (Byron Lee). In addition, Tina worked with the staff and methodologists of the Canadian Centre for Justice Statistics (CCJS) in the development and testing of new administrative data disclosure rules for the Homicide Survey pilot project.
Criterion 7: Toronto RDC Networks of Collaboration, Partnerships in Research and Interdisciplinary Work

a. Disciplines of Researchers involved in Toronto RDC projects

Toronto RDC researchers come from a wide variety of disciplines. The leading sources (proportion of researchers) in 2008 are:

- Sociology, 13.9%
- Public Health, 12.9%
- Economics, 11.8%
- Health Science, 8.5%
- Psychology, 8.5%
- Health Policy, 6.9%
- Psychiatry, 6.0%
- Nutrition, 4.6%
- Geography, 2.3%
- Business, 2.0%

b. Toronto RDC Researchers involved with Partnership Networks

Toronto RDC researchers are members of a wide array of national and international partnerships, institutes and networks and hospitals, examples from 2008 include: Canadian Agency for Drugs and Technologies in Health, Centre of Excellence for Research on Immigration and Settlement (CERIS), Institute for Work and Health, Institute for Clinical Evaluative Sciences, Social and Economic Dimensions of an Aging Population (SEDAP), Canadian Labour Market and Skills Researcher Network (CLSRN), Canadian Obesity Network, Community Social Planning Council for Toronto, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health, Hospital for Sick Children, St. Michael's Hospital, University Health Network.

c. Collaboration with NGO's in RDC projects

To the best of our knowledge, none of the researchers at the Toronto RDC are affiliated with NGOs in 2008.

d. Partnership and leverage of funds

The Toronto RDC is becoming better known to researchers in the region who are not members of the RDC network. These researchers, if they are not conducting CIHR or SSHRC funded research, pay a fee for RDC access. In calendar year 2008 researchers from a company called Ecometrix and from the Universities of Utrecht and Trent, paid for access. (Two of these three “fee for service” contracts also occurred within fiscal year 2008-09.)

e. Interaction with government researchers, federal and provincial contracts with university researchers

The Toronto RDC opened its doors to a number of federally funded contracts with researchers, and in calendar year 2008 received paid access fees from six HRSDC contracts. (An additional three HRSDC and 3.5 CLSRN contracts, plus an additional “fee for service” contract have paid or owe access fees since January 2009, increasing our original estimate of 10 fee contracts to 15.5 for the fiscal year 2008-09.)

Criterion 8: Toronto RDC Summary of Major Objectives, Challenges and Achievements

This year saw a large increase in RDC projects and researchers. York University was approved as a branch of the Toronto RDC and hiring and training of statistical consultants was conducted in the late fall for the
opening March 2nd, 2009. In addition, preparations were made for the first offering of the graduate level course in panel data methods offered in January 2009. Renovations consisted of additional locker space needed for researchers, and a unit containing 30 half sized lockers was proposed and ordered in mid-November.

The Toronto RDC continued to make a number of significant contributions to the promotion and wellbeing of the RDC network in 2008:

1. Our Research and Computing Consultant, Dave Haans, consulted with the Canadian RDC Network (CRDCN) on their metadata project, the secure Wide Area Network (WAN) which presently connects Ottawa with the Toronto RDC, the Atlantic RDC and the Manitoba RDC (and will connect all RDCs by the end of 2009), and initiated discussion among CRDCN and Statistics Canada personnel on applications for the WAN.

2. Byron Lee, Toronto RDC Analyst, and Dave Haans aided in the setup of the York RDC, advising planners and York IT on Statistics Canada regulations, equipment requirements, security practices, IT policies, software purchases, possible problem areas, office layout, and best work practices. In addition, both Byron and Dave trained York RDC staff prior to the York RDC opening (on March 2, 2009).

3. Our manager, Susan Murphy, shared the 2008 revised output template with all the RDCs in the network to aid in the consistent collection and counting of research output.

4. Our Academic Director, Michael Baker, continues to serve on the executive committee of the National Coordinating Committee, which is revising the algorithm for the distribution of the SSHRC/CIHR funds across the network.

The Toronto RDC is dedicated to its strong core of established researchers who want access to RDC data. For these users our goal is to make data access as straightforward as possible. We also provide support through the maintenance and update of our facilities, and by publicizing the latest developments in our data and related statistical methodologies. We also have a large pool of new or potential users, many of whom are students. For these users our services include publicizing research opportunities using RDC data, instruction in the use of RDC data sets and statistical software, and forums for the critical discussion of research results.

**Criterion 9: Toronto RDC Annual Projections**

2009

In the coming year we look forward to the successful launch of the York University branch, and to the successful conclusion of the first offering of the new graduate level course “Panel Data Methods for Public Policy Analysis”. The York branch represents important progress facilitating access to RDC data in the Toronto area. Our graduate course is a natural extension of the assistance our RDC staff provide student researchers at the RDC on a daily basis.

We will also contribute to the application by the national network for a new operating grant from SSHRC and CIHR. The Toronto RDC has been an active participant in previous applications and we look forward to documenting and explaining the many achievements of Canada’s RDCs in this current initiative.

As our research activity grows, so does our staff. In the coming year we will be renovating to accommodate the additional people working at the RDC.
Finally, the University of Toronto recently announced a major reorganization and revitalization of its School of Public Health. Because the RDCs provide access to the leading population surveys of public health, this provides a unique opportunity to enhance services to public health users in the Toronto region. One opportunity may lie in a pilot project at the McMaster University RDC that provides access to data from Ontario’s Institute for Clinical and Evaluative Sciences. We are initiating a planning process within the Toronto RDC to respond to the opportunities provided by the expansion of public health scholarship at the University of Toronto.
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### RDC Usage by University and Department
#### Year 8 (January – December, 2008)

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The department of Sociology in the Faculty of Arts and Science at the University of Toronto was the largest user in Year 8 with 1653 hours, followed by the departments of Public Health Science and Nutritional Sciences in the Faculty of Medicine at the University of Toronto with 1313 hours and 970 hours respectively. The Faculty of Social Work at the UofT was the next largest user with 577 hours, followed by York’s department of Psychology with 503 hours, and U of T’s department of Economics with 482 hours.

Other users with hours over the 400 mark include the Institute of Medical Science and the department of Health Policy Management and Evaluation (HPME) both in the Faculty of Medicine at U of T with 469 hours and 450 hours respectively, followed by York University’s department of Mathematics and Statistics with 439 hours.
FIGURE 1

Toronto RDC Use by Month: 2008

Note that usage is always low in December as the university is closed for two weeks.
The percentages above show the increase in usage by faculties other than medicine and arts and science (physical health and education, landscape architecture and design, pharmacy, etc.) at the University of Toronto (15.31%).

As in past years, the leading faculty is the Faculty of Medicine (31.63%), followed by the Faculty of Arts and Science (21.92%). York University has increased usage (12.45%) while Ryerson University usage remains stable (5.41%). The examples of other university usage show the variety of collaborations and partnerships in research at the Toronto RDC as well as the breadth of usage (Utrecht University, Australian National University, Wilfrid Laurier University, University of Guelph, University of New Brunswick, and Windsor University).
APPENDIX B

Product Output List at December 31st, 2008

Project 01-MCM-0015 – Yuri Ostrovsky, TRANSFERRED TO MCMASTER RDC.

Project 01-SSH-MCM-0026 – Martin Schellhorn, TRANSFERRED TO MCMASTER RDC.

Project 01-SSH-UTO-0034 – Kevin Milligan (PI), Michael Baker, “Public Policy and Child Care in Canada”, NLSCY, SSHRC. This project is complete.
- **Media coverage:** Conner, A. “Universal Care Hurt Quebec’s Kids”, Stanford Social Innovation Review, Stanford University, Winter 2009

Co-authors have presented the paper from this project at invited workshops at the following venues:
- **Workshops, talks:** National Bureau of Economic Research
- **Workshops, talks:** Cornell University
- **Workshops, talks:** Queen’s University
- **Workshops, talks:** MIT
- **Workshops, talks:** University of Victoria
- **Workshops, talks:** University of Waterloo
- **Workshops, talks:** University of Western Ontario
- **Workshops, talks:** University of British Colombia

The paper from this project received extensive media coverage in February 2006 as a result of a CD Howe media brief that summarized its results.

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (8 workshops, extensive media coverage)**

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (1 article, 1 conference presentation, 1 media coverage)**

Project 01-SSH-UTO-0047 – Mark Stabile, “Socio-economic status and child health”, NLSCY. Funding from SSHRC. This project is in process and Mark is currently working on a second paper.

Contract expiry date: Sept 1, 2004
- **Refereed article:** “Socioeconomic Status and Child Health: Why is the Gradient Steeper for Older Children?” American Economic Review, forthcoming.
- **Conference presentation:** “Socioeconomic Status and Child Health: Why is the Gradient Steeper for Older Children?” 2002 National Bureau of Economic Research Health Care Meetings.
- **Conference presentation:** “Socioeconomic Status and Child Health: Why is the Gradient Steeper for Older Children?” 2003 Meetings of the American Economic Association.
- **Workshops, talks:** “Socioeconomic Status and Child Health: Why is the Gradient Steeper for Older Children?” University of British Colombia, January, 2003.

Project 01-SSH-UTO-0052 – Peggy McDonough, “A Life Course Approach to the Social Determinants of Health”, NPHS. Funding from the Canadian Institute of Health Information.

Contract expiry date: July 31, 2004. (Report completed for Statistics Canada.) Note from PI: Although we were granted an extension of our original contract, I needed the statistical expertise of my co-investigator to complete the revisions of the two above-mentioned papers. Unfortunately, he was not able to complete them before the contract expired.
- **Refereed article:** Strohschein, Lisa, Peggy McDonough, Georges Monette, and Qing Shao. 2005. “Marital Transitions and Mental Health: Are There Gender Differences in the Short-term Effects of Marital Status Change?” *Social Science and Medicine* 61: 2293-2303.
- **Refereed article:** McDonough, Peggy, Georges Monette, Qing Shao, and Lisa Strohschein. “Bootstrap Weighting for Modelling of Complex Survey Data.” Revise and resubmit, *Survey Methodology*.
- **Refereed article:** McDonough, Peggy, Lisa Strohschein, Donna Ansara, Qing Shao, and Georges Monette. “Gender and Distress: Aging and History.” Revise and resubmit, *Research on Aging*.


**NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2004**

**UPDATED April 30, 2006 (3 new refereed articles)**

**NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2007**

Project 01-SSH-UTO-0053 – Catherine Deri, “Social Networks, Health Status and Health Service Utilization”, NPHS. Contract expiry date: Sept 1, 2004


- **Working paper:** Deri, Catherine, Understanding the ‘Healthy Immigrant Effect’ in Canada, University of Ottawa Working Paper #0502E, 2005

- **Theses and Dissertations:** I successfully defended my PhD thesis last week in which the two main analytical chapters were part of the project listed above.

- **Conference presentation:** Canadian Health Economics Association Meetings, Halifax Nova Scotia, May 2002

- **Conference presentation:** Canadian Economics Association Meetings, Calgary Alberta, June 2002

- **Conference presentation:** Canadian Economics Association Meetings, Ottawa Ontario, June 2003

- **Conference presentation:** Statistics Canada Research Data Center Conference, Hamilton Ontario, September 2003

While on the ‘job market’ last January (2003), I presented my paper in the following Recruiting Workshops:

- **Workshops, talk:** York University, Toronto, Ontario
- **Workshops, talk:** University of Waterloo, Waterloo, Ontario
- **Workshops, talk:** Laurier University, Waterloo, Ontario
- **Workshops, talk:** Dalhousie University, Halifax, Nova Scotia
- **Workshops, talk:** Brock University, St. Catharine’s, Ontario
- **Workshops, talk:** Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida
- **Workshops, talk:** University of Ottawa, Ottawa, Ontario
- **Workshops, talk:** Carleton University, Ottawa, Ontario
- **Workshops, talk:** Finance Canada, Ottawa, Ontario

- **Other academic activity related to RDC usage:** I accepted the position of Assistant Professor in the Department of Economics at the University of Ottawa July 2003.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (1 article, 1 working paper)**

Project 01-SSH-UTO-0055 – Vincent Hildebrand, “Pension Portability and Labour Mobility: Evidence from Canadian Micro-data”, SLID, LMAS (which has not been made available yet and delayed progress). Funding from SEDAP. This project is in process, no current output. Contract expiry date: Dec 31, 2003.


UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (article, press release, Stats Can report)

Project 01-SSH-MCM-0063 – Sunghee Jeon, TRANSFERRED TO MCMASTER RDC.

Project 01-SSH-UTO-0066 – Jane Sprott, “School Climate and its Effects on Delinquency”, Cycles two and three of the NSLCY.

Contract expiry date: Dec 1, 2003. (Report completed for Statistics Canada.)

The initial proposal sent to the RDC had the title: “The Development of a School Bond: Differences and Similarities for Early Aggressive Children Compared to Other Children”. However, the project title (and obviously the focus of the project) changed slightly when it became apparent that the teacher data from cycle one of the NLSCY was insufficient to explore the initial research question.

Course Materials: I talk about this study and its policy implications in my 3rd year undergraduate young offenders course and in my 4th year Advanced Topics in Criminology course.

Media Coverage: In SSHRC’s annual review of the research it sponsors, my research on this general topic was highlighted. They have fielded many media calls and sent some on to me, though I do not typically keep track of all the newspaper interviews I do. About a month ago SSHRC gave me a summary of everywhere my research had appeared in the media, but I unfortunately did not keep that email. You may be able to contact SSHRC and ask them for their media list on my work.

Use by a government policy department: SSHRC has highlighted the research, which has made many organizations interested in the policy implications. To date I have not given anyone a copy of my paper that is under review in a journal – though I hope soon to be able to give copies out to anyone who asks for it.


Contract expiry date: March 1, 2004.


Course Materials: Some of the findings of this study was used as examples for my undergraduate sociology course in family demography in the section on work and the family.

UPDATED APRIL 30, 2004 (thesis expected, findings used in course materials).

Project 1-SSH-UTO-0070 – Lesley Robb, TRANSFERRED TO TORONTO RDC THEN BACK TO MCMASTER RDC.

Project 01-SSH-UTO-0078 – Marcia Rioux & Ezra Zubrow, “The Geography of Canadian Literacy and Disability”, 1991 Health and Activity Limition Survey (HALS); 1994 International Adult Literacy Survey (IALS) for Canada; 1996 National Health Population Survey (NPHS); 1996 Census of Canada; 2001 Participation and Activity Limition Survey (the last 2 data sets were not acquired from RDC).

Contract expiry date: June 30, 2003. (Report completed for Statistics Canada.)


Theses and Dissertations: Wendy Miller, M.A. (University of Buffalo, Geography)

Conference presentation: Forthcoming: Federal-provincial senior managers social policy meeting – March 2004

Conference presentation: Presentation to a special session in Ottawa with participants from 4 government departments to give a presentation on the study.

Conference presentation: American Association of Geographers Annual meeting – presentation - 2003

Media Coverage: Forthcoming: national press release organized jointly by University of Buffalo, York University and Canadian Abilities magazine
- **Use by a government policy department:** See above – re presentation to senior social policy managers in federal and provincial governments (forthcoming March 2004) and presentation to federal government departments (in early December 2003).

**Project 02-HSD-UTO-0085** – Nicole Riley, “Psychotropic medication use and injuries in elderly Canadians”, NPHS, Longitudinal full file cycles 1, 2 & 3. Funding from NHRDP. This project is in process and has no current output, though a doctoral thesis is expected.

Contract expiry date: Dec 31, 2003

**NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2004**

**Project 02-ISD-UTO-0086** – William Magee, “Do Poor Health and Disability increase the hazard of Job Separation?”, Funding from NHRDP, SLID.


**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2004 (1 new article, report to Stats Can).**

**Project 02-UTO-0087** – Jenny Jenkins, “Stability and Change in Aggression in Pre-School Children and Early Adolescents”, NLSCY. We began this project but abandoned it when we found that the measurements that we needed across cycles were not available. This project was cancelled.


- **Theses and Dissertations:** Lo, Queenie MA (2002) Change in Child Behaviour as a function of change in parenting: Results from a national survey. University of Toronto.


**Project 02-UTO-0089** – Jenny Jenkins, “Sibling relationships and changes in aggression”, NLSCY. This project is in process, a PhD thesis (S. Bernardini) is underway with expected submission in April 2004.


