

ACSUS NOVEMBER 2023 CONFERENCE PROGRAM

REGISTRATION (Regency Foyer, ground floor)

November 16: 3:00 p.m. – 8 p.m.

November 17: 7:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.

November 18: 7:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.

November 19: 7:30 a.m. – 11 a.m.

DAY 1 THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16

1:00-4:00 pm (Tidewater, 2nd Floor)

ACSUS Executive Council Meeting

6:30 – 8:00 pm (Room)

Welcoming Reception at the Woodrow Wilson Center with Canada’s Deputy Head of Mission Arun Alexander

All welcome

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DAY 2 FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17

8:00 – 8:45 am (Regency Ballroom, ground floor)

Breakfast Plenary – “Security. Cooperation. Governance. The Canada-United States Open Border Paradox”

Historically, national borders have evolved in ways that serve the interests of central states in security and the regulation of trade. This roundtable launches Security. Cooperation. Governance., which explores Canada–US border and security policies that have evolved from successive trade agreements since the 1950s, punctuated by new and emerging challenges to security in the twenty-first century. The sectoral and geographical diversity of cross-border interdependence of what remains the world’s largest bilateral trade relationship makes the US–Canada border a living laboratory to study the interaction of trade, security, and other border policies that challenge traditional centralized approaches to national security.

The panel will discuss how border governance straddles multiple regional, sectoral, and security scales in ways rarely documented in such detail. These developments have precipitated an Open Border Paradox: extensive, regionally varied flows of trade and people have resulted in a series of nested but interdependent security regimes that function on different scales and vary across economic and policy sectors. These realities have given rise to regional and sectoral specialization in related security regimes. For instance, just-in-time automotive production in the Great Lakes region varies considerably from the governance of maritime and intermodal trade (and port systems) on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, which in turn is quite different from commodity-based systems that manage diverse agricultural and food trade in the Canadian Prairies and U.S. Great Plains.

The paradox of open borders and their legitimacy is a function of robust bilateral and multilevel governance based on effective partnerships with substate governments and the private sector. Effective policy accounts for regional variation in integrated binational security and trade imperatives. At the same time, binational and continental policies are embedded in each country’s trade and security relationships beyond North America.

Moderator- **Christian Leuprecht**, Royal Military College and Queen’s University

Discussants:

Christopher Sands, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars and Johns Hopkins University SAIS

Kathryn Friedman, Ted Stevens Center for Arctic Security Studies

Alan Bersin, Wilson Center

Guadalupe Correa-Cabrera, George Mason University

Panelists:

Emmanuel Brunet-Jailly, University of Victoria

Geoffrey Hale, University of Lethbridge

Todd Hataley, Fleming College

Benjamin Muller, University of Western Ontario

Kelly Sundberg, Mount Royal University
Laurie Trautman, Western Washington University
Stéphane Roussel, École nationale d'administration publique
John Blaxland, **Affiliation**
Laura Dawson, Future Borders Coalition

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9:00 – 10:15 am SESSION 1

1A. Politics and Public Policy: Policies and politics of collaboration (Roosevelt, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Loleen Berdahl**, University of Saskatchewan

Panelists:

Francis Langlois, Université du Québec à Montréal

“Reframing gun control in Canada: a historical perspective”

Michael Nolan, McMaster University

“Depoliticizing the Political: Decision Makers Perceptions on Reform Proposals to the Canadian Equalization System”

Lawrence Anderson, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater

“A unified theory of secession and unification: local and national cases from Canada and the United States”

Alison Beale, Simon Fraser University

“A Focus on Labour as an Issue in Parks and Protected Areas”

1B. Border Issues, Integration, Trade, and Economics: Current Crises on the Border

(Arlington, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Katherine Roberts**, Wilfrid Laurier University

Panelists:

Susan Bradbury, Iowa State University

“COVID-19 and the Closed Open Border: Canadian/American Government Pandemic Policies and Travel Restrictions, 2019-2022”

Cosette Arseneault-Deraps, Carleton University

“In The Pipeline: Questions of oil alliances, conflicts, and sovereignty”

Élisabeth Vallet, Royal Military College Saint-Jean / Université du Québec à Montréal

“Re-bordering North America in a time of crisis: are we headed towards the Mexicanization of the US-Canada border?”

