Pursue a Doctorate degree:
Explore and enhance your passion for teaching and learning.

- This program is designed to provide rich opportunities for research related to language and literacies education.
- This program examines the relationships of literacies in language, and language in literacies, across communities, societies, instructional environments, and informal learning settings.
Why choose this program?

Exceptional courses: Explore different aspects of language and literacies education.

Flexible course selection and scheduling: Choose from courses, both within the program and from other programs in OISE. Full-time and Flexible-time options available.

World renowned faculty: Learn from leading Canadian educational researchers in the fields of literacy and language education.

Some Examples of Research Studies Affiliated with CERLL

Jeff Bale, Antoinette Gagné, Julie Kerekes
More Than Just Good Teaching: Mainstream Teacher Education for Supporting English Language Learners and Teacher Education Policy in Ontario

Cassie Brownell
Exploring Early Digital Literacy Practices and Creativity in Early Childhood Classrooms
Cultivating a Compositional Fluency in the Elementary English Language Arts Classroom

Emmanuelle Le Pichon-Vorstman
Peer feedback for the stimulation of writing skills, Utrecht Stimuleringsfonds Onderwijs
Enrica Piccardo  
A Quality Assurance Matrix for CEFR Use  
QualiCEFR: Quality in the implementation of the Common European Framework of Reference

LINgustic and Cultural DIversity REinvented (LINCDIRE): A digital environment to help learners navigate their trajectories

Shelley Stagg Peterson  
Northern Oral Language and Writing Through Play  
now-play.org

Look out for research posters that describe the various CERLL related research studies underway
Specialized Resources

Specific resources related to the program include the

- OISE library’s Modern Language Collection,
- la Collection Franco-Ontarienne,
- the Children’s and Young Adult literature collection, and
- the Centre for Educational Research on Languages and Literacies (CERLL).

Program structure

PhD

7 courses
- 5 LLE courses including CTL 3001H: Research Colloquium and CTL3899H Proseminar in LLE
- 2 Elective courses
- One of the 7 courses must be a Research Methods course selected from an approved list.

Thesis

Elective courses include CSTD courses, LLE courses, collaborative specialization courses, courses in other OISE departments, courses in other U of T graduate units (by permission)
2018-2019 LLE COURSE OFFERINGS

FALL 2018

CTL3000HF Foundations of Bilingual and Multicultural Education
CTL3002HF Second Language Teaching Methodologies
CTL3010HF Language Learning
CTL3020HF Writing in a Second Language
CTL3024HF Language Teacher Education
CTL3025HF Educational Sociolinguistics
CTL3030HF Theory and Practice in Elementary Literacy Education
CTL3033HF Literacy Research Methodologies [RM]
CTL3037HF Biography in Educational Contexts
CTL3413HF Reading Cinema and Cultural Identity
CTL3414HF Historical Literacy and Popular Literacy
CTL3805HF Multilingualism and Plurilingualism
CTL5306HF Special Topics – L’immersion francaise: enseignement et recherches
CTL6300HF Proseminar in Language & Literacies Education

WINTER 2019

CTL3001HS Research Colloquium in Language and Literacies Education
CTL3008HS Critical Pedagogy, Language and Cultural Diversity
CTL3013HS Language Assessment/Évaluation de la competence langagière
CTL3015HS Language & Literacies Education in Multilingual Contexts
CTL3018HS Language Planning and Policy/Politique et aménagement linguistique
CTL3028HS Literacy in Elementary Education
CTL3031HS Children’s Literature within a Multicultural Context
CTL3032HS Teaching Writing in the Classroom
CTL3034HS New Literacies: Making Multiple Meanings
CTL3036HS Expressive Writing: Practice and Pedagogy
CTL3101HS Language Awareness for Language Educators
CTL3807HS Second Language Education Research Methods [RM]
CTL5303HS Special Topics - Perspectives & Issues in Teaching English Internationally
CTL5305HS Special Topics – Academic English for Language & Literacies Educators
CTL5307HS Special Topics – Critical Academic Literacies: Teaching Culturally and Linguistically
Collaborative Specializations