**Project 02-UTO-0090** – Jenny Jenkins, “Factors associated with disordered eating patterns in early adolescence”, NLSCY. This project is in process, a PhD thesis (G. Bean) is underway with expected submission in April 2004.

Contract expiry date: Dec 31, 2003. *(Progress report completed for Statistics Canada)*


**Project 02-UTO-0092** – Angela Cheung, “Predicting Emotional Distress In Family Caregivers: Analysis of the Longitudinal National Population Health Survey Data”, Longitudinal NPHS 1994-1998. Funding from NHRDP. This project is complete.

Contract expiry date: July 31, 2002. *(Report completed for Statistics Canada)*


- **Theses and Dissertations:** This was an exercise in longitudinal data analysis to prepare for my PhD data analyses.

**UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005 (article submitted, project complete)**

**Project 02-SSD-UTO-0094** – Alice Charach, “Methylphenidate Use in Canadian Children”, NLSCY.

**Contract expiry date:** Sept 1, 2003. *(Report completed for Statistics Canada.)*

- **Conference presentation**: Charach, A. "Evaluating the Hyperactivity/Inattention Subscale of the National Longitudinal Survey of Children and Youth (NLSCY)". Institute for Clinical Evaluative Studies rounds, March 16, 2005

- **Conference presentation**: Charach, A. "Evaluating the Hyperactivity/Inattention Subscale of the National Longitudinal Survey of Children and Youth (NLSCY)". Grand Rounds, Department of Psychiatry Hospital for Sick Children, April 14, 2005

- **Conference presentation**: Charach, A. "Evaluating the Hyperactivity/Inattention Subscale of the National Longitudinal Survey of Children and Youth (NLSCY)". Rounds for Population Health Sciences, Research Institute, Hospital for Sick Children, January 24, 2005


**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (3 conference presentations)**

**Project 02-SSD-UTO-0095** – Teresa To, “Health, Social, and Environmental Determinants for Developmental Attainment in Youth Children in Canada”, NLSCY.

**Contract expiry date:** Oct 1, 2002. *(Report completed for Statistics Canada.)*


**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2004 (previously “under review” articles now “in press”).**

**Project 02-SSD-UTO-0096** – Jenny Jenkins, Jon Rasbash & Thomas O’Connor, “Developmental trajectories in high risk environments”, NLSCY.

**Contract expiry date:** Dec 31, 2005. *(Report completed for Statistics Canada.)*

- **Refereed article:** O'Connor, T., Jenkins, J.M. Rasbash, J. Within-Family Differences in Child Behavioral Problems Are Predicted from Differential Peer Relationships.


**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007 (2 articles, 2 other academic activities)**

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (1 refereed article)**

**Project 02-SSH-UTO-0100** – Michael Smart, “Smoking, taxation, and the health of children”. THIS PROJECT HAS BEEN ABANDONED.

**Project 02-HSD-UTO-0103** – Blair Wheaton, “Ethno-Racial Differences in Mental Health: A Comparison of East Asians, South Asians, Blacks and Whites”, NPHS. This project is in process and has no current output, though a doctoral thesis is expected.

Contract expiry date: May 31, 2004

**Project 02-HSD-UTO-0105** – Elizabeth Badley, “Determinants of changes in self-reported health”, NPHS.


- **Refereed article:** Perruccio AV, Power JD, Badley EM. The relative population impact of thirteen chronic conditions across four different outcomes – a novel application of log-binomial techniques. *Journal of Epidemiology and Community Health* (revise and resubmit).

- **Conference presentation:** Power JD, Perruccio AV, Badley EM. Stress, depression and pain as mediators between chronic conditions and sleep problems. Joint meeting of the Society for Epidemiologic Research and Canadian Society for Epidemiology and Biostatistics; Jun 27-30, 2005, Toronto, ON, CAN. *American Journal of Epidemiology* 2005; 161[Suppl]:S021.


**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (4 new articles, 2 new conference presentations, 1 new workshop)**

**Project 02-HSD-UTO-0107** – Curtis Breslin & Cameron Mustard, “Mental Health Disorder, Treatment and Work Disability in the NPHS”. NPHS. This project is complete.
Project 02-HSD-UTO-0108 – Curtis Breslin & Cameron Mustard, “Alcohol Use and Work Disability in the NPHS”. This project is complete and has no current output.

Project 02-HSD-UTO-0109 - Curtis Breslin & Cameron Mustard, “Prevalence and Determinants of Work-related Injuries among Young Workers”, NPHS, NLSCY. This project is complete.

Project 02-HSD-UTO-0110 – Emile Tompa & Cameron Mustard, “Underemployment/Contingent Work, the Contraction of the Social Safety Net and their Impact on Self-reported Health Status in a Cohort of Canadian Adults: Analysis of SLID and the NPHS”. SLID, NPHS. Funding from Canadian Institutes for Health Research with top off from the Workers’ Compensation Board of Ontario Research Advisory Committee. This project is complete.


**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2004** (1 new book chapter, 2 new refereed articles).

**UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005** (project complete, no further output)

**Project 02-HSD-UTO-0111** – Cameron Mustard, “Unemployment, Job Characteristics and Self-reported Health Status and Disability in a Cohort of Canadian Adults, a Cohort of American Adults, a Cohort of German Adults and a Cohort of Swedish Adults”, SLID. This project is complete.

Contract expiry date: Dec 31, 2003. *(Progress report completed for Statistics Canada: Under the terms of our contract with the Health Statistics Division, we provide regular updates of the reports and articles produced from the Statistics Canada surveys.)*


- **Refereed article**: Pole J, Mustard CA, Cole DC. Association of asthma and other allergies with major depression and back pain: a cross-sectional approach. (Submitted for publication). Also Working Paper #159, Toronto: Institute for Work & Health under title “The cross-sectional association of asthma, back problems and depression: is there a common underlying mechanism?”


**NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2004** (still in process)

**UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005** (project complete, no further output)

**Project 02-HSD-UTO-0112** – Cameron Mustard, “The Impact of Socio-Economic Status and Labour-market Experiences on Transitions into Work Disability for a Cohort of Canadian Adults: Analysis of the SLID and the NPHS”. SLID, NPHS. This project is complete.

Contract expiry date: Dec 31, 2003. *(Progress report completed for Statistics Canada: Under the terms of our contract with the Health Statistics Division, we provide regular updates of the reports and articles produced from the Statistics Canada surveys.)*


**NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2004** (still in process)

**UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005** (project complete, no further output)

**Project 02-HSD-UTO-0113** – Cameron Mustard, “Labour Market Experiences and Mortality in the National Population Health Survey 1994-2000”, NPHS. This project is complete.

Contract expiry date: Dec 31, 2003. *(Progress report completed for Statistics Canada: Under the terms of our contract with the Health Statistics Division, we provide regular updates of the reports and articles produced from the Statistics Canada surveys.)*

NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2004 (still in process)

UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005 (project complete, no further output)

Contract expiry date: Dec 31, 2003. (Progress report completed for Statistics Canada: Under the terms of our contract with the Health Statistics Division, we provide regular updates of the reports and articles produced from the Statistics Canada surveys.)


Refereed article: Ibrahim SA, McLeod C, Cole DC, Shannon, HS. Psychological and physical job characteristics and subsequent health care use: A cohort study of Canadian workers. (In preparation, manuscript not available).


NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2004 (still in process)

UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005 (project complete, no further output)

Project 02-HSD-UTO-0115 – Cameron Mustard, “Unemployment and Health in a Cohort of Canadian Adults and a Cohort of American Adults”. NPHS. This project is complete.
Contract expiry date: Dec 31, 2003. (Progress report completed for Statistics Canada: Under the terms of our contract with the Health Statistics Division, we provide regular updates of the reports and articles produced from the Statistics Canada surveys.)

Refereed article: Lavis JN, McLeod CB, Mustard CA. Unemployment and self-reported health status: A study in a Canadian and an American cohort. (In preparation, manuscript not available).

NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2004 (still in process)

UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005 (project complete, no further output)

Project 02-SSH-UTO-0118 – Teresa To, “Childhood Asthma & Long-Term Outcomes - A Longitudinal Assessment”, NLSCY. Funding from the Research Institute of the Hospital for Sick Children.
Contract expiry date: April 30, 2005. (Report completed for Statistics Canada.)


- **Conference presentation:** Poster - To T, Cao H: Influence of Regression Towards the Mean in Evaluating Developmental Outcomes in Preschool Children. The Hospital for Sick Children, Research Institute Retreat, Toronto, 2002.
- **Workshops, talks:** “Breastfeeding is Protective Against Asthma and Wheeze in Canadian Children Under Age Six”, The Hospital for Sick Children, Research Institute, Toronto, 2003.

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2004** (3 previously listed refereed articles now listed as conference presentation abstracts). **UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005** (1 new refereed article being submitted to journal; report sent to Statistics Canada, HSC sponsor).

**Project 02-ISD-UTO-0129** – Anil Verma, “Immigration, Ethnic Diversity and Labour Unions in Canada”, SLID. This project was done out of Ottawa, but is listed at the Toronto RDC.


**Project 02-SSH-UTO-0133** – Kathleen Rybczynski, “Gender Differences in the Incidence and Duration of Self-Employment” (working title, subject to change), SLID.

Contract expiry date: June 30, 2004.
- **Theses and Dissertations:** Rybczynski, Kathleen, “Gender Differences in Self-Employment: The Contribution of Credit Constraints and Risk Aversion to Self-Employment Entry, Duration, and Earnings in Canada” Defended December, 2005, Queen’s University.
- **Workshops:** Rybczynski, Kathleen. 2003. "Credit Constraints, Self-employment and the Gender Wage Gap", Graduate Seminar Workshop, Queen’s University, Kingston.
- **Workshops:** Rybczynski, Kathleen. 2003. "Gender Differences in the Incidence and Duration of Self-Employment" Quantitative Workshop, Queen’s University, Kingston.

**NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2004**
**NO FURTHER UPDATE AT DECEMBER 31, 2007**

**Project 02-SSH-UTO-0135** – Katreena Scott, “Comparison of Outcomes for Children in the Better Beginnings, Better Futures Program to Representative National and Provincial from the NLSCY”.

Contract expiry date: June 30, 2003. This project is complete.


(Comments from PI: We gathered information from NLSCY to provide national comparison benchmarks for evaluating the impact of the Better Beginnings, Better Futures program. Information about Better Beginnings and its research findings is widely disseminated in a variety of formats. In some cases, this includes reference to National benchmarks gathered as part of this access project.)

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006** (government report)

**Project 02-SSH-UTO-0137** – Peri Ballantyne & Philippa Clarke, “Patterns in Overall Pharmaceutical Use by Seniors: Data from the National Population Health Survey”, NPHS 1994/95, 1996/97, 1998/99 and 2000/01. Funding from University of Toronto Connaught New Staff Matching Grant.

Contract expiry date: April 30, 2004. This project is in process.


Conference presentation: Use and Non-use of Medicines by Ontario Seniors: Lessons for Clinical Practitioners and Other Health Advocates. Peri Ballantyne. Invited Presentation at the Centre for Health and Well-being, Department of Sociology, University of Western Ontario, January 25, 2002.


NO FURTHER UPDATE AT FEBRUARY 18, 2005


Project 02-SSH-UTO-0144 – Shek-Wai Hui, “The U.S./Canada Difference in Postsecondary Educational Choice”, SLID. This project has been accepted, but is not yet active.

Project 02-MCM-0145 – Michael Boyle, “The impact on child health and development of socioeconomic disadvantage measured in different contexts”, NLS CY. This project is in process and has no current output.


Project 02-SSH-BCI-0147 – Chris Zatzick (PI) and Tony Fang, “High Performance Work Practices, Workplace Performance, Downsizing and Employee Well-Being”, WES.

Contract expiry date: December 31, 2006.


Project 02-SSH-UTO-0165 – Mark Stabile, “Self-reported Health Measures and Labour Market Behaviour”, NPHS. Funding from CIHR. This project is in process, no current output.
Contract expiry date: July 30, 2004.

Project 02-SSH-UTO-0172 – Mina Singh, “Gender Gap in Reading Literacy”, PISA. This project is in process, no current output. A thesis is expected. (Report completed for Statistics Canada.)
Contract expiry date: June 30, 2004.
NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2004

Project 02-HSD-UTO-0181 – Susan Fitzgibbon, “Economic, demographic, support and health determinants of residential mobility and mobility outcomes among Canada’s elderly, 1994-1999”, NPHS.

Project 02-SSH-UTO-0188 – Lori Curtis, “Changing Times in Canada: Are there sex differences in health status and are they converging or diverging over time with changing trends in labour, social and economic roles of men and women?”, NPHS, GSS, FAMEX, SCF. This project is in process, no current output (the researcher has been on leave of absence, and was granted an extension.)
Original contract expiry date: July 31, 2003.

Project 02-HSD-UTO-0195 – Whitney Berta, “?”, Residential Care Facilities Survey (RCFS).

Project 02-SSH-UTO-0196 – Karen MacCon, “The Impact of Context on Adolescent Transitions”, NLSCY cycles 1, 2, and 3. Funding from the Family Transformations and Social Cohesion Project – UWO.
- **Theses and Dissertations:** The Impact of Context on Adolescent Transitions (Defence March 2004)
- **Workshops, talks:** The Impact of Context on Adolescent Transitions, UWO Health and Aging Day May 2003

Project 02-SSH-UTO-0199 – Curtis Breslin, “Work injuries among Canadian workers: Is there an inverse relationship with age?”, CCHS v1.1. Funding/support from the Institute for Work and Health. This project is complete.
- **Conference presentation:** Breslin, FC & Smith P (2003). How do the provinces compare? Self-reported work injury rates for youth and adults in the Canadian Community Health Survey. Poster presented at the 2nd Association of Workers’ Compensation Boards of Canada Public Forum, October, Montreal, Quebec.

UPDATED APRIL 30, 2004 (1 new refereed article, conference presentation accepted)
UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005 (1 new conference presentation, project complete)

Project 02-HSD-UTO-0202 - Susan Schultz (PI), Jacek Kopec, “Responsiveness of Health Utilities Index”, Longitudinal NPHS (Cycle 1 and 2); Cross-sectional NPHS 1996/97. Funding from MRC and the Institute for Clinical Evaluative Sciences.


Project 02-SSH-MCM-0229 – Paul Grootendorst, “Dynamics in prescription drug cost sharing and prescription drug use: Evidence from the longitudinal 2000-01 National Population Health Survey”, NPHS. Funding from CIHR, project 57803. This project is in process, and has no current output.

UPDATED APRIL 30, 2004 (CIHR granted extension to March 2005.)
NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2006

Project 02-SSH-UTO-0230 – Ernie Lightman, “Pre and Post welfare employment, earnings and income trajectories”, SLID. Funding from SSHRCC. This project is in process. (Report submitted to Statistics Canada - A draft research paper was submitted to Statistics Canada. The only substantive requirement was to apply bootstrap variance estimation techniques. This work commenced in January 2007 and is now completed. The paper will be edited and re-submitted.)

UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007 (1 government report)
UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (1 working paper)

Project 02-SSH-UTO-0234 – Lisa Strohschein, “Socioeconomic differences in child health: The influence of stressful life conditions”, NLSKY. Funding from SSHRCC. This project is in process, and has no current output.

Contract expiry date: Dec 31, 2004. This project is complete.


- **Refereed article**: Kasman N, Badley EM. Beyond access; who reports that health care is not being received when needed in a publicly-funded health care system? The receipt of health care in Canada. Canadian Journal of Public Health (Submitted).


- **Refereed article**: Perruccio AV, Power JD, Badley EM. The relative impact of thirteen chronic conditions across three different outcomes. *Journal of Epidemiology and Community Health* 2007; 61(12):1056-1061.


• Conference presentation: Perruccio AV, Power JD, Badley EM. Ranking of Age- and Sex-Specific Population Associated Fraction of Arthritis and Fibromyalgia Across Two Health Outcomes. 2007 Annual Scientific Meeting of the American College of Rheumatology; Nov 6-11, 2007, Boston, MA, USA. Arthritis & Rheumatism 2007; 56(9) Suppl:S773(2032).


• Workshops, talks/Presentations: Badley EM. “A laboratory without benches – Research without walls”. Arthritis and Autoimmunity Research Centre Foundation Board Tour, University Health Network, November 2003.

• Workshops, talks/Presentations: Badley EM. Alliance for the Canadian Arthritis Program (ACAP) Steering Committee, The Arthritis Society Advocacy Team Meeting. November 2003.

