



AIM-HI Network
March 2-8, 2022

“ENHANCING CAPACITY IN HEALTH RESEARCH LED BY INDIGENOUS SCHOLARS”

Announcements

Thank you to all those who attended the AIM-HI Network Closing Circle and the AIM-HI & IPHCPR Networks' Webinar last week!



Webinar on Indigenous Research Methods by Dr. Shawn Wilson

Bridging understanding between traditional Indigenous knowledges and western academia

Monday, March 7 @ 12:00-1:30 pm MST

Dr Shawn Wilson is from the Opaskwayak Cree Nation but currently lives on Bundjalung land on the east coast of Australia. He is an Associate Professor of Indigenous Studies in the Department of Community, Culture and Global Studies at the University of British Columbia, Okanagan in Canada, as well as adjunct faculty at Gribi College of Indigenous Australian Peoples at Southern Cross University in Australia.



Through working with Indigenous people internationally, Shawn has applied Indigenist philosophy within the contexts of Indigenous education, health and counselor education. In addition to further articulating Indigenous philosophies and research paradigms, his research focuses on the inter-related concepts of identity, health and healing, culture and wellbeing. His 2008 book, *Research is Ceremony: Indigenous Research Methods* is often cited for bridging understanding between traditional Indigenous knowledges and western academia. He is on the editorial boards of several journals and the board of directors for the Tapestry Institute, and co-editor of *Research and Reconciliation: Unsettling ways of knowing through Indigenous relationships* (2019).

Register **HERE** to receive the Zoom details

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/webinar-on-indigenous-research-methods-by-dr-shawn-wilson-tickets-208248375497>



Questions? Email iphcpr@ucalgary.ca



Congratulations to Keith King, winner of the 2021-2022 AIM-HI Network Graduate Student Mentorship Stipend!

“Keith is an English settler on his father’s side and Russian settler/Métis on his mother’s side, and a citizen of the Métis Nation of Alberta. He is also a Registered Nurse and Ph.D. student in the Faculty of Nursing at the University of Alberta. He grew up on a farm near Manning, Alberta, in Métis Nation of Alberta (MNA) Region Six of the homeland, and Neheyewak, Dene Suliné, and Dane-zaa territory under Treaty 8. He is currently living in Amiskwaçî-wâskahikan (Edmonton), in MNA Region Four, on the traditional lands and meeting place of the Dene Suliné, Nehiyiwak or Cree, Nakota Sioux, Haudenosaunee or Iriquois, Saukteaux, Siksikaitsitapi or Blackfoot, Anishinaabe, Inuit and other distinct peoples. His proposed Ph.D. research will look at community needs, vaccination coverage, and the experiences of Métis people, their families, and communities with vaccinations against Human Papillomavirus (HPV), a common infection that increases the risk of several types of cancer. He hopes to continue his work with his community and the MNA, developing Métis ways of knowing and doing research, to deepen his connection with his kin and lands, and to support contemporary action to continue to assert Métis sovereignty and self-determination in health, education, and research.”

Reminder: The deadline for the IPHCPR Network 2022 Indigenous Undergraduate Summer Student Mentorship Stipend is next Wednesday, March 9!

All Indigenous students, faculty and staff are welcome to join the virtual Connection Circle from **10am-12pm this Friday, March 4.** Email Katrina at aimhi@ucalgary.ca for details.

Happening this week

- nehiyaw Trauma Informed Training: [Exploring wisakacihowin \(Trauma\) and Indigenous Trauma Informed Practices – March 3](#)
- **New!** United Way Circle of Allies: [Lunch & Learn: Honouring Indigenous Women – March 4](#)
- [2022 American Indian Science & Engineering Society in Canada National Gathering – March 4-6](#)

New Opportunities

- [Indigenous Student Museum Internship](#) – Friends of Royal Alberta Museum Society (FRAMS) – **March 7**
- [Indigenous Dementia Student Award](#) – Canadian Nurses Foundation & Canadian Consortium on Neurodegeneration in Aging – **April 1**
- [First Nations, Métis and Inuit Graduate Bursary](#) – Calgary Foundation – **July 31**

