

Announcing a Postdoctoral Fellowship of \$38,000
Duration: 12 months (beginning June or Sept. 2017)
Competition closing date: 4 p.m., March 31, 2017

ARIMA is a partnership that brings together university researchers, community groups, and public institutions providing social and primary health care services. Research focuses on the emergence of formal and informal networks in response to complex problems confronted by families, individuals, and communities. This partnership is unique in its dedication to the co-construction of projects amongst researchers, practitioners and citizens in local spaces. ARIMA operates with the help of contributions from partners and a seven-year grant under the "Partnership Grants" program of the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC).

As a member of this dynamic partnership, the post-doctoral fellow will join an interdisciplinary team of researchers working within a practice setting in Montréal — the *Centre intégré universitaire de santé et de services sociaux du Nord-de-l'Île-de-Montréal*, a university-affiliated centre — as well as a vast Canadian and international research network.

ARIMA is offering a 12-month postdoctoral fellowship of \$38,000¹ to promote and support the postdoctoral project of a young researcher who has completed, or will soon complete his or her doctoral studies in a field related to the social sciences. During tenure of the fellowship, the selected candidate will be expected to carry out a postdoctoral research project that contributes ARIMA'S research theme.

To be eligible for this postdoctoral fellowship, candidates must have submitted their dissertation by September 1, 2017 or have obtained their degree a maximum of three years prior to the closing date of this competition (up to six years in specific, exceptional cases such as illness or maternity leave). Furthermore, the postdoctoral project must contribute to furthering knowledge in relation to ARIMA'S research theme. While English is spoken by most in the workplace, the research centre operates in French.

Applicants should include the following documentation in their submission: a letter or presentation (if the PhD was awarded more than three years prior to the application date, this should include a justification); a copy of their PhD diploma or, if not available, a letter of proof that their dissertation has been submitted; a curriculum vitae; a copy of a recent publication, if available; two letters of recommendation, including one from their research supervisor or a jury member; and a presentation of their postdoctoral project (maximum two pages), emphasizing its contribution to furthering knowledge within ARIMA'S research theme.

Applications will be assessed based on their scientific quality and their compatibility with the postdoctoral program's goals and eligibility criteria. Applications must be e-mailed to Lyne Chayer **no later than March 31, 2017**: arima.partenariat.recherche@gmail.com We look forward to receiving your application! Candidates will be informed of the decision by e-mail.

¹ Salary offered by University of Montreal.



THE DEVELOPMENT OF PUBLIC, COMMUNITY AND FAMILY NETWORKS IN RESPONSE TO COMPLEX PROBLEMS – Research priorities and examples

STREAM 1: THE RELATIONAL DYNAMIC IN INTERVENTION NETWORKS OR FORMAL AND/OR INFORMAL CARE SETTINGS

This stream focuses on micro-level studies of interactions that are directly or indirectly related to social intervention and personal or family well-being. It may include topics such as:

- Inter-professional relations (collaborative and communicative practices, etc.) within public or community sectors or between them;
- Family or informal networks, for example, in relation to help-seeking or the distribution of caring responsibilities;
- Home care or other types of interventions that combine family and professional networks;
- The transfer of ideas, rationalities, or ways of thinking from one type of network to another;
- The processes involved in the emergence, development, and intersection of networks.

STREAM 2: FROM NETWORK GOVERNANCE TO THE GOVERNANCE OF NETWORKS IN THE FIELD OF SOCIAL SERVICES

Studies under development in this stream address inter-organizational or intersectoral social service network functioning or governance. Examples:

- How inter-organizational networks emerge and evolve;
- The management of asymmetrical relationships or of relations across sectors;
- The negotiation of normative, discursive, practical, and other types of coordination;
- The processes (trust, contracts, communication, etc.) that promote the coherence of inter-organizational networks
- The constitution of local service networks and the interaction of multiple networks operating in the same locality;
- Processes of isomorphism in networks: converging ways of seeing, thinking, and acting in private, public and associative structures;

STREAM 3: REPERCUSSIONS OF "NETWORKED" INTERVENTION PRACTICES IN THE FIELD OF SOCIAL SERVICES

This stream includes evaluative and analytic studies on the effectivity of networks: expected outcomes, unexpected consequences or adverse effects and their production, for example:

- Effects of the imposition of a network model of service delivery on patients, practitioners, organizations, the health and social services network, and society as a whole;
- Effects of networked interventions on the quality of service delivery, for example, on accessibility, continuity, or the appropriateness of services from the patients' point of view;
- Impact of networked interventions on social integration, for example, on participation, social capital, employment integration, etc;
- Effects of policy networks or deliberative networks on social service policy and programs.



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