• Workshops, talks/Presentations: Badley EM. “A laboratory without benches – Research without walls”. Toronto General Hospital and Toronto Western Hospital Foundation Donor Tours. University Health Network, October 2003.

• Workshops, talks/Presentations: Badley, E.M. Put Arthritis on the Map. Sunnybrook & Women’s Health Sciences Centre Department of Rheumatology. Toronto, January 2004.


**Media Coverage:** “Arthritis in Canada” Results Report

**Newspaper** (Circ./Aud.: Outlet/Location Date/Reach)
- Canadian Press National wire for print September 30, 2003 N/A
- Cape Breton Post Cape Breton, NS September 30, 2003 9,000
- The Globe and Mail National October 01, 2003 314,946
- The Standard St.Catharines, ON October 01, 2003 31,573
- The Daily Courier Kelowna, BC October 01, 2003 18,500
- Penticton Herald Penticton, BC October 01, 2003 10,000
- Sudbury Star Sudbury, ON October 01, 2003 65,513
- The Charlottetown Guardian Charlottetown, PEI October 01, 2003 23,000
- New Glasgow Evening News New Glasgow October 01, 2003 9,000
- The Winnipeg Free Press Winnipeg, MB October 01, 2003 126,800
- Brockville Recorder &Times Brockville, ON October 02, 2003 2,800
- Daily Herald Tribune Grande Prairie, AB October 04, 2003 8,000
- Stratford Beacon-Herald Stratford, ON October 04, 2003 3,300
- The Edmonton Journal Edmonton, AB October 06, 2003 133,007

Total Impressions - Print: 755,439
Total Impressions * 2.5 = Aud. Reach 1,888,598

**Broadcast - Radio**

- Broadcast News National wire for radio September 30, 2003 n/a
- CKTB Talk Radio St. Catharines, AB September 30, 2003 160,000
- CBR-AM, Homestretch Calgary, AB September 30, 2003 161,900
- CBC Radio, CBC News: Morning Vancouver, BC September 30, 2003 N/A
- CKBS Radio Canada Vancouver, BC September 30, 2003 N/A
- CIJO-FM News, News Saint Johns, NF October 01, 2003 11,300
- CHML Talk Radio Hamilton, ON October 01, 2003 187,700
- CFWH-AM Whitehorse, NWT October 02, 2003 790

Total Circ./Aud. Reach - Radio 1,123,390 +

**Broadcast - Television**

- CBUT-TV, CBC Calgary, AB September 30, 2003 32,000
- CBX-TV, CBC Edmonton, AB September 30, 2003 81,000
- CKAL-TV, A Channel Calgary, AB September 30, 2003 74,000
- CBC TV, The National September 30, 2003 512,000
- CTV-TV, National News National September 30, 2003 2,525,700
- CTV-TV, Canada AM National October 01, 2003 2,525,700
- CTV-N1, Newsnet Morning National October 01, 2003 147,000
- CTV-N, Newsnet Morning National October 01, 2003 147,000
- CTV-N1, Newsnet Midday National October 01, 2003 147,000
- CTV-N1, Newsnet Afternoon National October 01, 2003 147,000
- CKXT-TV, Toronto Today Toronto October 01, 2003 N/A
- CKXT-TV, Toronto Today Toronto October 01, 2003 N/A
- CKCO News, CTV News Kitchener-Waterloo, ON October 01, 2003 193,000
- CKCO News, CTV News Kitchener-Waterloo, ON October 01, 2003 193,000
- CHCH-TV, Global News Hamilton, ON October 01, 2003 570,000
- CFPL-TV, The New PL London, ON October 01, 2003 136,000
- CKMI-TV, The Morning Live Quebec, PQ October 01, 2003 30,000
- CFCE-TV, CTV News Montreal, PQ October 01, 2003 N/A
- FQC-TV, CTV News Saskatoon, SK October 01, 2003 N/A
- CICT-TV, Global News Calgary, AB October 01, 2003 157,000
- CFCN-TV, CTV News Edmonton, AB October 01, 2003 163,000
- CHAN-TV, Global News Vancouver, BC October 01, 2003 467,000
- CHWI-TV, Global News Windsor, ON October 01, 2003 16,800
- CITO-TV, News Timmins, ON October 02, 2003 2,200
- CITV-TV, Global News Edmonton, AB October 04, 2003 236,000
- CHU-TV, Global Toronto, ON October 07, 2003 914,000

Total Circ./Aud. Reach - Television: 9,894,400 +

Online
- www.canada.medbroadcast.com September 30, 2003 N/A
- www.globeandmail.com September 30, 2003 N/A
- www.globeandmail.com October 01, 2003 N/A
- www.canada.com October 01, 2003 N/A
- www.torontostar.com October 01, 2003 N/A
- www.ctv.ca October 01, 2003 N/A
- www.canada.com October 06, 2003 N/A

Total Circ./Aud. Reach - Online: N/A

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Media Coverage Update (Feb 18, 2005):
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Toronto Region Statistics Canada Research Data Centre: Activity Report 2008
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Review (CP) | Print - daily newspaper | 22/9/04 | Niagara Falls, ON
Daily Press (CP) | Print - daily newspaper | 30/9/04 | Timmins, ON
Barrie Examiner (CP) | Print - daily newspaper | 22/9/04 | Barrie, ON
Cape Breton Post (CP) | Print - daily newspaper | 22/9/04 | Sydney, NS
The Daily News (CP) | Print - daily newspaper | 22/9/04 | Halifax, NS
The Western Star (CP) | Print - daily newspaper | 22/9/04 | Corner Brook, NL
The Toronto Star | Print - daily newspaper | 22/9/04 | GTA
The Hamilton Spectator | Print - daily newspaper | 22/9/04 | Hamilton, ON
Kitchener-Waterloo Record (Hamilton Spectator story) | Print - daily newspaper | 22/9/04 | Kitchener, ON
Kitchener-Waterloo Record | Print - daily newspaper | 22/9/04 | Kitchener, ON
Trentonian/Tri-County News (ICES Arthritis Atlas mentioned in editorial on improving access for prevention of arthritis) | Print - community paper | 29/9/04 | Trenton, ON
CBC TV Canada Now at 6:00 p.m. | Broadcast - TV | 21/9/04 | Ontario
CFTO News at 6:00 p.m. | Broadcast - TV | 21/9/04 | Ontario
The London Free Press | Print - daily newspaper | 11/10/2004 | London, ON
The Medical Post | Print - weekly magazine | 26/10/04 | National

- **Use by a government policy department:** As a result of *Arthritis in Canada* (Published September 2003), the Public Health Agency of Canada has made arthritis a priority for Public Health Surveillance and has committed funds for this initiative (arthritis was not previously on their list).
- **Use by a government policy department:** The findings from the *ICES Research Atlas: Arthritis and Related Conditions in Ontario*, is being used by the Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care, specifically Dr. Alan Hudson’s Access to Services and Wait Times for total joint replacement.

**NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2004**

UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005 (1 new book chapter, 4 new refereed articles, 7 new conference presentations, 8 new wrksp/talk/presentations, 34 new media, 2 new government usage)

(Reference from Elizabeth: The above is an integrated program of research, not a project as such.)

UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (4 new articles, 2 new conference presentations, 1 new workshop)

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (1 book chapter, 4 refereed articles, 1 working paper, 1 conference presentation)

**Project 02-SSH-UTO-0239** – Anthony N. Doob and Raymond Tam, “Race/Ethnicity and view of the police”, GSS cycle 13. This project is in process and has no current output. The analyses have been complete, and there are plans to write a short research note and submit it for publication.

Contract expiry date: July 31, 2003.

**Project 02-SSH-UTO-0240** – Rosemary Tannock, “Cultural Differences in ADHD Symptomatology and Service Utilization in Canada”, NLSCY.


(2 papers, currently in preparation, to be submitted to peer reviewed journals)

- **Workshops, talks:** (Talk) Ho., C., & Tannock, R. (January, 2004). Cultural differences in ADHD prevalence and service utilization in Canada. Talk to be given at the Culture and Community Mental Health Studies seminar series of the Centre for Addiction and Mental Health.
- **Workshops, talks:** Forthcoming talk for the Culture and Community Health Studies seminar series at the Centre for Addiction and Mental Health.
Project 02-SSH-UTO-0242 – Jenny Jenkins, “Cultural differences in parenting and child outcome”, NLSCY. Funding from SSHRCC.
  - Refereed article: Ho, C., Sand, D & Jenkins, J. Cultural differences in the relationship between parenting and children’s behavior.
  - Other Academic Activity: (Masters thesis completed through public use files, based on NLSCY data) Alison Owen MA 2000. Examining the relationship between age, sex, parenting, and children’s mental health outcomes in remarried and intact families.

UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007 (1 article, 1 other academic activity)
NO FURTHER UPDATE AT DECEMBER 31, 2007

Project 02-SSH-UTO-0255 – Whitney Berta, “Operational Efficiencies in Long-Term Care Facilities in Canada”, RCFS. This project is in process and has no current output.
  Contract expiry date: August 31, 2009.

Project 02-HSD-UTO-0287 – Cameron Mustard, “Functional Impairment and Disability Trends Among Labour-force Participants and Non-participants”, SLID. This project is complete.
  Contract expiry date: Dec 31, 2003. (Progress report completed for Statistics Canada: Under the terms of our contract with the Health Statistics Division, we provide regular updates of the reports and articles produced from the Statistics Canada surveys.)

NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2004 (still in process)
UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005 (project complete, no further output)

Project 02-BLM-UTO-0733 – Stewart Thornhill, “An evaluation for the WES review committee (project for Garnett Picot)”, WES. Funding from SSHRCC.
  Contract expiry date: March 28, 2003. (Contract report completed for Garnett Picot.)
  NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2004
  TRANSFERRED TO UWO RDC.


Project 03-SSH-UTO-0260 – Scott Walsworth, “Multinational Companies and New Economy in Canada”, WES.
  Contract expiry date: July 31, 2004.

Project 03-SSH-UTO-0261 – Flora Matheson, “Community and Well-being”, CCHS 1.1, NPHS – Census/Business data. This project is complete.


Conference presentation: Flora I. Matheson. “Perspectives on Gender, Neighbourhood Chronic Stress and Health.” Invited lecture for Women's Health Research in Progress Rounds, Women's College Hospital, February 7th, 2007.


Course materials: Flora I. Matheson. “Perspectives on Gender, Neighbourhood Chronic Stress and Health.” Invited lecture for *Sociology of Mental Health* (SOC363), Department of Sociology, University of Toronto, November 22, 2007.


Media coverage: “Study finds fat cats really are fatter. Neighbourhood wealth, gender linked to weight, Canadian study shows.” The Toronto Star, February 9, 2008, page A16, reported by Joseph Hall.

Media coverage: “The bigger the paycheque, the bigger the waist - but only for men, study says.” The Globe and Mail, February 9, 2008, page A7, reported by Caroline Alphonso.

UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (1 article, 1 government report)
UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (2 articles, 6 conference presentations, 1 course material, 2 media coverages)
UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (3 conference presentations, 1 report to policy group)
Project 03-HRD-UTO-0276 – Charles Jones, “Seminal Approaches to the Study of Children’s Trajectories of Individual Outcomes”, NLSCY, YITS. This project was done under contract to HRDC. A report was submitted to them in March 2002. Analysis of NLSCY Cycles 1 to 3 in the Statistics Canada Research Data Centre is completed and work continues with the public use files from the same survey.

Contract expiry date: June 30, 2003. (Final Report submitted to HRDC March 31, 2002.)

Project 03-SSH-UTO-0291 – Enza Gucciardi, Tina Badiani & Donna E. Stewart, “Prevalence of and Demographics Associated with the Misperception of Being Overweight: Findings from the 2000/01 Canadian Community Health Survey”, CCHS 1.1. This project is complete and a manuscript is in review.

Contract expiry date: Nov 30, 2003 - in the process of a renewal. (Report completed for Statistics Canada.)

UPDATED APRIL 30, 2004 (project complete, manuscript in review).

Project 03-HRD-UTO-0292 – Jenny Jenkins, Jane Sprott & Tony Doob, “Preventing Delinquency: Understanding the Development and Nature of School Attachment”, NLSCY. This project was done under contract to HRDC. A report was submitted to them in March 2002. Problems with data quality (including missing data) led us not to pursue a peer-reviewed publication for this study.

Contract expiry date: March 31, 2002. (Progress report submitted for Statistics Canada; A report was submitted to HRDC in March 2002 entitled "Preventing Delinquency: understanding the development and nature of school attachment").


UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007 (1 article)

Project 03-HRD-UTO-0299 – Charles Jones, “Gender and Children's Developmental Trajectories”, NLSCY. This project was done under contract to HRDC. A report was submitted to them in March 2002. Analysis of NLSCY Cycles 1 to 3 in the Statistics Canada Research Data Centre is completed and work continues with the public use files from the same survey.

Contract expiry date: June 30, 2003. (Final Report submitted to HRDC March 31, 2002.)

Project 03-SSH-UTO-0301 – Esme Fuller-Thomson, “Factors that Facilitate Canadian Women’s Use of Preventive Health Care Services: An application of Andersen's Behavioural Framework”, NPHS. This project is in process and has no current output. Data has been vetted, drafting of articles are underway.

Contract expiry date: October 31, 2007

NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2006
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Project 03-SSH-UTO-0302 – Alice Charach, “Evaluating the Hyperactivity/Inattention Sub-Scale of the NLSCY”. This project is in process and has no current output.


Project 03-SSH-UTO-0305 – Ida E. Berger, “The influence of ethnicity on volunteering and giving”, National Survey of Giving, Volunteering and Participating (NSGVP). No funding. This project is complete. (Report completed for Statistics Canada)

- Media Coverage: Numerous newspaper interviews.
- Preliminary analysis results were used in three grant applications –
- Other: (Grant applications) one to the Canadian Centre for Philanthropy (unsuccessful);
- Other: (Grant applications) a second to SSHRC's multicultural research program;
- Other: (Grant applications) and a third to Ryerson’s internal SSHRC research program.

UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005 (2 refereed article, 2 conference presentations, report to government)
UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (1 new article)
UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007 (3 media coverage)

Project 03-SSH-UTO-0306 – Marni Brownell, “Geography and socioeconomic influences on prevalence of methylphenidate use, and changes in use over time in Canadian children”, NLSCY.

Project 04-SSH-SWO-0307 – Byron Lee, “The Returns to Education for Students based upon their Graduation Times”. NGS.


Project 03-SSH-UTO-0311 – Randle Hart, “Neighbourhood effects on alcohol and tobacco use among immigrant populations in Toronto”, CCHS 1.1, HSAS.

Project 03-SSH-UTO-0313- Sarah Munce, “The Role of Work Stress as a Mediating Variable in the Chronic Pain-Depression Relationship”, CCHS 1.1.
- Theses and Dissertations: Master's thesis (University of Toronto, IMS) (June, 2005)

Conference presentation: (poster & paper) Munce, SEP, Stewart, DE. Sex Differences in Depression and Chronic Pain Conditions in a National Epidemiological Study. Ontario Women’s Health Council, Ottawa, ON, April 2006.


Other academic activity related to RDC usage: (e.g., appointments) AWCBC Public Forum ‘Top Three’ Presenter, University Health Network-Eli Lilly Women’s Health Fellowship

UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (2 articles, 1 thesis, 6 conference presentations, 1 other activity – honour)

Project 03-HRD-UTO-0319 – Charles Jones, “The impact of Neighbourhood Social Capital and Family Stress on Child Health and Learning Outcomes in Canada”, NLSCY. This project was done under contract to HRDC. A report
was submitted to them in March 2002. Analysis of NLSCY Cycles 1 to 3 in the Statistics Canada Research Data Centre is completed and work continues with the public use files from the same survey.
Contract expiry date: March 31, 2002. (Final Report submitted to HRDC March 31, 2002.)

Project 03-HRD-UTO-0320 – Paul Anisef (PI), Peggy Ng, Francisco Aguirre, “Chapter on Modeling the Educational Planning Process using data from the 1999 SAEP”. SAEP

Project 03-SSH-UTO-0335 – Rena Mendelson, “Mapping the obesogenicity of Canadian Communities”, NLSCY, CCHS 1.1, NPHS. This project is complete.
Contract expiry date: Dec 1, 2005.

Theses and Dissertations: Robert Szyngiel, Master of Spatial Analysis (MSA), Ryerson University, defended February 2007. (The Joint Master's Program in Spatial Analysis is a partnership between Ryerson University and the University of Toronto.)

NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2006
UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007 (1 thesis)

Project 03-SSH-UTO-0341 – Debra Pepler, “The relationship between parenting style and child aggression from a developmental perspective”, NLSCY. Funding from CIHR. This project is in process and has no current output.

Referred article: Yagoubzadeh, Z, Jenkins, J.M. & Pepler, D. Transactional models in the relationship between child behavior and maternal negativity: a 6-year longitudinal study.

NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2004
UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007 (1 article)

Project 03-SSH-UTO-0342 – Curtis Breslin, “Part-time work and adolescents: The moderating effecting of area SES on alcohol use”, CCHS v1.1. Funding/support from the Institute for Work & Health. This project is complete.
Contract expiry date: July 31, 2004. (Report completed for Statistics Canada.)

Referred article: Breslin FC & Adlaf EM. Part-time work and adolescent binge drinking: The moderating effect of family and community context. Journal of Studies on Alcohol ( revise and resubmit)

NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2004
UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005 (1 new refereed article, government report, project complete)

Project 03-BLM-UTO-0351 – Stewart Thornhill, “Strategic Focus and Performance: An Empirical Evaluation of Porter’s Generic Strategies”, WES Employer File. Funding from Garnett Picot, SSHRCC. (Title is revised, original title was “An Empirical Evaluation of Porter's Generic Strategies”. Title is revised again to include Porter's Strategies)
Contract expiry date: Mar 31, 2005.


Note from Torben: This paper has been waiting for the release of the 2001 Census Individual PUMF for completion. That release took place on February 8, 2005 and the paper is now being updated. It will be submitted to a peer-reviewed, scholarly journal within the next week (by February 28, 2005).

UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005 (1 refereed article, 2 conference presentations, report to government)
UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (1 new article)


NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2004
UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005 (1 new refereed article, submitted)
TRANSFERRED TO UWO RDC.

Contract expiry date: Mar 31, 2005.

Refereed article: Stewart Thornhill and Oana Branei. (Submitted) “From Ordinary Resources to Extraordinary Performance: Environmental Moderators of Competitive Advantage”. Journal of Management Studies


NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2004
UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005 (1 new refereed article, 1 conference presentation)
TRANSFERRED TO UWO RDC.

Project 03-SSH-UTO-0367 – Nadine Dechausay, “Ethnocultural Differences in Achievement Motivation: A Canadian Perspective”, NLSCY.
Contract expiry date: March 1, 2005.

UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007 (1 thesis)

This project is contracted by HRDC.
Contract expiry date: June 30, 2007.

Project 03-SSH-UTO-0385 – William Henry Gnam, “The Impact of Mental Disorders and Alcohol Dependence on Labour Market Outcomes”, CCHS 1.2. Funding from the Ontario Mental Health Foundation. This project is in process and has no current output.

Project 03-SSH-UTO-0386 – Michael Hillmer, “Institutional characteristics of long-term care facilities in Canada”, Residential Care Facilities Survey (RCFS). This project is in process and has no current output.


Theses and Dissertations: Koezuka, Naoko. Ethnicity, Acculturation, and Physical Inactivity – A Comparative Study Between East Asian and Caucasian Women in Canada

UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005 (1 thesis, 1 government report)
(Note from Ken: I am submitting this update for Naoko Koezuka, who has now returned to Japan. I served as her M.Sc. thesis supervisor in the Department of Public Health Sciences. I believe she has completed the report to Statistics Canada, although I have not confirmed this with her.)
Project 03-SSH-UTO-0405 – Simone Vigod, “Urinary Incontinence and Depression: Epidemiological Data from Canadian Community Health Survey”, CCHS 1.1.

Project 03-SSH-SWO-0409 – Eleanor Maticka-Tyndale, “Adolescent Sexuality and Sexual Health: Transition into Sexual Adulthood”. NLSCY. THIS PROJECT’S OUTPUT IS COUNTED AT WATERLOO RDC (SWORDC); THE RA WORKS ON IT HERE AT THE TORONTO RDC.

Project 03-SSH-UTO-0415 – Emma Robertson Blackmore, “The Mental Health and Well Being of Working Canadians”, CCHS 1.2. This project is in complete. (Report completed for Statistics Canada)

Contract expiry date: October 31, 2007


- **Media coverage:** Reuters: http://www.reuters.com/article/healthNews/idUSKIM36480420071003


- **Media coverage:** Wedmd.com: http://www.webmd.com/depression/news/20070927/job-stress-may-be-depressing

- **Media coverage:** Financial Post: http://www.financialpost.com/careers/story.html?id=920087


- **Media coverage:** News medical.net: http://www.news-medical.net/?id=30585

**In addition to the interviews above, there were 9 408 other websites that carried the story**

UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007 (3 refereed articles, 2 conference presentations, 1 report to government)

NO FURTHER UPDATE AT DECEMBER 31, 2007

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (7 media coverages, also updated 2 refereed articles “under review”)**

Project 03-SSH-UTO-0425 – Michael Chaiton, “The effectiveness of the heaviness of smoking index as a predictor of smoking cessation in Canada”, NPHS. Funding from CIHR Strategic Training Program in Tobacco Research. This project is complete.

Contract expiry date: March 31, 2005.

- **Refereed article:** Chaiton, M., Bondy, S., Mcdonald, P. Cohen, J. Effectiveness of the Heaviness of Smoking Index as a predictor of smoking cessation in Canada. Addictive Behaviors, 2007 May;32(5):1031-42.


UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (1 article, 1 thesis, 1 conference presentation)

NO FURTHER UPDATE AT DECEMBER 31, 2007
Project 03-BML-UTO-0438 – Anil Verma, “Union and Non-union Differences in Canadian Workplaces”, WES. This project was done out of Ottawa, but is listed at the Toronto RDC.


**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007** (1 book chapter, 1 conference presentation)

Project 03-SSH-UTO-0445 – Kenneth Allison, “The Association between Leisure time Sedentary Activities and Levels of Physical Activity Among Canadian Youth”, CCHS 1.1. Funding from the Heart and Stroke Foundation of Ontario. (Note from Ken: We have a draft paper under internal review among the co-authors: Koezuka, N., Koo, M., Allison, K.R., Adlaf, E.M., Dwyer, J.J.M., and Goodman, J., “The Association between Leisure-time Sedentary Activities and Levels of Physical Activity among Canadian Youth”, to be submitted for peer review in 2005.)

- **Media coverage:** Some media coverage provided for the results – radio programs.

**UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005**

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006** (article already counted now published, 1 report to government)

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007** (article already counted vol & pg info, 2 media coverage)

Project 03-SSH-UTO-0446 – Anne Rhodes (PI), with co-investigators Susan Bondy, Jennifer Bethell, & Paul Links, “Mental Health Service Use for Suicidal Persons in Canada”, CCHS 1.2. This work is supported through a career scientist award from the Ontario Ministry of Health and Long Term Care and the Department of Psychiatry, University of Toronto. This project is complete.

Contract Expiry Date: Feb 1, 2006 *(Report submitted to Statistics Canada)*

- **Refereed article:** Bethell J and Rhodes AE Manuscript ID CJP-2007-050-BC entitled "Subthreshold depression in the suicidal population" ( provisionally accepted by the *Canadian Journal of Psychiatry*, pending revisions)
- **Refereed article:** Rhodes AE, Bethell J Suicidal ideators without major depression –Who are we not reaching? Canadian Journal of Psychiatry 2008 53:2, 125-130
- **Conference presentation:** (poster & paper) Rhodes AE, Bethell J, Bondy SJ. *Age and Mental Health Service Use in Relation to Depression and Suicidality in Canada*. Canadian Association for Suicide Prevention, Ottawa, October 2005.
- **Conference presentation:** (poster & paper) Rhodes AE, Bethell J & Bondy SJ. *Suicidality, Depression and Mental Health Service Use in Canada.* World Psychiatric Association Section of Epidemiology and Public Health Meeting, Brisbane, Australia 5-7 July 2005

- **Conference presentation:** (poster & paper) Rhodes AE, Bethell J, Bondy SJ. *Suicidality and Mental Health Service Use.* Canadian Academy of Psychiatric Epidemiology, Montreal, October 14, 2004.

- **Conference presentation:** (poster & paper) Rhodes AE, Bethell J & Bondy SJ. *Suicidality, Depression and Mental Health Service Use in Canada and Rhodes AE, panel member for Symposium – Risk Factors for Suicide Attempts and Completed Suicide: A population-based and genetic perspective. Canadian Psychiatric Association, 12 November 2006 (Oral)

- **Conference presentation:** (poster) Rhodes AE, Bethell J, Rhodes AE *The diagnostic criteria of major depression in the suicidal population.* The International Association for Suicide Prevention, Killarney, Ireland, 29 August 2007.

- **Conference presentation:** Rhodes AE, Bethell J. *Mental health contacts and the suicidal – who are we not reaching?* The International Association for Suicide Prevention, Killarney, Ireland, 31 August 2007 (Oral).


- **Media Coverage:** Mind Matters – BC’s Mental Health E-News Canadian Mental Health Association – Under ‘New Research’ [http://www.cmha.bc.ca/enews/enewsmart06.htm#R3] Many suicidal People are not getting professional help. Based on above study.


- **Workshops, talks:** Invited Grand Rounds - Depression and suicidality and the use of mental health services in Canada. Department of Psychiatry – Department of Psychiatry, St. Michael’s Hospital and the University of Toronto, 28 April 2006.

- **Workshops, talks:** Invited Lecture/Seminar- Depression and suicidality and the use of mental health services in Canada for Graduate Students and Faculty, Graduate Department of Public Health Sciences, University of Toronto, April 12, 2006

- **Use by government:** Yes, we prepared a report - Rhodes AE & Bethell, J Depression and Suicidality in Ontario. Report prepared for the Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care and the Ontario Mental Health Foundation., 2004.

- **Use by government:** I have spoken with Gayle Vincent and Chris LaForge, Alberta Mental Health Board about prior and ongoing work related to this project. They are currently implementing a suicide prevention strategy in Alberta and therefore, were quite interested in this work

- **Report to government:** Above report submitted to Stats Can.

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006** (1 article, 3 conference presentations, 3 media coverage, 2 talks, 1 use by government, 1 report to government)

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007** (2 articles, 2 conference presentations, 1 use by government)

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007** (3 conference presentations)

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008** (2 articles)

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Project 03-SSH-UTO-0451 – Amy Cheung, “Depression and Suicidality in Youth”, CCHS 1.2. Funding from Ontario Mental Health Foundation/Ministry of Health and Long Term Care (OMHF/MOHLTC).

- **Refereed article:** Cheung A, Dewa C. “Canadian Community Health Survey: Major Depressive Disorder and Suicidality in Adolescents”, Healthcare Policy, 2006 2(2); 76-89.


Conference presentation: Cheung A, Dewa C. “Canadian Community Health Survey: depression and suicidality among adolescents aged 15-18”, November 2006, Poster Presentation, Canadian Psychiatric Association Meeting, Toronto, Canada

Conference presentation: Dewa C. “Canadian Community Health Survey: depression and suicidality among adolescents aged 15-18”, September 2006, Poster Presentation, Canadian Association for Psychiatric Epidemiology, Toronto, Canada

Conference presentation: Dewa C. “Canadian Community Health Survey: depression and suicidality among adolescents aged 15-18”, November 2006, Poster Presentation, Canadian Association for Health Services and Policy Research, Vancouver, Canada


Media coverage: “Depression in Canadian Adolescents”, November 2006, Interview, Vancouver Sun Newspaper, Canada

Media coverage: “Depression in Canadian Adolescents”, November 2006, Interview, Canadian Press, Canada

Media coverage: “Depression in Canadian Adolescents”, November 2006, Interview, Global News, Canada

Media coverage: “Service use by Depressed Adolescents”, April 2007, Interview, Toronto Star, Canada

Media coverage: “Service use by Depressed Adolescents”, April 2007, Interview, Global News, Canada

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (3 articles, 4 conference presentations, 5 media coverages)

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (1 article)


Project 04-SSH-UTO-0472 – Aliyah Agha, “Disordered Eating Among Ontario Adults and Older Adolescents: Prevalence, Co-morbidities, and Healthcare Utilization According to the Canadian Community Health Survey 1.2 - Mental Health and Well-being”. CCHS 1.2.


NO FURTHER UPDATE AT DECEMBER 31, 2007

Project 04-SSH-UTO-0474 – David Streiner, “Psychiatric disorders, associated risk factors and mental health service use among adults aged 55 and older in Canada”. CCHS 1.2. Funding from CIHR. This project is in process and has no current output. (CCHS 1.2 not officially released yet.)


- **Other academic activity related to RDC usage**: (e.g., appointments) Article in non-refereed publication: Tossutti, Livianna S. (Summer 2005) ‘Newcomers, Minorities and Political Participation in Canada’. Canadian Issues/Thèmes Canadiens. Montreal: Association for Canadian Studies.


- **Use by government**: **Professional Services Contract** Elections Canada commissioned me to write a Concept Paper on Ethnocultural Communities, Minorities and Immigrants (January-May 2006). The paper reviews the literature on the voting patterns of minorities and immigrants in Canada and abroad, analyzes new data on their turnout patterns, and reviews the outreach initiatives of Canada, 13 subnational jurisdictions and 11 states. Part of the paper is based on output from the EDS. This analysis is congruent with the original proposal to analyze the EDS, as set out in the SSHRC application. The objective of the Concept Paper is to provide a research base for the agency’s strategic outreach initiatives in these communities. Some of the policy recommendations in the paper are based on the analysis of the EDS (all disclaimers releasing Statistics Canada from responsibility for the policy advice were included in the paper). At the moment, the paper is confidential and for internal use only.

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006** (2 articles, 4 conference presentations, 1 other activity, 1 policy use by government)

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007** (1 conference presentation, 1 report to government)

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**Project 04-SSH-UTO-0490** – Diana Clarke, “The Impact of Ethnicity on Suicidal Behaviours and Mental Health Services Used in Older Adults: A Canadian Perspective”. CCHS 1.1. Funded by the Ministry of Health & Long-term Care through Ontario Mental Health Foundation, and by the Canadian Institute for Health Research through Doctoral Award to the PI.


- **Theses and Dissertations**: Dissertation for Doctor of Philosophy degree in Epidemiology from the Graduate Department of Public Health Sciences, University of Toronto (successfully defended February 14, 2006). Clarke, Diana E. **ETHNIC AND GEOGRAPHIC DIFFERENCES IN SUICIDALITY IN CANADIAN ADULTS: A POPULATION-BASED STUDY**


- **Report to government**: **Research Reports Produced for the Government** Clarke DE, Colantonio A, Rhodes A. Ethnicity, suicidal behaviour and mental health service use in Canadians aged 18 and older. Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care, Ontario, 2005

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006** (1 article, 1 thesis, 3 conference presentations, 1 government report)

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007** (1 article)

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**Project 04-SSH-UTO-0491** – Lynn McDonald, “Health Status Disparities in Canadian Ethnic Elderly (55+ age groups)”. NPHS. Funding from CIHR.
Project 04-SSH-UTO-0492 – Sarah Romans, “Gender Issues in Depression and Anxiety for Canadians less than 65 Years of Age”. CCHS 1.2. Funding from CIHR. This project is in process and has no current output.

UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005 (project begun and in process)

Project 04-SSH-UTO-0493 – Karen Urbanoski, “Assessing the Geo-Spatial Association in Ontario Between the Prevalence of Problem gambling, Treatment availability and Help-Seeking”. CCHS 1.2. Funded by the Ontario Problem Gambling Research Centre. This project is complete.


UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (1 article, 2 conference presentations, 1 other report)

Project 04-SSH-UTO-0500 – Ayal Schaffer, “Gender Differences in Service Utilization and Treatment of Bipolar Disorder”. CCHS 1.2. Funding from Sunny brook & Women's College PEER Grant.

- **Other academic activity:** New Investigator Fellowship (Personal Award), Ontario Mental Health Foundation, 2006-2009: Project title: Treatment Utilization for Bipolar Disorder in the Community: Integration of Clinical and Population Health Approaches.

UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007 (1 conference presentations, 1 other academic activity – new investigator fellowship)

Project 04-SSH-UTO-0511 – Yee Fei Chia, “An Economic Analysis of the Effects of Maternal Employment on Childhood Obesity in Canada”. NLSCY.

Contract expiry date: September 30, 2007. This project is complete.

