

CPS NEWS

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CPS Business

2023 Annual Meeting

We are less than two months away from the 2023 CPS annual meeting! In this post, we are sharing with you a few more updates on the conference.

1) Preliminary program

An updated [conference program](#) is now available on the CPS website.

2) Some highlights from the conference program

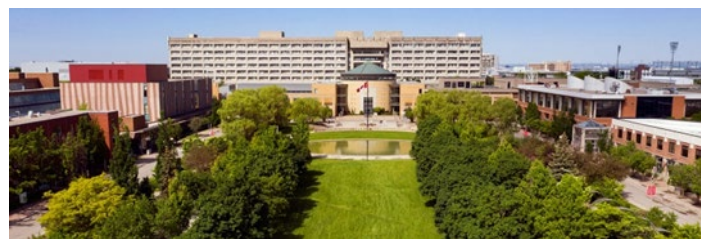
Special sessions: This year, we will feature two special sessions:

- “What is applied demography and why does it matter?” (Day 1, May 31, 12:00 pm – 1:30 pm). This session will describe the many uses of applied demography and show how demographers can play an important role as data analysts in many organizations. Panelists: Alison Yacyshyn (Concordia University of Edmonton); David Swanson (Portland

State University); and Doug Norris (Environics Analytics). This special session is open to non-CPS attendees as well. Thanks to the generous donation from Environics Analytics and the Federation Open Programs Fund, lunch will be provided to attendees to this session.

- “Examining recent Canadian demographic trends: New developments from Statistics Canada’s Centre for Demography” (Day 2, June 1, 3:15 pm – 4:45 pm). the Centre for Demography will present four innovative projects that highlight recent trends in demography as well as new data products.

Poster session & wine reception. On Day 1 (May 31, 5:00 pm – 6:30pm, location: Winters College, Winters Dining Hall (WC C001B), we will be holding an in-person poster session and wine reception (with a cash bar). A graduate student professional development event also will be integrated with the poster session.



York University, conference site

Banquet (Day 2, 6 pm). Considering CPS annual meeting attendees’ accommodation locations, we are looking to booking a restaurant that is located between York University, Keele Campus and downtown Toronto. We will provide more details of the banquet as they become available. To purchase a banquet ticket, please go to [the Federation’s registration website](#). We encourage students to attend our annual banquet! There is a

discount for a student attendee's banquet ticket (Student banquet ticket: \$50).

General Assembly. The hybrid General Assembly will take place on Day 3 (June 2) at 12:30 pm – 1:30 pm ET. This event will feature our annual award presentation and voting on motions. Please plan on attending this important meeting to help us reach quorum. A package will be sent to members at least a week in advance of General Assembly.



3) Registration

Attendees (in-person and remote) of the 2023 CPS annual meeting are required to register for both the CPS annual meeting and Congress on the [Federation's registration website](#).

Please note that the "association fee" indicated on the Federation's registration website refers to the registration fee for the 2023 CPS annual meeting, not the CPS membership fee. The CPS membership can be paid on [the CPS website](#).

CPS Members

Annalijn Conklin will be giving the keynote address for the TOPS/New Investigator Award at the 2023 Obesity Summit this May. Conklin's MSc student was accepted into Obesity Canada's Research Training Program, with a \$2000 travel award.

Mary Jane Norris has co-authored a chapter about Indigenous languages in Canada. The chapter, which is based on Census data, focuses on first- and second language speakers in the home and the state and revitalization of indigenous languages. The chapter

appears in *Endangered Languages in the 21st Century*, which was published this March by Routledge, and can be downloaded online.

This February, **Ravi B. P. Verma** gave a talk entitled the "Principles of applied demography to review the quality of population estimates and projections for sub-national levels in India." The talk was given at the International Conference on Applications of Statistics, Mizoram University.

Announcements

Calls for Papers

British Society for Population Studies (BSPS) – 50th anniversary conference. Keele University, United Kingdom, September 11-13, 2023. Deadline for submissions: April 24, 2023. The **IUSSP** will be organizing a session on Migration as a Life-course Trajectory at the BSPS conference.