1C. Critical Cultural Studies and Philosophy: Teaching Beyond and Against Borders: The Limits of “Canada” and “National Container” Thinking in Indigenous & Settler Colonial Critiques (Fairfax, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Janet Wesselius**, University of Alberta

Panelists:

Eric Wilkinson, McGill University
“John Clark Murray & The Rights of Women”

Peter Thompson, Carleton University
“Industrial Heritage, Settler Colonialism, and the Future of the Pictou Waterfront”

Robert Timko, Mansfield University of Pennsylvania
“Why those who study Canada need to read the philosophy of Rupert Clendon Lodge”

Elizabeth Trott, Toronto Metropolitan University
“Canada Near and Shrinking”

1D. Energy and the Environment: Transborder and Contemporary Issues in Canada and the United States (Prince William, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Claire Campbell**, Bucknell University

Panelists:

Paul Ciccantell, Western Michigan University
“Coal, Tourism, and Logging in Southeastern British Columbia: Complementarities and Contradictions”

Andrea Olive, University of Toronto Mississauga
“Transboundary Species-at-Risk in Canada and the US: Creating Geographies of Belonging”

Joanna Robinson, York University
“Using a Wellbeing Framework to Advance a Justice-oriented Green New Deal”

Evelyn Roozee, McGill University
Owen Temby, The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley
“Managing Collaboration in Binational Fisheries: Evidence from the Gulf of Maine”

1E. Foreign Policy and Defense: Canada’s Foreign Policy and Politics (Kennedy, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Stéphane Roussel**, École nationale d’administration publique

Panelists:

Kenneth Holland, O. P. Jindal Global University

“Canada, Cuba and Venezuela: Why Did the Justin Trudeau Administration Embrace Regime Change in Latin America?”

Carlos Gabriel Argüelles Arredondo, Universidad del Mar

“Canada’s foreign policy in the Americas in the 21st Century: balance and perspectives”

Gavin Cameron, University of Calgary

“Canada in the Indo-Pacific: An inconsistent ally?”

Jacob Anderson, Queen’s University

“Calling for a Freeze in the Desert Kingdom: Canada’s Arms Sales to Saudi Arabia”

1F. Gender, Identities, Minorities, and Diversity: Historical and contemporary discriminations and barriers towards Indigenous and Black communities in Canada
(Jefferson, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Sharon Morgan Beckford**, University at Buffalo

Panelists:

Todd Hataley, Fleming College

“Barriers to policing as a career choice for Indigenous people in Canada”

Wilburn Hayden, York University

“Black enslavement and discrimination”

Anne MacLennan, York University

“Views of Canadian Identity from Near and Far”

Christine Khan, The Graduate Center, CUNY

“Locating Anti-Blackness, Contesting Racialization: Second-generation Indo-Caribbean Movements in New York City and Toronto”

1G. Student Colloquium –Indigenous Studies and Decolonization (Lincoln, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Manuel Sousa Oliveira**, University of Porto

Panelists:

Vivian Giang, University of Alberta

“From Hawai’i to Alberta: Parallels and contrasts of geothermal energy development on Indigenous traditional lands”

Christopher DesRivières, Carleton University

“Reconciling our Built Heritage: The Decolonization of 100 Wellington to the Indigenization of the Indigenous Peoples Building”

Victoria Pelky, Carleton University

“Challenging Social and World Views: Carl Beam’s Indigenization of a Western Art Form as a Form of Activism”

10:15 – 10:45 Refreshment break (Regency Foyer, ground floor)

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10:45 – 12:00 SESSION 2

2A. Politics and Public Policy: Evolution in Canadian legislation (Roosevelt, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Maude Marquis-Bissonnette**, École nationale d’administration publique

Panelists:

Charles Deshaies, SUNY Plattsburgh

“Waiting for the (next) Wave: The Historical Probability for the next New Democratic Party ‘Surge’”

James Endersby, University of Missouri

Thomas Martin, University of Missouri

“A New Measure of Legislative Professionalism in Canadian Provincial Assemblies”

Jacob Robbins-Kanter, Bishop’s University

“Working-Class Candidates and Descriptive Representation in Canadian Federal Parties”