- **Conference presentation:** (poster & paper) MATERNAL LABOUR SUPPLY AND CHILDHOOD OVERWEIGHT AND OBESITY IN CANADA: EVIDENCE FROM THE NLSCY, 39TH ANNUAL MEETINGS OF THE CANADIAN ECONOMICS ASSOCIATION, MAY 2005.
- **Theses and Dissertations:** Chia, Y.F. (2008) “Essays in Childhood Obesity.” Dissertation for the University of Toronto.
- **Workshops, talks:** Chia, Yee Fei. 2004. “ Maternal Labour Supply and Childhood Overweight and Obesity in Canada: Evidence from the NLSCY”, Graduate Research Seminar, University of Toronto, Toronto.

UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005 (2 talk/workshops)

(Note from Yee Fei: My project at the RDC is part of my work on my PhD. thesis which is currently in progress. The (tentative) working title of my thesis is “An economic analysis of childhood obesity in Canada”.)

UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (1 conference presentation)

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (1 refereed article, 1 dissertation)

- **Theses and Dissertations**: PhD Dissertation: Higher Education Policy, Education Outcomes and Credit Constraints
- **Conference presentation**: (poster & paper) Canadian Economics Association Meetings May 2006
- **Conference presentation**: (poster & paper) Statistics Canada Socio-Economic Conference May 2006
- **Use by a government policy department**: Have discussed the research with officials at Statistics Canada and HRSD

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006** (1 thesis, 3 conference presentations, 1 use by government, 1 Stats Can report)


Project 04-SSH-UTO-0514 – Paulo Pires, “Emotions in Parenting - Links with Impulsivity and Peer Associations and Why Teenagers Use Drugs”. NLSCY. No funding (doctoral dissertation under supervision of Jenny Jenkins). This project is complete. *(Report completed for Statistics Canada.)*

**UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005**
**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006** (1 article, 1 thesis, 1 conference presentation, report to Statistics Canada)
**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007** (1 conference presentation)

Project 04-SSH-UTO-0516 – Anil Verma (PI), Jeffrey Reitz and Rupa Banerjee, “The Career Progression of Immigrants Women, and Visible Minorities in Canada Labour Market”. SLID. This project is funded by SSHRC. Contract expiry date: September 30, 2008.
- **Refereed article**: Banerjee, R. “Immigrants’ Career Progression in Canada: Evidence from the SLID.” Under Review at Relations industrielles/Industrial Relations.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007** (1 article, 1 thesis)
**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008** (1 conference presentation)

Project 04-SSH-UTO-0517 – Carolyn Dewa, “Psychiatric Disability and Work”. CCHS 1.2. Funding from CIHR #119667.

Project 04-SSH-UTO-0527 – Reza Nakhaie, “Social Capital and Social Outcomes”. CCHS1.1; GSS 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15; NSGVP, SHS; YITS; SLID; NLSCY; EDS. Contract expiry date: December 31, 2006.

Project 04-HRD-UTO-0529 – Morley Gunderson, “Profiles of Non-senior Adults with Long-term Disabilities Reliant Upon Canada Pension Plan Disability Benefits, Social Assistance, Workers’ Compensation and/or the Disability Income Tax Credit”. SLID, PALS. Funding from HRCD, SDC. This project is complete.

**NO FURTHER UPDATE AT FEBRUARY 18, 2005**

UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (1 report to government)
NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2007

Project 04-SSH-UTO-0547 – Richard Gilbert, “Transportation and Body Weight in Children”. NLSCY.
Contract expiry date: April 30, 2005.

Contract expiry date: September 30, 2005.


-Conference presentation: Canadian Ethnic Studies Association Biennial Conference, “Toward Social Justice: Illusions, Realities, Possibilities, Ottawa October 13-16, 2005; Plenary session on “Social Trends and Social Justice, with four papers:

-“Cohesion, Threat and Ethnocultural Identity” Karen K. Dion (psychology) and Mai Phan (sociology)
-“Testing Models of Diversity in Canada and the Effects of Discrimination on Modes of Attachment” Mai Phan and Raymond Breton (sociology)
-“Perceived Discrimination as Mediating between Diversity and Cohesion” Kenneth L. Dion, Karen K. Dion (psychology) and Rupa Banerjee (industrial relations)
-“Economic Disadvantage and Attachments to Canada among Racial Minorities” Jeffrey G. Reitz (sociology) and Rupa Banerjee (industrial relations)


-Jeffrey G. Reitz, Diversity, Inequality, and the Cohesion of Canadian Society: Research Findings and Policy Implications


-Conference presentation: Reitz, Jeffrey G. “The social integration of second generation visible minorities in Canada” Global Series, panel "Multiculturalism, Immigration and Social Integration" on Saturday, March 24, 2007, Fairmont Royal York Hotel, session chaired by Theda Skoepol.


Media Coverage: IRPP conference paper received extensive coverage in the media –

-a front-page *Globe and Mail* article
-an op-ed item in the *Star*, and
-a major article by Allen Gregg in *Walrus*

Media Coverage: Marina Jimenez, *Globe and Mail*, re: IRPP study on visible minorities, appeared as headline article, January 12, 2007; follow-up:

Media Coverage: TVO *Agenda* (Steve Paiken), Munk Centre broadcast, Thursday Jan. 18, panel discussion of study with John Ibbitson, Margaret Wente;

Media Coverage: CFRB, Bill Carroll – on air;

Media Coverage: Radio Canada International, Lynn Desjardin – on air;
Media Coverage: CHML (Hamilton), Roy Green – on air;
Media Coverage: 640 News Radio (Toronto), “John Oakley morning show” – on air;
Media Coverage: 640 News Radio (Toronto), Brian Calhoun – on air;
Media Coverage: Radio Canada (Montreal) Christian Noel – on air;
Media Coverage: News889 Maritimes (St. John New Brunswick), Trish Hamilton – on air;
Media Coverage: CTV NewsNet, Ivy Mak, Business Producer – on air;
Media Coverage: La Presse, Montreal, Louise Leduc;
Media Coverage: Maclean’s, John Geddes, Ottawa Bureau Chief;
Media Coverage: Hamilton Spectator, Carmela Fragonni;
Media Coverage: CKLW Windsor, Ron Stang;
Media Coverage: OMNI- TV, Jennifer Singh – on camera;
Media Coverage: Sun Newspapers, Vivian Song;
Media Coverage: CBC Newsworld, Marivel Taruc;
Media Coverage: CHQR Calgary, “The Rutherford Show,” Dave Rutherford(Kelsey Hough) – on air, plus call-in responses;
Media Coverage: CHQR Calgary, “The World Tonight,” with host Rob Breakenridge;
Media Coverage: CKLW Windsor;
Media Coverage: CKNW Vancouver, Michael Smith;
Media Coverage: CJOB, Winnipeg, Geoff Currier, Host: Nighthawk;
Media Coverage: 940 Montreal News;
Media Coverage: 570News Kitchener, Jeff Allen – on air;
Media Coverage: Omid Ghoreishi, The Epoch Times (Edmonton/Canada Office);

UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (5 conference presentations, 3 media coverage)
UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007 (1 book, 1 book chapter, 3 conference presentations, 26 media coverage)

Project 04-SSH-UTO-0560-S001 – Rupa Banerjee (PI) and Jeffrey Reitz, “Perceived Discrimination in Canadian Workplaces”, EDS.
Contract expiry date: March 1, 2008.

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (1 article, 1 thesis)

Project 04-SSH-UTO-0561 – Ida Berger, “Ethnicity, Voluntary Behaviour and Social Integration”. EDS, NSGVP, and LSIC. Funding from SSHRC and from Ryerson University.
- **Media Coverage:** Numerous newspaper article consultations.

**UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005 (Conference submission)**
(Note from Ida: Getting output vetted for this project has become so cumbersome as to make it virtually impossible to make progress.)

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (3 new conference presentations)**

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007 (1 article, 2 workshop/talks, 3 media coverage)**

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (1 organize workshop/talk)**


- **Project 04-SSH-UTO-0586** – Laurie Corna (PI), Peggy McDonough (Public Health Sciences, University of Toronto), John Cairney (CAMH/UoT), “Childhood Trauma and Psychological Well-being in Older Adults”. NPHS. Contract expiry date: October 31, 2005. This project has no current output.
  - **Conference presentation:** Corna LM, McDonough P, Cairney J. Childhood Trauma, the Stress Process and Mental Health Among Older Adults.” Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting, Orlando, FL., November 20th, 2005.


- **Project 04-SSH-UTO-0591** – Lana Stermac (PI), Giannetta Delbove, Hester Dunlap and Susan Elgie, “Academic Achievement and Access to Higher Education Among Recent Immigrant and Refugee Youth”. YITS. This project is funded by SSHRC. Contract expiry date: May 31, 2006. Extended to January 31, 2009.
  - **Refereed Article:** Stermac, L. “Educational Experiences and Achievements of War-Zone Immigrant Students in Canada.” (completed and submitted)
  - **Refereed Article:** Stermac, L. “Educational Transitions among War-Zone Immigrant Students.” (in progress)
  - **Conference presentation:** Stermac, L. Posttraumatic Growth among Survivors of War-zone Trauma. The Norwegian University of Science and Technology, Trondheim, Norway, April, 2007.
  - **Conference presentation:** Stermac, L. Educational Outcomes among War-zone Immigrant Youth. The Norwegian University of Science and Technology, Trondheim, Norway, April, 2007.
  - **Conference presentation:** Stermac, L., & Dunlap, H. The psychoeducational experiences of war-zone immigrant youth in Canada. Annual meeting of the Canadian Psychological Association, Montreal, June 2005.
  - **Conference presentation:** Stermac, L., & Dunlap, H. Academic transition and achievement among immigrant students. Multicultural Days Conference, Brock University, St. Catharines, June 2005.
  - **Workshop/Talk:** Stermac, L. (Chair). Psychological well-being in the aftermath of trauma. Annual meeting of the Canadian Psychological Association, Montreal, June 2005.
Project 04-SSH-UTO-0592 – Gueorgui Kambourov, “The Impact of an Aging Workforce on the Skill Distribution and Technology Adoption in Canada”. SLID.
Contract expiry date: April 30, 2006. (Report completed for Stats Canada)

Project 04-SSH-UTO-0606 – Lisa Kaida, “Employment Patterns of Foreign Trained Engineers in Canada”. LSIC.
Contract expiry date: September 30, 2005.
- Refereed article: Kaida, L. Untangling Credential Recognition Barriers and Language Barriers: Labour Market Experience of Foreign-Trained Engineers in Canada. (under review)

Project 04-SSH-UTO-0610 – Silvia Bernardini, “The Unique Influence of Older Sibling's Aggression on a Change in Younger Sibling's Aggression Over Time”. NLSKY.
- Theses and Dissertations: Silvia Bernardini 2004 (Ph D): The unique independent influence of older siblings’ aggression in younger children. University of Toronto (Jenny Jenkins, supervisor)

Contract expiry date: January 30, 2006.

Project 04-SSH-UTO-0616 – Adonis Yatchew, “Household Gasoline Demand in Canada”. NPVUS.
Contract expiry date: July 31, 2006. This project has not begun and has no current output.

Project 04-SSH-UTO-0618 – Karen Urbanoski, “Concurrent Substance Use and Mental Disorders in Canada: Prevalence and Impact on Service Use”. CCHS 1.2. Funded by CIHR.
Contract expiry date: July 31, 2005. This project is complete.


- **Conference presentation:** (poster & paper) Urbanoski, K. Comorbidity and use of mental health care services. 31st Annual Harvey Stancer Research Day, Department of Psychiatry, University of Toronto, Toronto ON, June 16, 2005. (Oral presentation).


- **Conference presentation:** Urbanoski, K., Rush, B., Cairney, J. Perceived unmet need for mental health care among Canadians with co-occurring substance dependence and mental illness. Canadian Academy of Psychiatric Epidemiology 2006 conference. Toronto, ON, November 9th, 2006. (Poster session).


- **Conference presentation:** Urbanoski, K., Rush, B., Cairney, J. Perceived unmet need for mental health care among Canadians with co-occurring substance dependence and mental illness. College of Problems on Drug Dependence, 69th Annual Meeting, June 16-21, 2007, Quebec City, QC. (Oral presentation).

- **Workshops, talks:** Rush, B. An Overview Of the Prevalence Of Psychiatric And Substance Abuse Co-Morbidity In Canada. Addiction Rounds, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health, March 10, 2006.

- **Workshops, talks:** Rush, B. Integration of Mental Health, Substance Abuse and Primary Care Services – North Shore Vancouver, Kelowna and the Yukon Territory. National Primary Care Transition Fund Project, Mental Health Evaluation and Community Consultation Unit (Mheccu), University of British Columbia, 2005 – 2006.


- **Workshops, talks:** Rush, B.R. Three part training workshop on concurrent substance use and mental disorders: (1) CD: Why this is so important? (2) System-level challenges and solutions (3) Screening for CD: Rationale, challenges and solutions. Presented at the 2nd Annual Training Institute on Addictions, co-sponsored by the Addictions research centre and the Canadian Centre on Substance Abuse, Montague, P.E.I. July 13-16, 2004.


- **Media Coverage:** Moderation, thy name is Toronto. Toronto Star, August 22, 2007

- **Media Coverage:** Substance abuse problems higher in western, Atlantic provinces. Canada News Service, August 22, 2007

- **Media Coverage:** Des Torontois fort sages. Radio-Canada, August 14, 2007

- **Media Coverage:** Sask. Leads the country. Regina Leader-Post, August 24, 2007

- **Media Coverage:** BC residents abuse drugs, alcohol more than national average. Vancouver Sun, August 22, 2007

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006** (4 articles, 5 conference presentations, 4 workshops, 1 media coverage)

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007** (1 articles, 6 conference presentations, 5 media coverages)

Project 04-SSH-UTO-0626 – Miana Plesca, “What are the determinants of Training in Canada and How Well do We Measure Returns?”. AETS.

Contract expiry date: October 31, 2006 (Report Completed for Stats Canada)

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007

Project 04-SSH-UTO-0628 – Cameron Mustard, “Socioeconomic status, labour market experiences, health behaviours and measures of health status in the Canadian Population”. NLSCY, NPHS, SLID, CCHS 1.1, CCHS 1.2.

- Contract expiry date: October 31, 2006. This project is in process. Under the terms of our contract with the Health Statistics Division, we provide regular updates of the reports and articles produced from the Statistics Canada surveys.
- Media Coverage: Smith, P. M. Underemployed grads health suffers. Metro newspaper, Wednesday September 14th, 2005

UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005 (1 refereed article, 1 talk)
UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (1 book chapter, 2 new articles, 8 conference presentations, 2 media coverage)

Project 04-SSH-UTO-0629 – Cameron Mustard, “Non-standard and Contingent Work Experiences and their Impact on Health”. NPHS, SLID, WES.

Contract expiry date: October 31, 2006. This project is in process.


**UPDATED FEBRUARY 18, 2005** (1 book chapter, 4 refereed articles, 2 conference presentations)

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006** (1 new book chapter, 2 new articles, 2 working papers, 1 thesis, 10 new conference presentations)

**Project 04-SSH-UTO-0630** – Cameron Mustard, “Functional Impairment, Disability and the Use of Health Services among Labour Force Participants”. NPHS, SLID, CCHS 1.1, HALS PALS.

Contract expiry date: October 31, 2006. This project is in process and has no current output.

**NO FURTHER UPDATE AT FEBRUARY 18, 2005**

**Project 04-SSH-UTO-0635** – Nancy Cohen, “A Longitudinal Study of Children Enrolled in Early Intervention and Prevention: A National Perspective”. NLSCY.

**Project 04-SSH-UTO-0636** – Ayal Schaffer, “Gender Differences in Disability and Psychological Well-being among Individuals with Bipolar Disorder”. CCHS 1.2.

Contract expiry date: October 31, 2006. This project is in process.


- **Conference presentation**: (poster & paper) Schaffer A, Cairney J, Cheung A, Veldhuizen S, Levitt A. Gender Differences in Service Utilization and Treatment for Bipolar Disorder. 6th International Conference on Bipolar Disorder, June 2005, Pittsburgh, United States


- **Other academic activity related to RDC usage**: (e.g., appointments) Received an Ontario Mental Health Foundation New Investigator Fellowship to continue population health research

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006** (2 articles, 3 conference presentations, 1 other activity)


Contract expiry date: June 30, 2006.
Contract expiry date: December 31, 2006.

Contract expiry date: October 31, 2006. This project is in process.


