

YORK UNIVERSITY GLOBAL OPPORTUNITIES e-DIGEST

JULY 16, 2024

1. EVENTS AND ENGAGEMENTS

1.1. MITACS RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM

On behalf of York International, we are inviting you to our summer 2024 Mitacs Research Symposium. Throughout the summer, we will welcome 49 interns through the Mitacs Globalink Research Internship ([GRI](#)). Interns are joining us from Brazil, China, Colombia, France, Hong Kong, India, Mexico, Nepal, Pakistan, Tunisia, Ukraine, and the United Kingdom. Faculty hosts at York include professors from Health, Lassonde School of Engineering, Liberal Arts and Professional Studies, Glendon, and the School of the Arts, Media, Performance, and Design.

Date & Time: July 22, 2024, 1:00 – 3:00 PM (EST)

Venue: Second Student Centre, York University

Agenda:

1:00-1:10 - Welcome and Opening remarks:

- Ms. Vinitha Gengatharan, Assistant Vice President, Global Engagement and Partnerships
- Dr. Alice MacLachlan, Vice-Provost & Dean, Graduate Studies
- Ms. Rachel Sung, Business Development Specialist, Mitacs

1:15-2:45 - Student Poster Session

2:50-3:00 - Raffle draw and closing remarks

RVSP by [completing the registration form](#) no later than **July 16th, 2024**.

1.2. UNESCO DIGITAL LEARNING WEEK

Digital Learning Week is UNESCO's annual flagship event on digital learning and the transformation of education. It was launched in 2023, building on the foundation of UNESCO's Mobile Learning Week over the past decade. The annual event is recognized as one of the "UN Intergovernmental and Multi-Stakeholder Digital Cooperation Bodies and Forums" to convene the community of digital education leaders, policy-makers, researchers and practitioners from various organizations, including UN agencies, governments, NGOs and the private sector.

Location: UNESCO Headquarter, Paris

Date: September 02 – 05, 2024

[Register here](#)

For more information, [click here](#).

1.3. SEAMEO RETRAC 2024 Conference

BC Council for International Education together with CICan and CBIE will be co-hosting the SEAMEO RETRAC conference which will focus on "*Leadership and Management in Higher Education: Innovations and Strategies in Global Context*". This Conference is conducted with the aim of creating a global platform to bring together educational leaders, professionals, experts, researchers and educational practitioners to share and exchange different perspectives and information; explore innovative ideas, strategies, and trends in the field of higher education leadership and management.

Location: Ho Chi Minh City

Date: Oct 15- Oct 16, 2024

[Register here](#)

For more information, [click here](#).

2. RESEARCH AND PROJECT OPPORTUNITIES

2.1. MITACS: GLOBALINK RESEARCH AWARDS (GRA) – New Opportunity – Call for Proposals

Agence universitaire de la Francophonie (AUF) (Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Mexico, United States and Ukraine - travel from Canada and travel to Canada)

Level: Full-time senior undergraduates, master's and PhD students, or postdoctoral fellows

Themes: All disciplines

Requirements: Project must be in the French language and submitted in French. The eligible institutions in Canada, Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Mexico, Ukraine and United States must be members of Agence universitaire de la Francophonie (AUF) and up to date in the membership fees. The list of the members of Agence universitaire de la Francophonie is available on [their website](#).

Award Amount: \$6,000 CAD

Deadline: July 17, 2024

For more information, [click here](#).

2.2 IDRC INTERNATIONAL DOCTORAL RESEARCH AWARDS

This call is open to Canadian citizens and permanent residents and citizens of developing countries pursuing doctoral studies at a Canadian university. Awards will cover the costs of field research conducted for a doctoral dissertation in one or more countries in the Global South.

Number and Value of Awards: 25 Awards of up to \$20,000 each.

Deadline: July 17, 2024

For more information, [click here](#).