Breanna Kubat, Carleton University

“Pearsonian Nostalgia: The Utility of Nostalgia as a Political Discourse in the 2015 Rebranding of the Liberal Party of Canada”

2B. Border Issues, Integration, Trade, and Economics: Trade Policy Issues (Arlington, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Katherine Roberts**, Wilfrid Laurier University

Panelists:

Yan Cimon, Université Laval

Erick Duchesne, Université Laval

Richard Ouellet, Université Laval

“If ‘Necessity Has Made Us Allies,’ Let’s Build North American Economic Integration Better”

Laurence Marquis, Université de Sherbrooke

“Canada – an Unexpected Trade Phoenix Rising out of its Ashes?”

2C. Foreign Policy and Defense: Canada's Foreign Policy: Past and Future Issues (Fairfax, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Christopher Kirkey**, SUNY Plattsburgh

Panelists:

Elizabeth Elliot-Meisel, Creighton University

“Canada's Arctic Visionaries in the Age of Cold War Continental Security”

Yvon Grenier, St. Francis Xavier College

“A Canadian Affair: Trudeau, Castro, and the Cold War”

Taylor Robertson McDonald, American University

“Canada's Feminist Foreign Policy and Russia's War in Ukraine: An Ontological Security Approach”

2D. History: The Power of Print and Discourse in Shaping Understandings of Things Canadian (Prince William, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Keith Carlson**, University of the Fraser Valley

Panelists:

Adrian Wawrejko, University of British Columbia

“An Ideological Seduction? Unsettling the discourse of anti-Americanism in English Canada, 1950-1980”

Soren Fanning, Robert Morris University

Anthony Moretti, Robert Morris University

“Historical Representations of Indigenous in the New York Times: How One American Newspaper Covers a Canadian Crisis”

Brittany Goetting, University of Pikeville

“‘A Little One Has Become a Thousand and a Small One a Strong Nation’: The Impact of Borders and Print Culture on Maritime Baptist Identity, 1770-1840”

Stephen Moore, Central Washington University

“A ‘Citadel of Power’: The Place of Canada in Congressional Discourse, 1939-1941”

2E. Roundtable: Canada-US Relations from Donald Trump to Joe Biden: Regional and Local Perspectives: Border, Energy and Climate Issues (Kennedy, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **Christophe Cloutier-Roy**, Université du Québec à Montréal

Discussant – **David Biette**, The Council of State Governments, Eastern Regional Conference

Panelists:

Élisabeth Vallet, Royal Military College Saint-Jean / Université du Québec à Montréal

“Open or Close the Border During COVID-19? The Effect of Ottawa and Washington's Dithering on Canada-US Border Regions”

Victor Bardou-Bourgeois, Université du Québec à Montréal
“Losing Power? Québec’s Hydro Exports to the US from Trump’s Economic Nationalism to Biden’s Green Revolution”

Gabriel Lévesque, Université du Québec à Montréal
“On the Road of Black Gold: The Evolving Media Framing of Enbridge Pipelines in the Midwest – Before, During and After Trump”

2F. Roundtable: The Legacy of 9/11: Views from “North America: Ideas and Borders
(Jefferson, 3rd floor)
Moderator- **Alex Moens**, Simon Fraser University

Panelists:

Geoffrey Hale, University of Lethbridge
Jeffrey Ayres, Saint Michael’s College
Meredith Lilly, Carleton University
Laura Macdonald, Carleton University
Kim Richard Nossal, Queen’s University

2G. Student Colloquium –Black Studies, Indigeneity, and Racism in Education (Lincoln, 3rd floor)
Chair – **Emma Croll-Baehre**, McMaster University

Panelists:

Gale Franklin, Carleton University
“The Sounds of Whiteness: Listening to the “Freedom Convoy” Occupation of Ottawa, Canada”

Jenni Makahnouk, McGill University
“Wakanda Forever? Self-Actualizing Whiteness and Blackness by Eliminating Indigeneity”

Breanna Kubat, Carleton University
“Canadian Universities in the Twenty-First Century: tensions, pressures, and responses”

12:00 – 1:15 pm ACSUS Awards Luncheon (Regency Ballroom, ground floor)

Keynote Address

Title TBA

Élisabeth Vallet, Royal Military College / Université du Québec à Montréal

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1:30 – 2:45 pm – SESSION 3

3A. Politics and Public Policy: Intergovernmental relationships (Roosevelt, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Daniyal Zuberi**, University of Toronto

Panelists:

Maude Marquis-Bissonnette, École nationale d'administration publique

Paloma Raggio, Carleton University

“Governance void et the pitfalls of multilevel governance”

Christine Cooling, York University

“The Online Streaming Act and ‘Canadian Content’: Mediating Cultural Sovereignty from South to North?”