UPDated February 18, 2005 (1 refereed article)
UPDated April 30, 2006 (5 new articles, 3 conference presentations)
UPDated December 31, 2007 (2 conference presentations)

Project 04-SSH-UTO-0644 – Cameron Mustard, “Work Related Determinants of Health Among Young Canadians, Using NLSCY, CCHS, NPHS, SLID, WES, and YITS”. NLSCY, NPHS, SLID, WES, YITS, CCHS 1.1.
Contract expiry date: October 31, 2006. This project is in process.


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**NO FURTHER UPDATE AT FEBRUARY 18, 2005**

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (5 articles, 2 Conference presentation, 1 workshop, 1 other activity)**

**Project 04-SSH-UTO-0646** – Graham Bean, “Risk Factors Associated with Binge Eating and Purging in 12 and 13 Year Old Girls”. NLSCY.

Contract expiry date: January 31, 2006.

- **Theses and Dissertations**: Graham Bean 2005 (Ph D): Risk factors for binge-eating and purging in 12 and 13 year old girls. University of Toronto

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007 (1 thesis)**

**Project 04-SSH-UTO-0648** – Amber Bielecky (PI), Dr. Cameron Mustard and Dr. William Gnam, “The Higher Prevalence of Major Depressive Disorder Observed in Lower Socioeconomic Status Groups: A Result of Incidence, Duration or Recurrence?”. CCHS 1.2.

Contract expiry date: January 31, 2007, extended to January 31, 2008. This project is in process.


**NO FURTHER UPDATE AT FEBRUARY 18, 2005**

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (2 Conference presentation)**

**NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2007**

**Project 04-SSH-UTO-0649** – Morley Gunderson, “Determinants of Retiring Due to Mandatory Retirement”. GSS cycle 16. Funding from HRSDC-IC-SSHRC.

Contract expiry date: April 31, 2006. This project is complete.

- **Workshops, talks**: “The Costs and Benefits of Aging and Retirement to Firms”. Presentation made at the workshop on “The Labour Market and Skills Implications of Population Aging in Canada” January 27th, 2006, at the Outaouais Room of the Conference Centre in Phase IV, Place du Portage, Gatineau, Quebec.

- **Report to Governments**: COSTS AND BENEFITS OF WORKFORCE AGING AND RETIREMENT TO FIRMS (a report presented to HRSDC, June 2005).

- **Use by Government**: Used by Human Resources Skills Development Canada

- **Other activity**: This study was used as the background information for a panel (Expert Panel on Older Workers), a roundtable (Experts Roundtable on Older Workers, Commission in Montreal, May 3, 2007), a report (“Incentive Effects of Occupational Pension Plans” for the Ontario Pension Commission), and a chapter (“Mandatory Retirement: Not as Simple as it Seems,” In Times Up: Mandatory Retirement in Canada. Edited by T. Gillen, T. Klassen and D. MacGregor. Lorimer Press, 2005, pp. 139-160, with Doug Hyatt). It was also used as a springboard for another paper “Preferred Retirement Age and Retiring Due to Mandatory Retirement: Inter-temporal Comparisons Using The 1994 and 2004 GSS.” By Rafael Gomez (Department of Economics, Glendon College, York University; Department of Management, London School of Economics), and Morley Gunderson (CIBC Chair of Youth Employment, Centre for Industrial Relations and Human Resources, and Department of Economics, University of Toronto).

**NO FURTHER UPDATE AT FEBRUARY 18, 2005**

(Suggestion from Morley: Your outputs do not list a report as the forum. We envisage writing a report for Social Development Canada on the project. How would we list it? In the future you may want to add Reports/ Monographs to the research accomplishments section.)

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (1 workshop, 1 report to government, 1 use by government)**
Project 04-SSH-UTO-0650 – Robert Mann, “Seniors and gambling: Sociodemographic and mental health factors associated with problem gambling in older adults in Ontario”. PI has not started project yet.

Project 04-SSH-SWO-0652 – Michael Hoy (PI), Louis Christofides, Department of Economics, Cyprus University; Ling Yang, Department of Economics, University of Guelph, “Accessibility Issues for Post-Secondary Education in Canada”. LFS, SCF, SLID -- SPONSOR(S): SSHRCC

Contract expiry date: January 31, 2007, extended to October 31, 2007. This project is in process.

- Theses and Dissertations: Resampling Methods in Economics, by Ling Yang
- Media Coverage: Several interviews on radio and also several articles in newspapers (picked up from CanWest (e.g., Time Colonist, Nov. 24, 2006; National Post, Nov. 24, 2006)

UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007 (1 thesis, 2 conference presentations, 2 working papers, 4 media coverage)
NO FURTHER UPDATE AT DECEMBER 31, 2007

Project 04-SSH-UTO-0657 – John Cairney, “Mental Health Care Use Among Single and Married Mothers”. CCHS 1.2.

Contract expiry date: March 1, 2007.


Contract expiry date: August 31, 2006.

- Workshop, talks: O’Brien-Pallas, L., & Tomblin Murphy, G. (June 19, 2007). Staying, Going, Gone. The Perceptions of Late Career Nurses and Nurses who have left Practice. Nursing Health Services Research Forum, Ministry of Health and Long Term Care, Toronto, ON.
- Full year graduate course: Patient Information/Workload Measurement Systems, Nurse 1061
- Other academic activity: Research Consultations (2007, Ongoing) The Association for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ) expert review of a synthesis paper which introduces new and creative ways to conduct synthesis and an expert review of nurse staffing and quality care.
- **Other academic activity:** Research Consultations (2007, Ongoing) Evaluation of Healthy Work Environments Best Practice Guidelines Project. RNAO, Toronto.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007** (1 refereed article, 4 Conference presentation, 3 organize workshops, 1 graduate course, 2 other academic activities)


- **Conference presentation:** (poster & paper) Chan, Winnie P.C. “School Choice and Student Achievement: Evidence from a Major Education Reform in Ontario.” Canadian Economic Association Meetings, Montreal Quebec, May 2006. A set of preliminary regression results from the project was incorporated into this conference presentation.

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006** (1 conference presentation)

**PROJECT 04-SSH-UTO-0690** – Monica Boyd (PI), Lisa Kaida and Diana Worts, “Whom do they marry? Marriage Patterns of Immigrant Offspring in Canada”. EDS.

Contract expiry date: March 31, 2007.


**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007** (2 conference presentations)


**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007** (5 conference presentations)


Contract expiry date: June 1, 2006. Note from Kathryn: I intend to do more media level dissemination once the refereed article is published.


- **Use by a government policy department**: As a member of the Ontario Accessibility Standards Advisory Committee, I have shared this information with the Accessibility Directory of Ontario on an informal basis and will be continuing to do so. I have also brought the results to the attention of health promotion agencies that do not provide accessibility to deaf Canadians.

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006** (1 conference presentation)
**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007** (3 conference presentations, 1 government use)
**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007** (2 articles)
**UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009** (2 conference presentations)

**Project 04-SSH-UTO-0700** – Sharon Kirkpatrick, “The Dynamics and Determinants of Household Food Expenditures”. SHS. This project is funded by SSHRC.

Contract expiry date: December 31, 2006. This project is complete.


- **Theses and Dissertations**: S Kirkpatrick. Household food insecurity in Canada: an examination of nutrition implications and factors associated with vulnerability. PhD Dissertation. Department of Nutritional Sciences, Faculty of Medicine, University of Toronto. 2008.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007** (1 article, 2 conference presentations)
**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008** (1 dissertation)

**Project 04-SSH-UTO-0710** – Laurie Ricciuto, “The economics of food choice among Canadian households: An analysis of income and price effects”. All output was based on the public datafile for FOODEX, 2001.

Contract expiry date: September 30, 2006. This project is complete.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007** (project complete, no output)

**Project 04-SSH-UTO-0728** – Sarah Dryden-Peterson, “Canada as Host to the World: Building and Sustaining Relationships Between Newcomers and Long-Time Residents”. LSIC.

Funding: John Willett, Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard Graduate School of Education

Contract expiry date: July 31, 2006, extended to February 28, 2007. This project is in process.

- **Refereed article**: (under review) Social Networks and the Hidden Job Market: The Role of Bridging Social Capital in the Integration of Highly-Skilled Newcomers in Canada

- **Theses and Dissertations**: Qualifying Paper (Harvard Graduate School of Education): Social Networks and the Hidden Job Market: The Role of Bridging Social Capital in the Integration of Highly-Skilled Newcomers in Canada

- **Conference presentation**: (poster & paper) Building Welcoming Communities: Opportunities and Challenges. 9th National Metropolis Conference, March 2007, Toronto, Canada.


- **Use by government**: Citizenship and Immigration Canada’s Host Program has requested copies of the research.

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007** (1 article, 1 thesis, 3 conference presentations, 1 use by government)

**NO FURTHER UPDATE AT DECEMBER 31, 2007**

**Project 05-HRD-UTO-0719** – George Frempong, “Improving Reading Skills: Policy Sensitive Non-School and Family Factors”. PISA, YITS.

Contract expiry date: November 30, 2005.

**Project 05-SSH-BCI-0755** – Kevin Milligan (PI), Michael Baker, “Parental Leave, Mother’s Labour Supply and the Outcomes of Canadian Children”. NLSCY.

Contract expiry date: December 31, 2010. This project is in process.


- **Conference Presentation**: Kevin Milligan, “Learning about child development, one labour market policy at a time”, Canadian Economics Association Annual Meetings, Halifax NS, June 2007, oral presentation, invited State of the Art Lecture

- **Conference Presentation**: Kevin Milligan, “Maternal employment, breastfeeding and health: evidence from maternity leave mandates” Department of Economics, University of Rochester, Rochester NY, October 2007

- **Conference Presentation**: Kevin Milligan, “Learning about child development, one labour market policy at a time”, Department of Economics, University of Guelph, Guelph ON, December 2007.

- **Conference Presentation**: Kevin Milligan, “Maternal employment, breastfeeding and health: evidence from maternity leave mandates” Department of Economics, University of Guelph, Guelph ON, December 2007

- **Conference Presentation**: Michael Baker. “Evidence from maternity leave expansions of the impact of maternal care on early child development”, Australian National University, Canberra ACT, March 2008

- **Conference Presentation**: Michael Baker. “Evidence from maternity leave expansions of the impact of maternal care on early child development”, University of Sydney, Sydney NSW, March 2008

- **Conference Presentation**: Michael Baker. “Evidence from maternity leave expansions of the impact of maternal care on early child development”, University of New South Wales, Sydney NSW, March 2008


- **Conference Presentation**: Michael Baker. “Evidence from maternity leave expansions of the impact of maternal care on early child development” University of Ottawa, Ottawa ON, May 2008

- **Conference Presentation**: Michael Baker. “Evidence from maternity leave expansions of the impact of maternal care on early child development”, Workshop “The Effect of Parental Workforce Participation on Children” sponsored by the Norwegian Research Council, Stavanger Norway, June 2008

- **Conference Presentation**: Michael Baker. “Evidence from maternity leave expansions of the impact of maternal care on early child development”, CLSRN Annual Conference, Vancouver B.C., June 2008

- **Conference Presentation**: Michael Baker. “Evidence from maternity leave expansions of the impact of maternal care on early child development” University of Calgary, Calgary AB, November 2008

- **Workshops, talks**: National Bureau of Economic research (July 2006)

- **Workshops, talks**: UC Davis (October 2006)

- **Workshops, talks**: Rand Corporation (November 2006)


Report to policy group: Presentation to the Australian Treasury of research on childcare and maternity leaves, Canberra ACT, February 2008.

Report to policy group: Presentation to the Australian Federal Productivity Commission of research on childcare and maternity leaves, Canberra ACT, March 2008.

Updated April 30, 2007 (3 talks, 1 working paper)
Updated December 31, 2007 (6 conference presentations, 1 working paper, 1 media coverage)
Updated December 31, 2008 (1 article, 8 conference presentations, 1 reports to policy groups)

Project 05-SSH-U TO-0740 – Andrea Noack, “Regulating Adolescence through National Surveys”. NLSCY.
Contract expiry date: December 31, 2008. This project is complete.


Updated December 31, 2008 (1 dissertation)

Project 05-SSH-U TO-0763 – Elizabeth Griffiths (PI), and Carolyn Yule, “The Multilevel effects of Female-Headed households on Women’s Victimization Experiences”. GSS cycle 13. Funded by the National Consortium on Violence Research (NCOVR) at Carnegie Mellon University.
Contract expiry date: July 31, 2006; extended to February 28, 2008. This project is complete.


(Comment: The bulk of the data analyses were completed in the summer of 2005. Elizabeth began at faculty position at Emory University in Atlanta in September 2005, which has slowed the completion of our project considerably. We anticipate completing our final models over the next 2-3 months, after which we intend to submit a report to Statistics Canada as well as a journal article for publication.)
Updated April 30, 2006 (1 conference presentation)
Updated April 30, 2007 (1 refereed article)
Updated March 31, 2009 (1 refereed article)

Project 05-SSH-BCI-0778 – Gordon Cleveland, “Socioeconomic, Demographic and Time trends in Canadian Child Care”. NLSCY (Originally from UBC)


Updated December 31, 2007 (1 refereed article, 1 conference presentation)


Updated December 31, 2007 (2 articles, 1 conference presentation)

No further update at December 31, 2008

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (1 refereed article, 1 government report)**

NO FURTHER UPDATE AT DECEMBER 31, 2008

Contract expiry date: December 30, 2005.

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (1 thesis)**

Contract expiry date: July 31, 2008. This project is in process.
- **Conference presentation:** (poster & paper) -- Canadian Economics Association (May 2006)

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (1 conference presentation)**

Project 05-SSH-UTO-0817 – Judith Fisher, “Profiles and Patterns of Medication Use among Older Adults with Osteoarthritis”. NPHS
SPONSOR(S): Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences, University of Toronto
Contract expiry date: August 31, 2008. This project is in process and has no current output.
- **Conference presentation:** (poster & paper) Recent Patterns of Medication Use Among Community Dwelling Elderly: Focus on Quantity and Type. Poster presentation to Canadian Association of Population Therapeutics Annual Meetings, Toronto, Ontario., May 10-13, 2006 (with Judith Fisher).

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (2 articles, 1 conference presentation, 1 course material)**

Project 05-SSH-OTT-0848 - Kevin Pottie (PI), Edward Ng (Stats Canada), Denise Spitzer (Anthropology, University of Ottawa) and Richard Glazier (Department of Family Medicine, UofT), “Examining Links between Health Determinants, Immigrant Subgroups and Disparities in Health Service Access and Utilization: Longitudinal Survey of Immigrants to Canada”, LSIC.
Contract expiry date: November 30, 2006

- **Conference presentation:** Pottie K, Spitzer D, Ng, E, Glazier R. “Relationship between Language Proficiency and Self-Reported Health: Longitudinal Survey of Immigrants to Canada.” *TUTOR-PHC Alumni Knowledge Translation and Networking Symposium*, King City, Ontario. May 2007

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (1 article, 2 conference presentations)**

**Project 05-SSH-UTO-0852** – Tahany M. Gadalla, “Ethnic group membership and eating disorders”. CCHS 1.2
Contract expiry date: November 30, 2006. This project is in process and has no current output.

Contract expiry date: December 31, 2007. This project is in process and has no current output counted.
(Currently, from this project we have one journal article in its final stages. Additionally, our work based on the PALS has had to be put on hold temporarily due to the problems with the PALS dataset experienced at the RDC.)

**Project 05-SSH-UTO-0856** – Marcia Rioux, “The Landscape of Canadian Literacy and Disability”. Census, IALS, NPHS, PALS - SPONSOR(S): National Literacy Secretariat
Contract expiry date: May 31, 2007. This project is in process and has no current output.