Upcoming Webinars & Events



- U of C Indigenous Research Support Team: [Weaving Webs Conference](#) – **March 17-18**
- UBC Centre for Health Services & Policy Research: [2022 34th Annual Health Policy Conference: Medicare at a Crossroads: Myths & Realities 50 Years In](#) – **March 31 & April 1**
- U of C TI: [2022 Conference on Postsecondary Learning and Teaching](#) – **May 1-3**
- Winnipeg Art Gallery: [Mawachihitotaak \(Let's Get Together\) Métis Studies Symposium](#) – **May 3-6**
- CAAN & the AHA Centre: [2022 Wise Practices & Skills Building Gathering](#) – **May 18-20**
- U of C Campus Mental Health Strategy & Best Practices in Canadian Higher Ed Network: [Connecting Research & Practice in Post-Secondary Mental Health](#) – **August 12-13**

Employment Opportunities (All open until filled unless otherwise noted)

- [Canada Research Chair \(Tier 1\) in Anti-Racism and Health Equity](#) – U of C CSM – **March 18**
- [Assistant Professor, Data Science/Data Sovereignty for Indigenous Health](#) – UBC School of Population & Public Health – **April 5**
- [Director, Indigenous Relations](#) – The Alex
- [Assistant Professor, Aboriginal Teacher Education Program & Indigenous Peoples Education Program](#) – U of A Faculty of Education
- [Analyst, Consulting - Indigenous Services](#) – MNP
- [Social Epidemiologist](#) – Community-Based Research Centre
- [Research Assistant, Knowledge Mobilization](#) – DRUM & SASH
- [Research Assistant, Rural/Urban STBBI Service Contexts](#) – DRUM & SASH
- [Research Assistant, Indigenous Health](#) – Indigenous Data Team, Health Data Research Network
- [Assistant or Associate Professor in Film History, Film Preservation & Collections Management](#) – Ryerson U
- [Research Associate](#) – Indigenous Health Nursing Research, TRU
- [Principal Researcher](#) – First Peoples Wellness Circle
- [Principal Investigator](#) – Raven Indigenous Impact Foundation
- [Communications Officer](#) – Moose Hide Campaign
- [Assistant Professor, Indigenous Art Studio](#) – U of L



Student Awards, Training Opportunities & Fellowships

- [Belcourt Brosseau Métis Awards](#) – Edmonton Community Foundation – **March 31**
- [Jordan's Principle Scholarship](#) – First Nations Child & Family Caring Society – **March 31**
- [Support for Indigenous Student Learning Program](#) – Indigenous Disability Canada – **March 15, 2023**
- [Canadian Mountain Network Fellow in Indigenous Knowledge and Decolonization of Science](#) – U of A – **Open until filled**
- [Postdoctoral Fellow](#) – Waniska Indigenous Centre for HIV, HCV and STBBI – **Open until filled**

Additional funding opportunities offered on a continuous basis can be found on our website [HERE](#)

Grants

Note: [Reminder to check the UCalgary Funding Deadline Calendar](#)

- [Team Grant: Indigenous Healthy Life Trajectories Initiative \(I-HeLTI\) Cohort Research Study](#) – CIHR – **June 8**
- [Team Grant in Diabetes Prevention & Treatment in Indigenous Communities: Resilience & Wellness](#) – CIHR – **July 7**
- [Indigenous Peoples Resilience Fund](#) – Community Foundations of Canada – **Ongoing**

Reminder: The AIM-HI Network will sunset this March and our activities will be continued on through the [IPH CPR Network](#). Please stay tuned through their newsletter and check out the current opportunities, including:

- [Experiential Internship Opportunity](#) – **Ongoing**
- [Knowledge Exchange Grants Program](#) – **Ongoing**

Have a wonderful week!