Loleen Berdahl, University of Saskatchewan

Lisa Young, University of Calgary

“‘Standing up to Ottawa’: Alberta and Saskatchewan Challenge the Canadian Federation”

3B. Border Issues, Integration, Trade, and Economics: Climate and Trade (Arlington, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Jeffrey Ayres**, Saint Michael’s College

Panelists:

Emily Walter, Carleton University

Meredith Lilly, Carleton University

“Canada’s American problem with carbon leakage: The consequences of a Canadian border carbon adjustment on trade relations with the US”

Prosper Bernard, Jr., Seton Hall University

“Canadian Political Economy since the 1990s from a Comparative Perspective: Insights from the Growth Model Approach”

3C. History: Canadian Trade, Diplomacy, and Capitalism (Fairfax, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Soren Fanning**, Robert Morris University

Panelists:

Jennifer Anderson, Global Affairs Canada, Government of Canada

“A Diplomacy of Goodwill: The Establishment of the Roosevelt-Campobello International Park”

Jennifer Levin Bonder, Western Washington University

“‘Rambouillet ou l’Atlanticism’: Trade blocs and Canadian Trojan Horses in the founding of the G7”

Stefano Tijerina, University of Maine

“Canadian Capitalist Expansion in Colombia: A Case of Private Public Partnerships”

3D. Roundtable: Conversations with Authors: Canada and the United States: Differences That Count (Prince William, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **TBD**

Panelists:

Christopher Sands, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars and Johns Hopkins University SAIS

David Thomas, **Affiliation**

3E. Roundtable: Critical Understandings of Canadian Curling Culture in an Era of Change (Kennedy, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **Andrew Holman**, Bridgewater State University

Panelists:

Simon Barrick, Cape Breton University

“‘The rocks and the ice don’t discriminate’: Making sense of Canada’s diversity, equity, and inclusion turn”

Scott Piroth, Bowling Green State University

“Curling and Social Capital”

Heather Mair, University of Waterloo

“Introducing Curling in Canada”

Richard Norman, Toronto Metropolitan University

“Through the house: Curling’s Failure to Fulfill its Promise of ‘Diversity’”

3F. Roundtable: Comparing Circumpolar Futures and Changing Borders in the Arctic and Antarctic (Jefferson, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **MGen (ret’d), Randy “Church” Kee**, Ted Stevens Center for Arctic Security Studies

Discussants:

Kathryn Friedman, Ted Stevens Center for Arctic Security Studies

David Kennedy, US Arctic Research Commission

Michael Sfraga, Chair, U.S. Arctic Research Commission

Rebecca Pincus, Polar Institute, Wilson Center

Panelists:

Christian Leuprecht, Royal Military College and Queen’s University

Heather Nicol, Trent University

Douglas Causey, Harvard University & University of Alaska, Anchorage

3G. Student Colloquium –The Body, Belonging, and Practices (Lincoln, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Manuel Sousa Oliveira**, University of Porto

Panelists:

Meighan Mantei, Carleton University

“Land, Resources and a Politic of Belonging: Navigating Girlhood in Oil Country”

Angelica Voutsinas, McGill University

“Rethinking Canadian Sex Work Legislation to Better Protect Communities and Exploited Persons”

Emma Croll-Baehre, McMaster University

“‘[We] were always kind of older girls’ play things’: Queer Twin(ning)s, Canadian Homonationalism, and Tegan and Sara’s High School”

Malcolm Nelson, University of Maine

“Queer Gardening: Exploring Dimensions of Sustainability at Community Gardens Situated Within Montreal”

2:45 – 3:00 pm Refreshment break (Regency Foyer, ground floor)