2.3. SICI-USASK SEMESTER IN INDIA (ASII) PROJECT 2024-25- Call for Applications

Shastri Indo-Canadian Institute (SICI), in partnership with the **University of Saskatchewan (USASK)**, is calling for applications for Canadian students (undergraduate level) **for the 'A Semester in India (ASII) Project.'**

The ASII Project offers a 13-week Semester in India from January to April 2025. The Semester will consist of two USASK-approved courses:

1. Culture, Society and Politics in India
2. Globalization and Development in India

Participating students receive nine (9) credit units from the USASK.

The Indian Institute of Technology, Gandhinagar (IITGN) in Ahmedabad, Gujrat, India, will be the primary home for the ASII Students.

Eligible Travel Timeframe: January to April 2025

Award Amount: CAD\$ 7,000

Deadline: July 28, 2024

For more information, [click here](#).

2.4. SHASTRI STUDENT RESEARCH IN INDIA FELLOWSHIP (SSRIF) 2024-25

SSRIF is for Canadian students studying in undergraduate and graduate degree programs, primarily in SICI's Canadian Member universities. SSRIF recipients will commence a 6-8 weeks research project in India under the supervision of Indian faculty members in their host Indian institutions in subject areas where they desire/require research experience.

Areas: The topic and content of the research proposal should focus on essential subject matters concerning Canada or India.

Eligible Travel Timeframe:

- Research Period: September 2024 – March 2025
- Placement Duration in India: 6-8 weeks

Award Amount: CAD\$ 8,500

Deadline: July 31, 2024

For more information, [click here](#).

2.5. SHASTRI SCHOLAR TRAVEL SUBSIDY GRANTS (SSTSG) 2024-25

Shastri Indo-Canadian Institute (SICI) aims to enhance institutional and scholarly linkages between SICI's Canadian and Indian Member Institutions. A total of twelve SSTSG project grants are available; 6 for students and 6 for faculty.

Key Objectives:

- Assist faculty members, post-doctoral and doctoral students with travel to participate in conferences, workshops, seminars and academic meetings in alternate partner countries (India or Canada);
- Facilitate enhancing personal and professional growth of Indian and Canadian scholars and institutions.
- Facilitate the promotion of academic linkages between India and Canada.

Eligible Travel Timeframe: June 15, 2024 to March 31, 2025.

Award Amount: \$1,500 CAD

Deadline: August 4, 2024

For more information, [click here](#).

2.6. DAAD (GERMANY) STUDY SCHOLARSHIPS – POSTGRADUATE STUDIES IN THE FIELD OF ARCHITECTURE

This scholarship programme offers the opportunity to study in Germany with a postgraduate or continuing course of study in the field of architecture. The scholarships also promote the exchange of experience and networking amongst colleagues.

Duration of Funding: 10 – 24 Months

Value: 934 euros per month

Deadline: September 25, 2024

For more information, [click here](#).

2.7. TUM GLOBAL POSTDOC FELLOWSHIP

The **TUM Global Postdoc Fellowship** is a funding opportunity for external junior researchers who are currently conducting research abroad and would like to continue their research as postdocs at TUM. For 24 months, fellows are supported by TUM to sharpen their research profile at a chair in their department and to initiate new research projects together with TUM scientists.

Duration of Funding: 24 Months

Value:

€2,670 per month

€430 kick-off payment

€350 per month for researchers living in Munich

Deadline: September 30, 2024

For more information, [click here](#).

2.8. DAIMLER AND BENZ FOUNDATION

The Foundation awards twelve scholarships to postdoc researchers, junior professors, and heads of junior research groups. The funding program is open to applicants from all scientific disciplines; there are no restrictions regarding subject area.

Value: €40000/scholarship

Duration: 2 years

Deadline: October 1, 2024

For more information, [click here](#).

2.9. DOCTORAL SCHOLARSHIPS FROM THE ROSA LUXEMBURG FOUNDATION

Rosa-Luxemburg-Stiftung grants scholarships to foreigners who go to Germany for their dissertation or to conduct research as a part of their dissertation.

Eligibility:

- Acceptance at a public or publicly accredited institution of higher learning in Germany or abroad
- Supervision by a professor in Germany
- Outstanding academic performance
- Social engagement in the spirit of the Rosa-Luxemburg-Stiftung
- High proficiency in German (proof of instruction required)

Value:

€1200 per month

€100 for transportation

€ 20 additional

Duration: No longer than 2 years

Deadline: October 1, 2024

For more information, [click here](#).

