STRATEGIC RESEARCH

The Humanities Strategic Research Plan (HRSP) aims to promote excellence in our collective research enterprise and to inspire the development of innovative scholarly projects. It outlines the Principles, Areas of Strength and Growth, and Strategic Priorities guiding research in Humanities over a three-year period (2016-2018).

humresearch.humanities.mcmaster.ca/hsrp/

RESEARCH AT A GLANCE: 2013-2017

New Federal Tri-Council Research Grants: 38
Canada Research Chair Nominations and Renewals: 3
New Royal Society of Canada Members and Fellows: 3
Canada Foundation for Innovation Grants: 3
Ontario Early Researcher Awards: 3
Partner Role on $2.5M SSHRC Partnership Grants: 3
Arts Research Board Grants: 140
McMaster Incentive Grants: 13
Humanities Incentive Grants: 62
Humanities Research Time Stipends: 9

In 2016-17, SSHRC funding in the Faculty of Humanities rose to the highest level seen within the last decade. In addition, with an unprecedented increase in overall external funding in 2015-16, Humanities total funded research in the last two years has exceeded $3 million.

RESEARCH ACHIEVEMENTS BULLETIN

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NEW RESEARCH CENTRES

The Institute on Ethics and Policy for Innovation works collaboratively with members of the global health community to overcome barriers and promote enablers of an ethical nature, so life-saving innovations have a greater chance of reaching those that need them most.
iepi.mcmaster.ca

The Centre for Community Engaged Narrative Arts (CCENA) is guided by the goal of discerning, studying, and building critical and cultural literacies in a way that is attentive to direct engagement and reciprocity with existing communities, both real and virtual.
cena.ca

The Centre for Advanced Research in Experimental and Applied Linguistics (ARiEAL) is a hub for innovative, interdisciplinary research that investigates all elements of language structure and function, and changes in language ability due to developmental and life events.
arieal.mcmaster.ca

The Centre for Ancient Numismatics (CAN) aims to reveal, understand, and present the life story of the ancient artefacts of various civilizations, focusing especially on the extensive collections of Greek and Roman coinage housed in the McMaster Museum of Art.
can.humanities.mcmaster.ca

RENEWAL OF THE WILSON INSTITUTE

The L.R. Wilson Institute for Canadian History received a generous gift of $2.5 million from the Wilson Foundation to support the Institute’s renewal at five years. It also appointed a new Director, Dr. Ian McKay, to continue its work of rethinking Canadian History within a globalization framework.
wilson.mcmaster.ca
KNOWLEDGE MOBILIZATION
THE FACULTY OF HUMANITIES PRESENTS
RESEARCH LEADERS

This video series profiles some of the research leaders across our many disciplines. bit.ly/ResearchLeaders

HUMANITIES RESEARCH WEB PAGE

Regular updates about research events, awards, grants, and research-related activities can be found on this web page, as well as a full listing of Research Chairs, Centres & Institutes, Labs & Facilities, and Scholarly Journals. humresearch.humanities.mcmaster.ca

RESEARCH IMPACT

Knowledge exchange can create and enhance research impact. Eight case studies outline different strategies for knowledge exchange, including arts-based research with community theatre groups and education that inspires public intellectual engagement. impactsunpacked.mcmaster.ca

HUMANITIES SEMINAR SERIES

Digital Pedagogy Roundtable 2015. Seven Humanities scholar-practitioners shared their knowledge about the digital tools and approaches they have been using in the classroom. Watch the video. bit.ly/DHPedagogy2015

Social Media Seminars 2014. Workshops on using Twitter and online academic profiles, and a roundtable discussion on social media in the academy.

Knowledge Mobilization Workshop 2013. This full-day workshop featured presentations by several Humanities researchers and community partners. Watch the videos. bit.ly/KMWorkshop2013

SSHRC News

McMaster’s “Research Snaps” digital media campaign received the 2017 SSHRC Award of Excellence for Communications.

UPDATED Guidelines for the Eligibility of Applications Related to Health: SSHRC is now funding projects in health research with a focus on social sciences and humanities.

NEW Partnership Engage Grants ($7,000-$25,000 value) will be offered four times per year, designed for projects involving a single partner organization from the not-for-profit, public or private sector.

RESEARCH PROMOTION TOOL KIT

Humanities researchers can write and post their own short, readable summaries of a recent publication or project. For more information, please contact Grace Pollock. snaps.mcmaster.ca

HUMANITIES EVENTS CALENDAR

The Humanities Events Calendar is a great way to share and keep track of upcoming events hosted by the Faculty. www.humanities.mcmaster.ca/events/

EXPLORE DIGITAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Sherman Centre for Digital Scholarship hosts regular events and workshops aimed at introducing students, faculty, and staff to the multifaceted domain of digital scholarship. scds.cs/events/

50 YEARS OF THE RUSSELL ARCHIVES

The Bertrand Russell Research Centre and the McMaster University Library will celebrate the 50th anniversary of the acquisition of the Russell Archives in 2018. Stay posted for upcoming events. philos.humanities.mcmaster.ca

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