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3:00 – 4:15 pm SESSION 4

4A. Politics and Public Policy: Cross-border relationship (Roosevelt, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Alison Beale**, Simon Fraser University

Panelists:

Carolyn Geiser, Colorado Technical University

Gregory Geiser, Sinclair College

“Cross-Border Media Issues”

Olivia Kurajian, Michigan State University

“Women, Residency, and the Law: A Comparison Between American and Canadian Spousal Sponsorship”

Robert Smith, University of Illinois Springfield

Alexandre Turgeon, Université Laval

“The United States-Canadian Relationship Evidenced through Political Cartoons: A Review of the Obama/Trump/Biden and Harper/Trudeau Years”

Ibrahim Berrada, Laurentian University

“The Continental Divide Revisited: Populism in Canada and the United States”

4B. Border Issues, Integration, Trade, and Economics: Contemporary Issues in Border Studies (Arlington, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Jeffrey Ayres**, Saint Michael’s College

Panelists:

Élisabeth Vallet, Royal Military College Saint-Jean / Université du Québec à Montréal

Jussi Laine, University of Eastern Finland

“Sleeping with an Elephant (or a bear): How Canada and Finland manage their contiguous border with their neighbor”

Meredith Lilly, Carleton University

Emily Walter, Carleton University

“Coercion or Consent? Trade Measures as Tools for Canadian Government Action on Climate Goals”

Yan Cimon, Université Laval

Erick Duchesne, Université Laval

Richard Ouellet, Université Laval

“Three cheers (or jeers?) for a continuous intergovernmental dialog over Canada-US trade”

4C. History: Commemoration and Remembering (Fairfax, 3rd floor)

Chair – **John Lutz**, University of Victoria

Panelists:

Paul Buck, University of Maine at Fort Kent

“The Treaty of Washington (1842) and Maine’s Northern Border: The Conjunction of Cartography, Culture, and Commemoration”

Eric Weeks, Bridgewater State University

“The Reclamation of Commemoration”

4D. Roundtable: The Value of Canadian Philosophy for Understanding Canada, Near and Far (Prince William, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **Janet Wesselius**, University of Alberta

Moderator- **Joan Whitman Hoff**, Lock Haven University

Panelists:

Joseph McGinn, St. Stephen’s University

Robert Timko, Mansfield University of Pennsylvania

Elizabeth Trott, Toronto Metropolitan University

Eric Wilkinson, McGill University

4E. Roundtable: Landscapes, Forests, and Rivers: Environmental Histories from Twentieth-Century Canada (Kennedy, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **Claire Campbell**, Bucknell University

Panelists:

Mark McLaughlin, University of Maine

“Command and Control: The Militarization of New Brunswick’s Forestry Sector after the Second World War”

Neil Forkey, St. Lawrence University

“Protecting and Renewing the Upper St. Lawrence River Watershed, 1960s-1970s”

Edward MacDonald, University of Prince Edward Island

“The Environmental Turn in Prince Edward Island Tourism, 1965—1990”

Joshua MacFadyen, University of Prince Edward Island

“Time Flies: An Aerial Environmental History of Canada’s Smallest Province, Prince Edward Island”

4F. Roundtable: New Directions in Politics and Public Policy (Jefferson, 3rd floor)

Chair and Discussant – **Nadine Fabbi**, University of Washington

Panelists:

Robert Brown, York University

“The Secondary to Postsecondary Transition Process in Public Education: Trends and New Shifts”

Sarah Gansen, University of Southern California

Patrick James, University of Southern California

“A Graphic Turn for Canadian Foreign Policy: Insights from Systemism”

Geoffrey Hale, University of Lethbridge

“North America’s Not Going Anywhere: Canadian Trade and Investment Policies in the 2020s”

4G. Student Colloquium – Focus: Workplace Policies and Education (Lincoln, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Christina Keppie**, Western Washington University

Panelists:

Katie-Marie McNeill, Queen’s University

“Policies, Practices, and Interactions of Prisoner Aid Societies in Canada and the United States, 1945-1970”

Narjes Hashemi, McGill University

“Mapping the Educational Trajectories and Experiences of Refugees: Implications for Educational Integration”