2.10. DAAD (GERMANY) RESEARCH STAYS FOR ACADEMICS AND SCIENTISTS

This programme offers the opportunity to network amongst colleagues and exchange experience in the framework of short-term research stays in Germany. The scholarships are funded by the German Federal Foreign Office.

Duration of Funding: 1 – 3 Months

Value: 2,000 – 2,150 euros per month

Deadline: October 15, 2024
For more information, [click here](#).

2.11. DAAD (GERMANY) STUDY VISITS FOR ACADEMICS (ARTISTS AND ARCHITECTS)

The aim of this programme is to promote artistic cooperations with German host institutions. The scholarships are funded by the German Federal Foreign Office.

Duration of Funding: 1 – 3 Months
Value: 2,000 – 2,150 euros per month
Deadline: October 15, 2024
For more information, [click here](#).

2.12. THE BRITISH ACADEMY VISITING FELLOWSHIPS 2025

The British Academy's Visiting Fellowships programme provides outstanding academics based in any country overseas with the opportunity to be based at a UK higher education or other research institution. The programme is open to academics at any career stage, and in any discipline within the humanities and social sciences.

Duration of Award: 3 – 6 Months
Deadline: October 23, 2024
For more information, [click here](#).

2.13. DAAD (GERMANY) RESEARCH GRANTS

The research grant offers the opportunity to realise a research project in Germany. The programme supports research stays during a doctorate or in the early postdoc phase.

Duration of Funding: 2 – 12 Months
Value: 1,300 euros per month
Deadline: October 31, 2024
For more information, [click here](#).

2.14. DAAD (GERMANY) STUDY SCHOLARSHIPS – MASTER STUDIES FOR ALL DISCIPLINES

This scholarship programme offers the opportunity to study in Germany with a postgraduate course of study. The scholarships are funded by the German Federal Foreign Office.

Duration of Funding: 10 – 24 Months
Value: 934 euros per month
Deadline: October 31, 2024
For more information, [click here](#).

2.15. DAAD (GERMANY) GERMAN STUDIES RESEARCH GRANT

This specialized DAAD program offers German Studies Research Grants to highly-qualified undergraduate and graduate students who are nominated by the professor supervising their research project. The grant may be used for short-term research (one to two months) in Germany. The program is designed to encourage research and promote the study of cultural, political, historical, economic and social aspects of modern and contemporary German affairs from an inter- and multidisciplinary perspective.

Value: 2000 - 3000 euros

Deadline: November 01, 2024
For more information, [click here](#).

2.16. DAAD (GERMANY) GROUP STUDY VISIT

DAAD uses funding from the Federal Foreign Office to support subject-related academic Group Study Visits to Germany organized by faculty members for groups of students. Group Study Visit grants are intended to encourage contact with academic institutions, groups and individuals in Germany, and offer insight into current issues in the academic, scientific, economic, political and cultural realms.

Value: Up to 9,600 euros
Deadline: November 01, 2024
For more information, [click here](#).

2.17. DAAD (GERMANY) STUDY SCHOLARSHIPS – POSTGRADUATE STUDIES IN THE FIELDS OF FINE ART, DESIGN, VISUAL COMMUNICATION AND FILM

This scholarship programme offers the opportunity to study in Germany with a postgraduate or complementary course of study in the fields of Fine Art, Design, Visual Communication and Film. The scholarships also promote the exchange of experience and networking amongst colleagues.

Duration of Funding: 10 – 24 Months
Value: 934 euros per month
Deadline: November 11, 2024
For more information, [click here](#).

2.18. HUMBOLDT RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP

The Humboldt Research Fellowship enables conducting research at various stages of one's career in collaboration with a host at a German research institution of their choice.

Value: €2,670 per month
Duration: 6 to 24 months
Deadline: Anytime
For more information, [click here](#).

For more information about these opportunities, please connect with the relevant Global Partnerships Manager:

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