- Comparative, International & Development Education
- Éducation, francophonies et diversité
- Educational Policy
- Ethnic and Pluralism Studies
- Knowledge Media Design
- Sexual Diversity Studies
- Women and Gender Studies

Graduate Base Funding Package – PhD Full-time students

- OISE provides a “Graduate Base Funding Package” to PhD Full-time students in Years 1 to 4.
  - The 2018-2019 base funding package is valued at $25,490 for domestic students and $26,144 for international students. This includes tuition and incidental fees and, in the case of international students, single coverage UHIP (University Health Insurance Plan).
  - The base funding package may consist of funds from OISE fellowships, internal or external scholarships and/or employment opportunities.
  - Continuation of the funding package from year to year is contingent on meeting the terms and conditions as outlined on the website.
  - [www.oise.utoronto.ca/oise/Tuition_and_Financial_Support/index.html](http://www.oise.utoronto.ca/oise/Tuition_and_Financial_Support/index.html)
Flexible-Time PhD Program

- Intended for practicing professionals who can demonstrate that their employment is related to their intended field of study and research interests.
- Flexibility: You can arrange your schedule to accommodate your studies.
- Applicants should ensure that they will have adequate time on campus to attend classes and to fulfill the academic requirement of a PhD program.
- A minimum residency of four years of full-time registration is required at the beginning of the program. Candidates may apply for part-time status after this four year-residency.

Employment Opportunities

- Graduate Assistantships (GA)
- Summer Graduate Assistantships
- Research & Development Graduate Assistantship (R & D GA)
- Research Assistantships (RA)
- Work Study Positions
Scholarships and Awards deadlines

- 2019-20 Scholarship deadlines are set 6 to 12 months in advance. Scholarships are competitive.
- Applicants applying through the Department of Curriculum, Teaching and Learning should submit their scholarship applications by the “graduate unit deadlines” as posted on the “CTL Scholarship & Awards” website.
- Successful applicants to the PhD Full-time program are offered a Graduate Base Funding Package. Large scholarships will be included in the value of the package.
- Questions? Contact Michelle Pon, Graduate Liaison Officer, Department of Curriculum, Teaching and Learning (michelle.pon@utoronto.ca)

CTL Scholarship & Awards: www.oise.utoronto.ca/ctl
OISE Scholarship & Awards, Graduate Base Funding Package Info: https://www.oise.utoronto.ca/oise/Tuition_and_Financial_Support/index.html
School of Graduate Studies Scholarships & Awards: http://www.sgs.utoronto.ca/currentstudents/Pages/Scholarships-and-Awards.aspx
School of Graduate Studies International Student Awards: http://www.sgs.utoronto.ca/currentstudents/Pages/International-Student-Awards.aspx

Financial Assistance

- Ontario Student Assistance Program (OSAP)
- University of Toronto Advance Planning for Students (UTAPS)
- Professional Master’s Financial Aid – OISE
- OISE Needs—based Bursary

For more details, visit www.uoft.me/oisemoneymatters

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Preparing your application

**PhD Program:** [https://www.oise.utoronto.ca/llephd/How_To_Apply.html](https://www.oise.utoronto.ca/llephd/How_To_Apply.html)

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Before applying, take note of the following:

- An appropriate Master’s degree with a minimum B+ or better, Master’s thesis or equivalent, two years professional experience.
- Review the LLE Faculty Profiles: [https://www.oise.utoronto.ca/ctl/Faculty_Profiles/index.html](https://www.oise.utoronto.ca/ctl/Faculty_Profiles/index.html)
- Check the International Degree Equivalencies Tool: [http://www.sgs.utoronto.ca/prospectivestudents/Pages/International-Degree-Equivalencies-Tool.aspx](http://www.sgs.utoronto.ca/prospectivestudents/Pages/International-Degree-Equivalencies-Tool.aspx)
- Evidence of English Language proficiency may be applicable.
- Information for International Applicants: [https://www.oise.utoronto.ca/orss/Admissions/International_applicants.html](https://www.oise.utoronto.ca/orss/Admissions/International_applicants.html)
### Application process

1. **Submit your complete application online as soon as possible**

2. **Academic assessment and application review**

3. **Official results will be available through your online application in the Spring**

   Successful admission results from Collaborative Specializations may be issued separately.

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