Rachael Lindberg, Concordia University

Pavel Trofimovich, Concordia University

“Second-Language French Employees’ Expectation of Bias and Their Experiences with Accent Discrimination in the Québec Workplace”

Ashley Schepis, Bridgewater State University

“How National Ideals Affect the Teaching of History in North American High Schools: A Comparative Study of Canada and the United States”

4:15 – 5:30 PM SESSION 5

5A. Politics and Public Policy: Social policies across the border (Roosevelt, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Francis Langlois**, Université du Québec à Montréal

Panelists:

Daniyal Zuberi, University of Toronto

“Policy Responses to the Covid-19 Pandemic in Canada and the United States: Poverty Reduction Policies and Impact on Health, the Economy and Society”

Matt Wilder, University of Toronto

Sean McGowan, Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada

“Measuring the ‘developmental state’ in liberal countries: a comparison of policy agendas in Canada and the United States, 1989-2023”

Paul Bennett, Schoolhouse Institute/ Saint Mary’s University

“Culture Wars in Education: Comparing School Board Battleground Politics in Canada and the United States”

5B. History: Contesting Borders and Contested (Work)Places (Arlington, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Stephanie Bangarth**, University of Western Ontario

Panelists:

Thomas Stroyan, University of Western Ontario

“Crossing the Andes: A Comparative Analysis of Canada's Engagement with Chile and Argentina in the Trudeau and Clark Eras, 1968-1984”

Derek Moscato, Western Washington University

“Place branding the Klondike: Arcticification, gold rush nostalgia, and the cryospheric gaze”

Christopher Petrakos, University of Toronto Mississauga

“Violence on Yukon: Traders, Trappers, and Imperial Contestation on the Alaska-Yukon Borderlands, 1847-1870”

Félix Gélinas, Université Laval

“Le paradoxe des enjeux de masculinité dans les soins infirmiers au Québec, 1944-1973 / The paradox of masculinity issues in Quebec nursing, 1944-1973 »

5C. International Relations: Contemporary Issues in IR (Fairfax, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Christopher Kirkey**, SUNY Plattsburgh

Panelists:

Kenneth Holland, O. P. Jindal Global University

“Canada’s Alignment with the Biden Administration’s Get-Tough Policy Toward China”

Michael MacLeod, St. Mary’s University

“Corporate Social Responsibility in the Age of COVID: Canadian and American Business Responses to the Global Pandemic”

David Plazek, Northern Vermont University

“Realist or Liberal: Canadian Foreign Policy, 2006-2009”

Leah Sarson, Dalhousie University

“Canada’s International Cooperation in the Far North and Indigenous Peoples”

5D. Literature, Film, and Media in English: Panel title TBA (Prince William, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Matthew Smith**, SUNY Plattsburgh

Panelists:

Paul Keen, Carleton University

Cynthia Sugars, University of Ottawa

“The Afterlives of the Near and Far: The Historicity of Trans-Atlantic Community in Pre-Confederation Periodical Writing”

Nora Foster Stovel, University of Alberta

“Carol Shields: From Poet to Novelist”

Wendy Donnan, York University

“Take One (1966-1979), “Not Very Canadian Nationalist”: A Canadian Cultural Property Puts Down Roots in New York”

5E. Roundtable: Understanding Canada Through Cross-border Environmental Issues

(Kennedy, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **TBD**

Panelists:

Claire Campbell, Bucknell University
Mark McLaughlin, University of Maine
Brian Payne, Bridgewater State University
Blair Stein, Clarkson University

5F. Roundtable: Managing Canadian Federalism through Pandemic: Five Studies

(Jefferson, 3rd floor)

Moderator – **Kathy Brock**, Queen’s University
Moderator- **Geoffrey Hale**, University of Lethbridge

Panelists:

Kathryn Friedman, Ted Stevens Center for Arctic Security Studies
Patrick James, University of Southern California
Gillian Petit, University of Calgary
Laurie Trautman, Western Washington University

5G. Student Colloquium – Focus: Politics and International Relations (Lincoln, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Emma Croll-Baehre**, McMaster University

Panelists:

Joanne Archibald, Queen’s University
“More than just a Northern Neighbor: Developing Canada’s Defense Relationship with the United States, 1948-1956”

