



Free 1 year “student membership” for PhD and MA graduate students

Of potential interest to students in demography, sociology, economics, urban planning, geography, epidemiology, public health & public policy

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What are the benefits of becoming a member of the Canadian Population Society (CPS)?

Members of the CPS become connected to a vibrant community of researchers, policy makers, and other professionals engaged in human population studies. In addition to the multiple publishing, conferencing, and networking opportunities outlined above, members are also provided with:

- Participation in our CPS meetings held in conjunction with Canada’s Annual Congress of the Humanities and Social Sciences
- Participation in our CPS Student Development Conference
- Regular Advanced quantitative methods seminars
- Timely information on new data sets, job postings, and funding prospects
- Research opportunities to inform government program and policy development which have a direct bearing on population studies and on Canadian society
- Opportunity to apply for our annual “student paper” competition

- Networking opportunities with Canadian demographers, social scientists working at Statistics Canada and other government departments, as well as professionals from other disciplines
- Opportunities to serve on the CPS governing council
- Consideration for the CPS Award recognizing the outstanding commitment of a Canadian scholar in demography
- Attend our Annual Meetings & make a presentation or poster on your MA/PhD research



Future meetings:

- 2017 - Ryerson University, Toronto,
- 2018 – University of Regina, SK

Past meetings:

- 2016 – University of Calgary
- 2015 – University of Ottawa
- 2014 – Brock University, St. Catherine’s
- 2013 – University of Victoria
- 2012 – University of Waterloo
- 2011 – University of New Brunswick
- 2010 - Concordia, Montreal

Who are members of the Canadian Population Society (CPS)?

CPS members typically come from academia (colleges and universities) or government (municipal, provincial/territorial and federal). Despite their diverse backgrounds, members have one or more of the following items in common:

- They have completed (or are in the process of completing) formal training in Population Studies, Sociology, Economics, Geography and/or Quantitative Social Science.
- They have made a contribution in the field of research in population studies and related social sciences
- They have considerable interest in the promotion of scientific studies of human populations &/or quantitative social science

What are the primary CPS Publications?

Canadian Studies in Population – the society's scholarly journal, published since 1973, available as an Open Access journal at:

<http://www.canpopsoc.ca/publications/journal/>

CPS News – a thrice-yearly newsletter highlighting activities of its membership and other items of interest

Are graduate students eligible to be members of the CPS?

ABSOLUTELY!!

The Canadian Population Society actively encourages Masters and PhD students interested in any aspect of quantitative social research to join the organization.

We offer students:

- Free first year membership
- Annual Graduate Student Research Development Conference
- Annual Best Student Paper Award including a cash prize (\$500)
- Student subsidies for conference travel and accommodations
- Conference presentation, poster and publication opportunities
- Networking with academics, policy makers, Statistics Canada analysts, among other researchers
- Email notification of employment/research opportunities

What is the Canadian Population Society (CPS)?

The *Canadian Population Society* (CPS), established in 1974 is a scientific professional organization concerned with the study of demographic and social change in Canada. The CPS is the English-speaking counterpart to the *Associations des démographes du Québec* (ADQ). Both the CPS and ADQ operate under the umbrella of the nation's Federation of Canadian Demographers (FCD).

The CPS consists of about 140 members from Canada and abroad who are committed to:

Promoting the study and development of demography & quantitative social science in both its empirical and theoretical aspects.

Improving knowledge and understanding about the quantitative and qualitative characteristics of Canadian society

What are the main activities of the CPS?

Organizing meetings, seminars, conferences, research/training programs and theoretical or practical investigations

Providing professional comments and counsel to outside bodies such as academic institutions, government agencies and non-governmental organizations

Collaborating with organizations and institutions with similar objectives at the regional, national and international [Visit our website at: www.canpopsoc.ca](http://www.canpopsoc.ca)