OISE Graduate Student Research Conference

The 2022 OISE Graduate Student Research Conference (GSRC) is taking place this weekend, on April 8 & April 9, 2022.

With over 65 presenters and 10 faculty members across the OISE community this year's conference, and a theme of *Moving Mountains: Uprooting and Pushing Boundaries in Education*, we know it would be a great opportunity for the OISE community to attend and learn from one another.

Conference website: https://www.oise.utoronto.ca/gsrc/
Registration page: https://www.oise.utoronto.ca/gsrc/registration/
Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100080052363874
Twitter: https://twitter.com/OISE_GSRC

This year's conference program features a variety of sessions you can participate in! With over 65 presenters and 10 faculty members across the OISE community, we are humbled and grateful to our many speakers, faculty, staff and sponsors for co-creating the space with us.

- Research/Practitioner Sessions
- Special Interest Groups
- Workshops
- Film Screening
- Poster Session
- Rapid Talk Competition
- Jack Quarter Student Panel
- Academic Publishing and Journals at OISE Panel

The conference would not be possible without the generous support of our sponsors at OISE’s Office of the Dean, OISE Department Chairs and the School of Graduate Studies at the University of Toronto.

In-Person Convocation Dates

OISE Convocation Dates are Set!

The University of Toronto Convocation Office has now posted the dates for in-person OISE Convocation ceremonies.

The plan is to host in-person ceremonies on June 14th to honour PhD, EdD, MA, and MEd and June 17th for MA-CSE and MT graduates.

Stay up to date on the latest details by visiting the website of the Convocation Office.

Awards & Honours

OISE AWARDS CEREMONY

The OISE community is invited to join together as we celebrate the OISE awards and honours for 2022 on Tuesday April 12th at 2pm.

Participate in this virtual event where we will honour colleagues and friends recognized for their excellence and efforts. This year we will be celebrating Teaching and Staff Excellence, Special Acknowledgements, Faculty Promotions, Long Service Awards, and the Leithwood Thesis Award Winner.

Be sure to join in virtually as we acknowledge these achievements. Register in advance to attend this special event.
OISE Faculty Recipients of UofT Awards

Join our community at the OISE Awards Ceremony on April 12th where we will also acknowledge award recipients of the University of Toronto 2022 President's Impact Award and the Excellence Awards. Congratulations to OISE Professors Glen Jones, Kang Lee, and Ann Lopez who were announced as recipients of the following university awards:

- **Professor Glen A. Jones**, Department of Leadership, Higher Adult Education
  Recipient of Vivek Goel Faculty Citizenship Award

- **Professor Kang Lee**, Department of Applied Psychology and Human Development
  Recipient of UofT President’s Impact Award (read more)

- **Professor Ann E. Lopez**, Department of Leadership, Adult & Higher Education
  Recipient of the Ludwik and Estelle Jus Memorial Human Rights Prize – Influential Leader Award

Events

Here are just some of the events happening at OISE. For the full list of OISE events, check out the events page.

**Professor Chloe Hamza TODAY at Noon!**

There is still time to register for Professor Chloe Hamza’s talk tomorrow & we look forward to seeing many of you then.

*Capturing self-injurious thoughts, feelings, and behaviours in real-time: opportunities, challenges, and potential applications of experiential sampling*

**Thursday, April 7, 2022, 12:00-1:00 pm**

**Disruption as Opportunity: Embracing Change in Higher Education**

**April 20, 2022**

Be a part of the discussion led by extraordinary thinkers, leaders, and emerging leaders representing higher education in Canada.

Join us for a free virtual leadership conference – you don’t want to miss this!

**Date:** Wednesday, April 20, 2022

**Time:** 9:00am to 3:00pm

Register at uoft.me/OISEforum2022

**Earth Day**

**April 22, 2022**

In the lead up to Earth Day in April, OISE’s Sustainability & Climate Action Network (SCAN) is working on new Sustainability Guides for Faculty and Staff, to complement the guide for OISE students shared last fall.

SCAN continues to offer free webinars in partnership with the Toronto District School Board, and is helping to organize a new Community of Practice on Sustainability Pedagogy for the broader U of T community – all SCAN events are listed here. OISE’s CPL team is offering AQ courses in Environmental Education this spring for K-12 teachers.

And as you return to campus, look for the return of the native plants in the OISE Learning Garden, signaling a return of the warm weather. Follow OISE_SCAN on Twitter for regular updates on upcoming events!
EC Offering New Faculty Orientation Sessions

Education Commons is holding an orientation session for new faculty on April 28, 2022, at 11:00 AM. Please share where possible.

The introduction will provide an overview of the technology, services and support offered by Education Commons and how to access services, as well as introduce new faculty to some members of the EC team. New community members will meet Daniel Marinos, Education Commons’ IT Service Management Coordinator, and our technology adoption consultants will demonstrate some popular services, including Quercus, Zoom video conferencing and security settings, and Microsoft 365.

New faculty can use this link to register.

Reminder of Zoom Security Guidelines and Best Practices

The OISE Chief Administrative Office and the Education Commons teams have worked on zoom guidelines and best practices particularly focussing on security for those hosting meetings, webinar, and events.

Visit Zoom Security for Meetings, Webinars & Events Resource for more helpful information.

Have a story you would like featured Inside OISE? Share it with us!

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- OISE Wellness
- The Discovery- Education Commons Newsletter
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View all upcoming virtual events.