Nicholas Glesby, University of Manitoba

“The Canada-U.S. Permanent Joint Board on Defense (PJBD): Legacy and Relevancy in the 21st Century”

Laurent Hotte, Université du Québec à Montréal

“Reactionaries or Scapegoats: How Canada underlines the Importance of separating Nativism from Populism”

Jay Dion, University of Manitoba

“The International Joint Commission (IJC): The Relevancy of Cooperation in Water Management”

5:30 - 6:30 pm Middle Atlantic & New England Council for Canadian Studies business meeting (Arlington, 3rd floor)

Friday, November 17th, 6:30 – 8:00 pm (Regency Ballroom, ground floor)
Reception and Keynote Address TBA

And Special Guest
Kim Thúy, National Order of Quebec

Sponsored by: The Ministry of International Relations and la Francophonie, Government of Québec

DAY 3 SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18

8:00 – 8:45 am (Regency Ballroom, ground floor)

Breakfast Plenary – “Border Barometer Revisited: Assessing the Impact of Covid-19 on the Border and the Regional Relationships and Local Communities that Rely on It”

Moderator – **Laurie Trautman**, Western Washington University

Spanning over 5,500 miles/8,800 km, the Canada-US border is the longest international border in the world and it plays an important role, both directly and indirectly, in the lives of millions of North Americans. In 2020, a group of eight researchers came together, supported by six Canadian Consulates, to analyze the impacts of the COVID-19 border restrictions enacted between the US and Canada. The resulting publication, the Border Barometer, highlighted the influence of the border on a wide range of economic and social interactions, bringing heightened attention to the regional relationships and local communities that rely on it for so many fundamental facets of life. This roundtable will revisit the original Border Barometer findings: 1) reflecting on the original regional analyses related to the immediate impact of Covid-19 on the border and on relationships and border communities; 2) updating for November 2023 on the extent to which the relationships and border communities have or have not "bounced back" in the two years since both Canada and the U.S. began opening the border to non-essential travelers in November 2021; and 3) considering how sub-national actors at the regional scale are re-shaping governance going forward.

Panelists:

Jeffrey Ayres, Saint Michael's College

Stefano Tijerina, University of Maine

Geoffrey Hale, University of Lethbridge

Kathryn Friedman, Ted Stevens Center for Arctic Security Studies

9:00 – 10:15 am SESSION 6

6A. Politics and Public Policy: Education and workforce policies across the border

(Roosevelt, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Paul Bennett**, Saint Mary's University

Panelists:

Alexandre Couture Gagnon, The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley

Katarzyna Sepielak, The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley

“Canada’s current policies vis-à-vis citizens born and residing outside Canada”

John Graham, Global Affairs Canada (retired)

“Knowledge Diplomacy and the Restoration of Funding for Canadian Studies Abroad”

Lyn Hoang, University of Western Ontario

“Working hours in the platform economy: An exploration of platform work and platform side hustles”

Howard Palley, University of Maryland

“Reforming the Canadian Healthcare System”

6B. History: Insights into Collective Organization and Power in Canadian Society

(Arlington, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Stephanie Bangarth**, University of Western Ontario

Panelists:

Heather Poussard, Queen’s University

““Do their utmost to bring further honours to U.B.C.”: Canada and the University of British Columbia at the British Empire and Commonwealth Games, Vancouver, 1954”

Brian Payne, Bridgewater State University

“Canada and the Management of an International Food Regime, 1940-1954”

Mark Richard, SUNY Plattsburgh

“The Rise and Fall of the Canadian Union, Plattsburgh, New York, 1866-1872”

Blake Brown, Saint Mary’s University

“The Canadian Medical Profession’s Fight Against Malpractice Litigation, 1935-1970”

6D. Literature, Film, and Media in English: Panel title TBA (Prince William, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Matthew Smith**, SUNY Plattsburgh

Panelists:

Keith Lawrence, Brigham Young University

“Creating Contemporary Asian Canadian Literature from Near and Far: An Appreciation of Jim Wong-Chu”

Sharon Morgan Beckford, University at Buffalo

“Black Refusal: Canada’s Imagined Myth of Freedom and Black Liberatory Futures”

David Stewart, University of California, Berkeley
“Cross-border Perspectives on Canada: Expat Memoirs”