**Project 05-SSH-UTO-0859** – Mark Stabile, “Double Jeopardy: The Consequences of Mental Health Disorders for Educational Attainment Among Low-SES Children”. NILCY.
Contract expiry date: December 31, 2009; This project is in process.
  - **Conference presentation:** Mark Stabile. National Bureau of Economic Research Children Program Meetings, April 2007

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (2 articles, 1 conference presentation)**

**Project 05-SSH-SWO-0902** - Paula Brauer (PI) and Asha Sheikh (University of Guelph), “Incident Depression and Type 2 Diabetes: an exploratory study using the National Population Health Survey 1994-2002”, NPHS.
Contract expiry date: June 30, 2008. This project is complete.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007**

**Project 05-SSH-BCI-0903** – Xueda Song (PI), Craig Riddell (Department of Economics, University of British Columbia) “Determinants and Impacts of Technology Adoption: Evidence from the Workplace and Employee Survey,” WES. This project is funded by SSHRC.
Contract expiry date: December 31, 2008.
  - **Conference presentation:** (poster & paper) Xueda Song, “The Effects of Education on Technology Adoption: Evidence from the Workplace and Employee Survey” *International Conference for Panel Data Analyses: Employment and Quality of Life*, Seoul, Korea, October 2007

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (1 conference presentation, 1 working paper)**

**Project 05-SSH-UTO-0904** – Flora Matheson (PI), Department of Public Health Sciences and Centre for Research on Inner City Health, St. Michael's Hospital; Dr. Richard H. Glazier, 1,3,4 Dr. Rahim Moineddin, 1,4 Dr. Jim Dunn 2,3 Piotr Gozdyr 3,4 Maria Isabella Creatore 1 Heather White 3,4
1Department of Family and Community Medicine, University of Toronto
Structural stress and gender differences in psychiatric and physical health. CCHS 1.1 & 2.1 and Census.

Grant: Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council

Contract expiry date: December 31, 2008. This project is in process.


- Flora I. Matheson, “Perspectives on Gender, Neighbourhood Chronic Stress and Health,” Women’s Health Research in Progress Round, Cumming Auditorium, Women’s College Hospital, February 7th, 2007.


UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (2 articles, 1 workshop, 1 abstract)

UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007 (2 articles, 2 conference presentations, 1 workshop/talk)

Project 05-SSH-BCI-0907 – Lyn Sibley, “Determinants of health care services utilization in rural Canada”. CCHS 2.1 SPONSOR(S): CIHR Doctoral Research Award

Contract expiry date: May 31, 2008. This project is complete.


- Refereed article: Sibley LM, Weiner J. The impact of place of residence on access to health care: An analysis along the rural-urban continuum within the Canadian Provinces. Social Science & Medicine. (submitted)


- Refereed Article: Sibley LM, Weiner J. The impact of place of residence on access to health care: An analysis along the rural-urban continuum within the Canadian Provinces. BMC Health Services Research. (submitted)


- Conference presentation: Sibley LM. Place of residence as a determinant of access to health care services in Canada. Academy Health Annual Research Meeting, Orlando FL: June 2007.

- Conference presentation: Sibley LM. The role of physician supply in determining health care services utilization along the continuum of rurality/urbanicity in Canada. Academy Health Annual Research Meeting, Seattle WA: June 2006.


**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007** (2 articles, 4 conference presentations, 1 thesis)

**UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009** (2 refereed articles)

**Project 05-SSH-UTO-0912** – Monica Boyd, “Patterns of Union Formation by Generation: Immigrants and their Offspring”. GSS cycle 15.

  Contract expiry date: March 1st, 2008. This project is in process.

  - **Conference presentation**: (poster & paper) To Wed or to Bed? Patterns of first union formation across immigrant generations, to be presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Sociology and Anthropology Association, York University, May 31-June, 2006

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006** (1 conference presentation)

**NO FURTHER UPDATE AT APRIL 30, 2007**

**NO FURTHER UPDATE AT DECEMBER 31, 2007**

**Project 05-SSH-UTO-0913** – Robert Mann, “Determinants of Receipt of a Formal Performance Appraisal”. WES - Contract expiry date: January 31, 2007. This project is in process and has no current output.

**Project 05-SSH-UTO-0917** – Heather White (PI), Dr. Alison K. Macpherson. School of Kinesiology and Health Science, York University, “Regional Variation in Childhood Injury : The Sensitivity of NACRS in Determining Population Childhood Injury Rates”. NPHS (cycle 5), NLSCY (cycle 5)

  Contract expiry date: August 31, 2007. This project is complete. *(Report has been submitted to Statistics Canada.)*


  - **Other Academic Activity**: Hired as a Research Assistant for another project occurring out of the Toronto RDC.

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007** (1 article, 1 thesis, 1 conf. presentation, 1 other activity, 1 report to government)

**Project 05-SSH-UTO-0918** – Rena Mendelson (PI), Heather Ward, research Assistant Nutritional Sciences, Valerie Tarasuk, Professor, Nutritional sciences (UofT), “Nutrient Intake of Canadians: An investigation of the relative impact of structural vs behavioural determinants of obesity”. CCHS 2.2

  Contract expiry date: January 31, 2008. This project is complete.


**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007** (1 article)

**Project 05-SSH-UTO-0919** – Yee Fei Chia (PI), Mark Stabile, “An Economic Analysis of the Effects of Childhood Obesity on Child Outcomes in Canada”. NLSCY.

  Contract expiry date: October 31, 2009. This project is in process.


**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008** (1 refereed article, 1 dissertation)

**Project 05-SSH-UTO-0924** – John Cairney, “Psychological Impact of Hearing Impairment in Older Adults”. CCHS1.1. NPHS - SPONSOR(S): SSHRC

  Contract expiry date: December 31, 2008. This project is complete.


**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (3 conference presentations)**
**UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009 (2 refereed articles)**


**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (1 conference presentation)**
**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (1 refereed article)**
**UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009 (1 refereed article)**


- **Theses and Dissertations**: McMahon, M., “Obesity and Health Services Utilisation in Canada” A thesis in conformity with the requirements for the Degree of Master of Science Graduate Department of Health Policy, Management and Evaluation University of Toronto.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (1 thesis)**


**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007 (1 thesis)**


**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (1 thesis)**

**Project 06-SSH-UETO-1022** – Paul Fleiszer “Prevalence of selected developmental, behavioural, and health outcomes of Toronto’s young children and the relationship of sociodemographic, parental/family and neighbourhood characteristics”, NLSCY (cycles 3-6). Contract expiry date: February 29, 2008. This project is in process.


**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007 (1 working paper)**
Project 06-SSH-UTO-1023 – Shilpa Dogra (PI), Dr Joseph Baker and Dr Christopher Ardern, School of Kinesiology and Health Science, York University, “The role of childhood asthma in the development of adult cardiovascular disease”, CCHS 1.1
Contract expiry date: August 31, 2007.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007** (1 referred article)

Project 06-SSH-UTO-1030 – Tahany Gadalla (PI) and Andrew Mitchell, “Impact of Marital Dissolution on the Economic Well Being of Men and Women Living in Canada,” SLID.
Contract expiry date: July 31, 2009. This project is in process.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008** (1 referred article)
**UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009** (1 referred article)

Project 06-SSH-UTO-1033 – Paulo Pires (PI), and Jennifer Jenkins, Department of Human Development & Applied Psychology, University of Toronto, “The influence of Parenting, Peers and Child Characteristics on Adolescent Problem Behaviours”, NLSCY
Contract expiry date: August 31, 2009. This project is in process and has no current output.

**NO FURTHER UPDATE AT DECEMBER 31, 2007**

Project 06-SSH-UTO-1045 – Maggie Toplak (PI), Jennifer Connolly and Laura Connors, Department of Psychology, York University “Children and youth in the community at risk for ADHD: Psychosocial correlates and developmental trajectories”, NLSCY. This project is funded by LaMarsh SEED Grant.
Contract expiry date: July 31, 2010. This project is in process and has no current output.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008** (1 conference presentation, 1 thesis)

Project 06-SSH-UTO-1045-S001 – Laura Connors (PI), Maggie Toplak (York University) “Self-Reported Inattention in Adolescence: An Examination of Concordance with Parent Report, Associated Psychopathology, Risk, Peer Relationships, and Gender”, NLSCY
Contract expiry date: July 31, 2010. This project is in process.
- **Conference presentation**: Connors, L.L., Connolly, J., Flora, D., & Toplak, M.E. Association for Psychological Science 20th Annual Convention; Poster Presentation; The Importance of Adolescent Self-Report: Inattention, Psychopathology, Risk, and Peer Relations; Chicago, IL, May 2008.
- **Conference presentation**: (poster & paper) Connors, L.L., Flora, D., Connolly, J., & Toplak, M.E. “Developmental Trajectories of Self-Reported Inattentive Youth from a Community Sample: Associations with Anxiety and Depression.” Poster session to be presented at the meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Denver, CO, April 2009.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007**
**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008** (1 conference presentation)
**UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009** (1 conference presentation, 1 thesis)

Project 06-POLICY-UTO-1060 – Torben Drewes (PI), “A Profile of Canadian Savers and Non-Savers”, SAEP.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007** (1 government report)
Project 06-SSH-UTO-1066 – Wayne deRuiter (PI), John Cairney (Department of Psychiatry, University of Toronto) and Scott Veldhuizen (Health Systems Research Consulting Unit, Centre of Addiction and Mental Health) “Physical activity, smoking and harm reduction: Who are the physically active smokers?”, CCHS 1.1
Contract expiry date: April 30, 2009. This project is in process.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (1 refereed article)**

Project 06-SSH-UTO-1074 – Harry Krashinsky, “The effect of education on Labour market outcomes – evidence from the double cohort”, LFS, SLID. Funding from the CLSRN.
Contract expiry date: December 31, 2008.
- **Workshop, talks:** Society of Labor Economists Meetings.

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007 (1 talk)**

Project 06-SSH-UTO-1083 – John Cairney (PI), Laurie Corna, “Age, Psychological Distress & Physical Health Across the Life Course”, NPHS.
Contract expiry date: December 31, 2009. This project is in process.
- **Conference presentation:** Cairney, J., & Corna, L. M. “Childhood Traumas, Recent Chronic Strains, and Distress: Does Exposure to Early Traumatic Events Create Vulnerability to Stress in Old Age?” *Canadian Association on Gerontology Annual Meeting*, London, ON, October 24th, 2008.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (1 refereed article)**
**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (2 conference presentations)**

Contract expiry date: September 30, 2008. This project is in process.
- **Conference presentation:** (poster & paper) 2007 Deanna Pikkov. “Explaining Immigrant Electoral Participation: A Reconsideration of the Influence of Political Experience in Source Countries” to be presented in the session entitled - Migration and Citizenship in Canada - at the 2007 annual meeting of the Canadian Sociological Association to be held from May 29th - June 01st, 2007, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan.

**UPDATED APRIL 30, 2007 (2 conference presentations)**
**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (1 conference presentation)**

Project 06-CLSRN-UTO-1113 – Rupa Banerjee (PI), Mai Phan and Anil Verma, “Education, Occupational Change & the Earnings of New Immigrants in Canada”, LSIC.
Contract expiry date: October 31, 2008. This project is in process.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (1 thesis)**

Project 06-SSH-UTO-1125 - Cynthia Cranford, “Explaining Precarious Employment in Canada”, SLID
Contract expiry date: December 31, 2008. This project is in process and has no current output.
Contract expiry date: March 31, 2008.

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (2 book chapters, 2 articles, 1 conference presentation)

Project 06-CLSRN-UTO-1136 – Michele Campolieti (PI), Morley Gunderson (Department of Economics, University of Toronto) and Tony Fang (School of Administrative Studies, York University), “Labour Market Outcomes and Skill Acquisition of Dropouts”, YITS.
- **Conference presentation**: Michael Baker, Michele Campoliete, Tony Fang and Morley Gunderson, “Skill Acquisition of Dropouts and Subsequent Labour Market Behaviour”, Youth In Transition Symposium: Research, Findings and Implications, Statistics Canada/HRDC, Gatineau Quebec, February 2007 (Oral presentation)

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (2 refereed articles, 4 conference presentations, 1 working paper)

UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009 (1 refereed article)

Project 06-SSH-UTO-1139 – Cameron Mustard (PI), Curtis Breslin, Jacob Etches, William Gnam, Selahadin Ibrahim, Peter Smith, Amber Bielecky, Anna Sarnocinska-Hart and Nancy Carnide, “Social and Economic Consequences of Mental Health Problems in Canada.” CCHS 1.1, CCHS 1.2, CCHS 2.1, NPHS. This project is funded by SSHRRC.  
Project expiry date: November 30, 2009. This project is in process.

UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009 (1 refereed article)

Project 06-SSH-UTO-1140 – Cameron Mustard (PI), Curtis Breslin, Jacob Etches, Peter Smith and Jason Pole, “Socioeconomic Status, Labour Market Experiences, Health Behaviours and Measures of Health Status in the Canadian Population.” CCHS 1.1, CCHS 1.2, LSIC, NLSCY, NPHS, SLID, WES. This project is funded by the Ontario WSIB Research Advisory Council.  
Project expiry date: November 30, 2009. This project is in process.


- **Refereed article**: Smith, P., Chen, C., Mustard, C.A. Examining differential risk of employment in more physically demanding jobs among a recent cohort of immigrants to Canada. *Injury Prevention* [submitted]


**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (5 refereed articles, 6 conference presentations)**

**UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009 (3 refereed articles)**

Project 06-SSH-UTO-1141 – Cameron Mustard (PI), Curtis Breslin, Selahadin Ibrahim, Peter Smith and Jason Pole, “Work Related Determinants of Health Among Young Canadians.” CCHS 1.1, CCHS 1.2, CCHS 3.1 , CCHS 2007, NLSCY, NPHS, SLID, YITS.

Project expiry date: October 31, 2009. This project is in process.


**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (3 refereed articles, 3 conference presentations, 2 working papers)**

**UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009 (2 refereed articles)**

**Project 06-SSH-UTO-1142** – Cameron Mustard (PI), Roman Dolinschi, Jacob Etches, Heather Scott-Marshall, Emile Tompa, Peggy McDonough, Claire de Oliveira and Miao Fang, “Non-standard and Contingent Work Experiences and their Impact on Health.” NPHS, SLID, WES.

Project expiry date: November 30, 2009. This project is in process.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (1 refereed article)**

**UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009 (3 refereed articles)**

**Project 06-SSH-UTO-1143** – Cameron Mustard (PI), Jacob Etches, and Selahadin Ibrahim, “Functional Impairment, Disability and the Use of Health Services Among Labour-force Participants.” CCHS 1.1, HALS, NPHS, PALS, SLID.

This project is funded by SSHRC.

Project expiry date: November 30, 2009. This project is in process.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (3 conference presentations)**


**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (1 government report)**

**Project 06-SSH-UTO-1153** – Wayne deRuiter (PI), Guy Faulkner (Faculty of Physical Education, University of Toronto), John Cairney (Department of Psychiatry, University of Toronto) and Scott Veldhuizen (Health Systems Research Consulting Unit, Centre of Addiction and Mental Health) “The Effects of Physical Activity on Depression and Distress Among Smokers”, CCHS 1.1.

Contract expiry date: April 30, 2009. This project is in process and has no current output.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007**
Project 06-SSH-BCI-1160 – Chris Zatzick (PI), Tony Fang and Saraf Nilesh, “Productivity in Canadian Workplaces: The Role of Change, Strategy and Information Technology”, WES.
Contract expiry date: March 31, 2011. This project is in process.
- **Conference presentation:** Saraf, N., and Zatzick, C. “Information Technology Usage and Organizational Performance: IT Training as a Facilitator of Usage.” Accepted for presentation at the Academy of Management Meetings, Anaheim, Ca. 2008.
- **Conference presentation:** Zatzick, C.D., Moliterno, T., and Fang, Tony. “Revisiting the Change/Performance Relationship: The Moderating Role of Strategic Alignment.” Presented at AoM 2007. Currently under revision at a journal.

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (2 conference presentations)

Project 06-SSH-UTO-1182 – Carmina Ng(PI), Valerie Tarasuk and Kue Young, “Dietary patterns and their associations with obesity and diabetes in Aboriginal Canadians”, CCHS 2.2.
Contract expiry date: December 31, 2008. This project is in process.
- **Conference presentation:** Carmina Ng, “Dietary energy density and sources of energy intake in obese and non-obese Canadians.” Oral Abstract Presentation at The Obesity Society Annual Scientific Meeting, October 23, 2007, New Orleans, Louisiana
- **Conference presentation:** Carmina Ng, Energy density and sources of food intake between Canadians with and without diabetes and between Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal Canadians. Oral Abstract Presentation at CDA/CSEM Profession Conference and Annual Meetings, October 26, 2007, Vancouver, British Columbia

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (2 conference presentations)

Project 06-SSH-UTO-1209 – Shilpa Dogra (PI), Dr Joseph Baker and Dr Christopher Ardern, School of Kinesiology and Health Science, York University, “Season of birth trends in asthmatics”, CCHS 2.1
Contract expiry date: January 31, 2008. This project is in process and has no current output.