La Revue Quetelet (RQJ) has issued a call for papers for an issue on [Housing and crises: What are the demographic impacts?](#) The deadline for submissions is May 1, 2023.

Wittgenstein Centre Conference, 2023 – Exploring Population Heterogeneities. Vienna, Austria, December 6-7, 2023. Deadline for submission: June 30, 2023.

Events

Xavier St-Denis (INRS) will be teaching a summer school (June 6-9) in [administrative analysis at the Quebec Interuniversity Center for Social Statistics \(QICSS\)](#), the Quebec part of the Canadian RDC network. The objective of this summer school is to offer graduate students and emerging scholars at more advanced levels an introductory training to the use of Statistics Canada's main administrative datasets, especially personal income tax datasets. The motivation behind this project is that administrative data is increasingly used, but most

knowledge on these complex data sources remains informal and shared within small teams. This bootcamp aims to flatten the learning curve for first-time users of administrative data and to foster a dynamic community of users. This summer school will take place in person in a bootcamp format, with practical exercises in the Université de Montréal RDC. Participants should therefore be able to access RDCs or be willing to undergo the necessary procedure to get access. It will also include classroom training to prepare for the practical exercises. Participants are expected to be proficient in STATA and/or R, but a STATA refresher course will be offered on June 5.

IUSSP Webinar Series – [Declining mortality and multi-morbidity at death](#). This event was held in March 2023 and is recorded for those who missed it.

IUSSP Webinar Series – [Extracting spatial data on environment for research](#). A recorded version of this event is available online.

IUSSP “Monday at INED” Lecture Series – [Assessing the state of urban science in contemporary global policy debates](#). A recorded version of this event is available online.

Statistics Canada

Census 2021



Once every five years, the [Census of Population](#) provides a detailed and comprehensive statistical portrait of Canada. The 2021 Census data have arrived. Starting in February 2022, there will be seven major releases over the

course of the year. Each release will provide data, analytical, and reference products. Read [The Daily](#) for announcements about future Census releases. The complete [release schedule](#) is available on the Statistics Canada website.

In February, Statistics Canada released 18 new [data quality tables](#) for the 2021 Census of Population. These tables cover both the long- and short-form census data and are available for various levels of geography. The data quality tables are available on: immigration, place of birth, and citizenship; ethnic or cultural origin, population group, and religion; mobility; education; labour; and other demographic characteristics.

New [reference guides](#) for the 2021 Census are available for characteristics such as religion; mobility and migration; ethnic or cultural origin; place of birth, generation status, citizenship, and immigration, visible minority and population group; and languages.

Articles published in *Economic and Social Reports* from February to March 2023:

Volume 3, Number 2

[Measuring the value of women’s contribution to the Canadian economy: New insights based on recent work](#)

[Assessing the rise in broad-based inflationary pressure during 2021 and 2022](#)

[Patenting activity of women-owned businesses in Canada](#)

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[Characteristics of child care centres serving children aged 0 to 5 years in Canada, 2021 to 2022](#)

[The likelihood and timing of mother returning to work after parental leave](#)

[Zombie firms in Canada](#)

[Interjurisdictional employment in Canada, 2002 to 2019](#)

Articles published in *Health Reports* from February to March 2023:

Volume 34, Number 2

[Mortality inequalities of Black adults in Canada](#)

[Online digital media use and adolescent mental health](#)

[Health Utilities Index Mark 3 scores for children and youth: Population norms for Canada based on cycles 5 \(2016 and 2017\) and 6 \(2018 and 2019\) of the Canadian Health Measures Survey](#)

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[Daily accelerometer-measured physical activity patterns and associations with cardiometabolic health among Canadian working adults](#)

[Exploring the intersectionality of characteristics among those who experienced opioid overdoses: A cluster analysis](#)

CPS People

The Canadian Population Society is a scientific association that seeks to improve knowledge and understanding about the quantitative and qualitative characteristics of human population. It seeks to promote the study and development of the science of demography in both its empirical and theoretical aspects.

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Regular Membership:

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- 2 year (\$170.00)
- 3 year (\$250.00)

Student Membership:

- 1 year (\$40.00)
- 2 year (\$75.00)

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