Project 07-LSD-UTO-0286 – Michael Baker, “Fertility and Female Labour Supply”, Labour Force Survey: Master Files (LFS). Funding from SSHRCC. This project is complete.
- **Conference presentation:** “How does job-protected maternity leave affect mothers employment and infant health?” Canadian Economics Association Meetings, Toronto ON, June 2004
- **Conference presentation:** “How does job-protected maternity leave affect mothers employment and infant health?” National Bureau of Economic Research Summer Institute, Cambridge MA, August 2004
- **Conference presentation:** Michael Baker. “Learning about child development, one labour market policy at a time”, Canadian Economics Association Annual Meetings, invited State of the Art Lecture, Halifax NS, June 2007 (Oral presentation)
- **Conference presentation:** Michael Baker. “Learning about child development, one labour market policy at a time”, Department of Economics, University of Guelph, Guelph ON, December 2007.
- **Report to policy group:** Presentation to the Australian Treasury of research on childcare and maternity leaves, Canberra ACT, February 2008
- **Report to policy group:** Presentation to the Australian Federal Productivity Commission of research on childcare and maternity leaves, Canberra ACT, March 2008.
- **Media coverage:** The article referenced in item 2 was covered by the Associated Press and items on this research appeared in a number of U.S. newspapers

UPDATED APRIL 30, 2004 (1 new workshop/talk).
UPDATED JULY 30, 2004 (2 new conference presentations).
UPDATED APRIL 30, 2006 (project suspended while paper undergoes journal submission)
UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (2 conference presentations)

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (1 article, 1 conf. presentation, 2 reports to policy groups, 1 media coverage)

Contract expiry date: April 30, 2008. This project is in process and has no current output.

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007

Project 07-SSH-UTO-1211 - Ayal Schaffer (PI) and Scott Veldhuizen, U of T. “Characteristics of Treatment for Bipolar Disorder in Canada,” CCHS 1.2. This project is in process.


- **Conference presentation:** Cairney J, Schaffer A, Veldhuizen S, Kurdyak P. “Anxiety and Substance Dependence in Bipolar Disorder: An epidemiological investigation of clinical features.” *Harvey Staunton Research Day, Department of Psychiatry*, University of Toronto, Toronto, ON, June 21, 2007

- **Conference presentation:** Kozloff N, Cheung A, Schaffer A, Cairney J, Dewa C, Veldhuizen S, Kurdyak P. “Bipolar Disorder Among Adolescents and Young Adults: Results from an Epidemiological Sample”. *Ontario Psychiatric Association Annual Meeting*, Toronto, Feb 2008 (Awarded Best Poster Presentation)

- **Other academic activity related to RDC usage:** Schaffer A, Cairney J, Cheung A, Kurdyak P, Levitt A. “An Epidemiological Comparison of Bipolar Disorder and Major Depressive Disorder: Implications for Improving Diagnosis and Management”. *Canadian Institute of Health Research (CIHR)*, 2008-2010, $73,250

- **Other academic activity related to RDC usage:** Schaffer A, Cairney J, Cheung A, Kurdyak P, Levitt A. “An Epidemiological Comparison of Bipolar Disorder and Major Depressive Disorder: Implications for Improving Diagnosis and Management”. *Ontario Mental Health Foundation*, Type A Operating Grant, 2008-2010, $50,000 (Declined due to receiving CIHR grant)

- **Other academic activity related to RDC usage:** Schaffer A. “Treatment Utilization for Bipolar Disorder in the Community: Integration of Clinical and Population Health Approaches,” *Ontario Mental Health Foundation*, New Investigator Fellowship, 2006-2009

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (1 article, 5 Conference presentation, 3 other academic activities)

Project 07-SSH-UTO-1219 – Yaping Jin (PI) “Vision Loss and its impact on Canadians: A cross-sectional and longitudinal study”, CCHS 1.1, CCHS 1.2, CCHS 2.1, CCHS 3.1, NPHS, PALS. Contract expiry date: December 31, 2010. This project is in process.


- **Conference presentation:** Jin YP and Wong DT. “Prevalence of severe visual impairment in elderly Canadians and its impact on health living” was presented orally by Dr. Jin YP at the 2008 annual meeting of the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology (ARVO) on April 30, 2008 in Fort Lauderdale, Florida. Program number 3752.

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (1 refereed article, 1 conference presentation)

Project 07-SSH-UTO-1222 – Byron Lee (PI), “Family-Friendly Benefits and Employee Labour Market Outcomes”, WES. Contract expiry date: December 31, 2008. This project is in process.


UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (1 conference presentation)
Project 07-SSH-UTO-1244 – Jennifer Mills (PI), Graham Bean, Maggie Toplak, Carmen Bewell, David Flora
“Understanding the emergence of dieting behaviour and body dissatisfaction among pre-adolescent and adolescent females”, NLSCY.
Contract expiry date: October 31, 2009. This project has not yet begun.

Project 07-SSH-UTO-1246 – Valerie Tarasuk (PI), Sandra Fitzpatrick, George Beaton, Jocelyn Sacco and Sharon Kirkpatrick, “An Examination of Dietary Intake Patterns and Nutrition Disparities in the Canadian Population”, CCHS 2.2. This project is funded by CIHR.
Contract expiry date: December 31, 2008. Extended to June 30, 2009. This project is in process.

- **Conference presentation:** S Kirkpatrick, V Tarasuk. “Household food insecurity is a marker of nutritional vulnerability among Canadian adults and adolescents.” Symposium on CCHS 2.2, held in conjunction with CSNS/GSCN conference. Toronto, May 29, 2008.
- **Conference presentation:** S Kirkpatrick, V Tarasuk. “Severity of household food insecurity as a marker of dietary disadvantage: Insights from the 2004 Canadian Community Health Survey.” The International Conference on Diet and Activity Methods, Washington DC, June 6, 2009.
- **Theses and Dissertations:** S Kirkpatrick. Household food insecurity in Canada: an examination of nutrition implications and factors associated with vulnerability. PhD Dissertation. Department of Nutritional Sciences, Faculty of Medicine, University of Toronto. 2008.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007**

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (1 article, 3 conference presentations, 1 book chapter, 1 dissertation)**

**UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009 (2 conference presentations)**

Project 07-SSH-UTO-1347 – Jane Sprott (PI), Anthony Doob (Department of Criminology, University of Toronto)
“Project Variation in Self-Reported Offending” NLSCY
Contract expiry date: August 30, 2010


**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (1 refereed article)**

Contract expiry date: August 30, 2009.

- **Conference presentation:** Shida, N. Marrying outside and up? The effect of intermarriage on immigrant economic integration. Presented at the Canadian Sociology Association annual meeting of the Congress for Humanities and Social Sciences, Vancouver, BC. June 2008.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007**

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (1 conference presentation)**

Contract expiry date: May 31, 2009. This project is in process.


UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (2 conference presentations)
UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (1 conference presentation)

Project 07-SSH-UTO-1365 – Ernie Lightman (PI), Andrew Mitchell and Beth Wilson, “Health, Low Income, Earnings and Social Assistance in Canada, Ontario and Toronto: Research Findings and Policy Implications” CCHS 1.1, CCHS 2.1, CCHS 3.1, NPHS
Contract expiry date: December 31, 2009. This project is in process.


- Workshops, talks: Lightman, Ernie “Sick and Tired of Being Sick and Tired”, A community forum to release the results the reports “Poverty is making us sick” and “Sick and Tired”, February 9, 2009.

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (1 report to policy group)
UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009 (1 report to policy group, 1 organized workshop)

Contract expiry date: May 31, 2009. This project is in process and has no current output.

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007

Contract expiry date: May 31, 2009. This project is in process.


- Conference presentation: Monica Boyd. Immigrant Generations at the Starting Gate: Race, Color and Labour Market Integration. Submitted for presentation at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 2009.

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (2 conference presentations)
UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (2 conference presentations)
UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009 (1 conference presentation)

Contract expiry date: May 31, 2009. This project is in process.


UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007
UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009 (1 refereed article)
Contract expiry date: May 31, 2009. This project is in process.  

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (1 conference presentation)**  
**NO FURTHER UPDATE AT DECEMBER 31, 2008**

Project 07-SSH-UTO-1383 – Jing Wang (PI), Anil Verma (Centre for Industrial Relations, University of Toronto), “The Effects of Work-Life Balance Policies on Employee Outcomes” WES.  
Contract expiry date: December 31, 2009. This project is in process.  
- **Conference presentation:** Wang, J. “Explaining Organizational Responsiveness to Work-Life Balance Issues: The Role of Business Strategy.” Presented at the Canadian Industrial Relations Association (CIRA) Annual Meeting, Vancouver, Canada, June 2008
- **Theses and Dissertations:** Wang, J. Explaining organizational responsiveness to work-life balance issues: the role of business strategy and high performance work systems. Centre for Industrial Relations, University of Toronto.

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (2 conference presentations)**  
**UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009 (1 refereed article, 1 thesis)**

Project 07-SSH-UTO-1391 – Farah N. Mawani (PI) and Cameron Mustard (University of Toronto), “Socioeconomic Status of Immigrants to Canada: Conceptualization, Measurement and Pathways to Depression”, CCHS, NPHS.  
Contract expiry date: October 1st, 2008. This project is in process.  
- **Conference presentation:** Mawani, FN. Conceptualization and Measurement of Socioeconomic Status of Immigrants to Canada, Paper Presentation, International Conference on Urban Health, Baltimore, MD, October 31, 2007.
- **Conference presentation:** Mawani, FN. Measurement of Socioeconomic Status of Immigrants to Canada, Paper Presentation, Health Statistics Data Users Conference, Ottawa, ON, September 24, 2007.
- **Conference presentation:** Mawani, FN. Measurement of Socioeconomic Status of Immigrants to Canada, Poster Presentation, Canadian Public Health Association Annual Conference, Ottawa, ON, September 17-18, 2007.  

**UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (3 conference presentations)**

Project 07-SSH-UTO-1397 – Lisa Kaida, “Pathways to Successful Economic Integration: The Dynamics of Low Income among New Immigrants to Canada”. LSIC. This project is in process.  
Contract expiry date: November 30, 2009.  
- **Theses and Dissertations:** Kaida, Lisa (2007) Pathways to Successful Economic Integration: The Dynamics of Low Income and Low Wages among New Immigrants to Canada. Department of Sociology, University of Toronto.
- **Conference presentation:** Kaida, Lisa. *The Effect of Training in Canada on the Exit from Low Income among Recent Immigrants.* Paper presented at the annual conference for the Carleton Ottawa Outaouais Local Research Data
Contract expiry date: August 30th, 2009. This project is in process.


Project 07-SSH-UTO-1398-S001 – Monica Boyd (PI) and Naoko Shida (University of Toronto), “Ethnic Options and Changing Ethnicities across Generations”, EDS.
Contract expiry date: August 30th, 2009. This project is in process.


Project 07-HRD-UTO-1443 – Torben Drewes, “Accessibility in Ontario Post-Secondary Education: An Interprovincial Comparative Analysis”, SLID. This project is funded by HRSDC.
Contract expiry date: February 29, 2008. This project is complete.


Project 07-SSH-UTO-1456 – Torben Drewes, “Accessibility in Ontario Post-Secondary Education: An Interprovincial Comparative Analysis”, SLID. This project is funded by the Higher Education Quality Council of Ontario.
Contract expiry date: December 31, 2008. This project is complete.


Contract expiry date: December 31, 2008. This project is in process.

- Conference presentation: Monica Boyd and Grant Schellenberg “Reaccreditation and the Labour Market Integration of Foreign Trained Engineers and Physicians in Canada.” Presented in the “Integrating the ’Best and the Brightest’: Canadian Problems and Prospects” session at the Highly Skilled Immigration Policies in Europe and North America workshop, University of Toronto, Canada. February 9, 2008.
- Book chapter: Boyd and Grant Schellenberg. Reaccreditation and the Labour Market Integration of the Internationally Trained Engineers and Physicians in Canada. Phil Triadafilopoulos (editor) Highly Skilled Migration. Publisher to be arranged (forthcoming).

Project 08-SSH-UTO-1246-S001 – Jocelyn Sacco (PI) and Valerie Tarasuk, “Modelling the Impact of Discretionary Fortification on the Nutrient Intakes of Canadians”, CCHS 2.2.
Contract expiry date: August 31, 2009. This project is in process.
Conference presentation: Sacco, J. “Modelling the impact of discretionary fortification on the nutrient intakes of Canadians.” Invited presentation given to Health Canada, Ottawa, Ontario (December 2008)

Conference presentations: Sacco, J. “Modelling the impact of Health Canada’s proposed discretionary fortification policy on the nutrient intakes of Canadians.” To be presented at the Canadian Public Health Association Annual Meeting, Winnipeg, Manitoba (June 2009)

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008

UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009 (1 conference presentation)

Project 08-SSH-UTO-1508 – Maryse Lemoine (PI), Philip Kelly and Valerie Preston, “The Housing Trajectories of Francophone Immigrants in the Toronto CMA”, Census 2001, EDS, LSIC. This project is funded by the University of Regina. Contract expiry date: July 31, 2009. This project is in process.


UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (1 thesis)


UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2007 (4 conference presentations, 1 government report)

UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009 (2 reports to government)

Project 08-SSH-UTO-1571 – Borja Martinovic, “Ethnic Composition of Contacts at Work and in Free Time among Recent Immigrants in Canada: A Longitudinal Study”, LSIC. This project is funded by Netherlands Organization for Scientific Research (NWO). Contract expiry date: September 1, 2009. This project is in process.


UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (1 conference presentation)

UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009 (1 refereed article)

Project 08-SSH-UTO-1675 – Monica Boyd (PI), Lisa Kaida and Diana Worts, “Becoming Fluent: A Longitudinal Analysis of Host-Nation Language Acquisition among Recent Immigrants to Canada”, LSIC. This project is funded by SSHRC. Contract expiry date: December 31, 2012. This project is in process.

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (1 organized workshop)

Project 08-SSH-UTO-1677 – Monica Boyd (PI), Lisa Kaida and Diana Worts, “Gender and Language Acquisition: A Longitudinal Study”, LSIC. This project is funded by SSHRC.
Contract expiry date: March 31, 2012. This project is in process and has no current output.

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008

Project 08-SSH-UTO-1709 – Charles Jones (PI), Jing Shen, “Neighbourhood Influences on the Developmental Trajectories of Children and Youth”, GSS cycle 1, GSS cycle 8, GSS cycle 10, GSS cycle 11, GSS cycle 12, GSS cycle 13, GSS cycle 15, GSS cycle 16, GSS cycle 17, GSS cycle 18, GSS cycle 19, GSS cycle 20, GSS cycle 21, NLSCY, NPHS. This project is funded by SSHRC.
Contract expiry date: June 30, 2011. This project is in process.


UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (3 conference presentations)

Project 08-CLSRN-UTO-1713 – Monica Boyd (PI), Lisa Kaida, Naoko Shida and Diana Worts, “The Impact of Linguistic Enclaves on Immigrant Economic Integration”, Census 2001. This project is funded by CLSRN.
Contract expiry date: August 31, 2010. This project is in process and has no current output.


UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (2 organized workshops)

Project 08-SSH-UTO-1756 – Philip Kelly (PI), Rupa Banerjee, Nina Damsbaek, Maryse Lemoine and Mai Phan, “Toronto Immigrant Employment Data Initiative”, Census 2001, Census 2006, EDS, LFS, LSIC, SLID, WES. This project is funded by SSHRC.
Contract expiry date: June 30, 2011. This project is in process.


UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008 (1 conference presentation)

Contract expiry date: September 30, 2010. This project is in process and has no current output.

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008

Project 08-SSH-UTO-1863 – Monica Boyd (PI), Lisa Kaida, Emily Laxer and Stella Park, “Language at Work in 2006 and Immigrant Economic Integration”, Census 2006. This project is funded by CLSRN.
Contract expiry date: September 30, 2010. This project is in process and has no current output.

UPDATED DECEMBER 31, 2008
Contract expiry date: June 30, 2010. This project is in process and has no current output.

UPDATED MARCH 31, 2009

Statistics Canada RDC Analysts’ Projects:
1. Tina Hotton, “Alcohol and drug use in early adolescence”, NLSCY, Cycle 3 Cross-sectional. Funding from Health Statistics Division, Statistics Canada. This project is complete, and has one paper due to be released May 18th, 2004 in the in the Statistics Canada journal Health Reports. (Report completed for Statistics Canada.)
   The release of this article will also be announced in the Statistics Canada’s bulletin, “The Daily” on May 18, 2004 and media coverage is expected.