6E. Literature, Film, Music, and the Arts in French: Québécois Film in Perspective
(Kennedy, 3rd floor)
Chair – **Isabelle Fournier**, Trent University

Panelists:

Miléna Santoro, Georgetown University
“She’s Not ‘Gone’: The Politics and Presence of the Female Gaze and Point of View in Sophie Deraspe’s Antigone”

Claire Gray, University of Edinburgh
“Americanité, Anglo-Europeanness and the Québécois Coming-Of-Age Film”

Steven Urquhart, University of Lethbridge
“Ta peau si lisse/A Skin so soft (2017) by Denis Côté : a question of perspective”

Mercédès Baillargeon, University of Massachusetts Lowell
“Going global and globalization in the Québec New Wave”

6F. Roundtable: NORAD: In Perpetuity and Beyond (Jefferson, 3rd floor)
Moderator- **TBD**

Panelists:

Andrea Charron, University of Manitoba
James Fergusson, University of Manitoba
Joseph Jockel, St. Lawrence University
Joel Sokolsky, Royal Military College

6G. Student Colloquium – Focus: Cultural Relations and Cultural Movements (Lincoln, 3rd floor)
Chair – **Manuel Sousa Oliveira**, University of Porto

Panelists:

Devan Blackwell, Hampton University
“Seeing Canada: How Cinema Has Shaped the Way the Country is Perceived and Portrayed by Those Outside its Borders”

Amy Parks, Queen’s University
“‘On the outside looking within’: How the Toronto Raptors Re-imagine the North”

Claire Fouchereaux, Indiana University
“Relating or Reusing? Adaptations of American Rap in Québec”

Paul Murphy, University of California, Berkeley
“Global Ireland’s Open Strategy for North America: A Case Study of the Montreal Irish Monument”

10:15 – 10:45 am Refreshment break (Regency Foyer, ground floor)
Sponsored by: TBA

10:45 – 12:00 pm SESSION 7

7A. History: Perceptions and Interpretations of Canada and Canadians (Roosevelt, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Alexandre Turgeon**, Université Laval

Panelists:

Jonathan Slater, SUNY Plattsburgh
“Will the real Marshall McLuhan please stand up?”

Thomas Murphy, Boston College
“Calming an Excitable Friend: Frederick Wright Bruce’s Vision for American Canadian Friendship, 1865-1867”

Andrew Holman, Bridgewater State University
“An American Tour, 1914: S.B. Sinclair and Canada’s ‘Rural School Problem’”

7B. Literature, Film, and Media in English: Panel title TBA (Arlington, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Matthew Smith**, SUNY Plattsburgh

Panelists:

Cheryl Cowdy, York University
“Scarborough, Scarberia, Scarlem, Scarbistan, Scar-bro: The Suburbs in Canadian Literature”

Nora Foster Stovel, University of Alberta
“Animal Hero(ines) in the Juvenilia and Children’s Fiction of Margaret Atwood”

7C. Literature, Film, Music, and the Arts in French: Cultural Hybridity and Systemic Injustice in the Im/migrant Experience (Fairfax, 3rd floor)

Chair – **TBD**

Panelists:

Nancy Arenberg, University of Arkansas

“Mourning and Absence in Selected Biofictions by Régine Robin”

Olivia Choplin, Elon University

“Making the Invisible Visible: Anti-Racism in the Works of Marie-Célie Agnant”

Holly Collins, Baylor University

“Living in Two Circles, Being Near and Feeling Far: Recognizing the Immigrant Experience through Short Story”

7D. Québec Studies and the French Presence in North America: Langue et identité au Québec / Language and identity in Québec (Prince William, 3rd floor)
Chair – **Frédéric Rondeau**, University of Maine

Panelists:

Victoria Pelky, Carleton University

“Constitutionally Conflicting Bilingualism in Canada: An Analysis of Three Provincial Approaches to Separate French Education Following the Implementation of the Official Languages Act”

Yulia Bosworth, Binghamton University

“Les gens qui vous ressemblent’: Discursive Negotiation of Identity and Construction of Affiliation in the 2019 Canadian Federal Election Party Leader Debates”

Francis Garon, York University

“Québec’s Bill 101 and Deliberative Democracy”

François Vaillancourt, Université de Montréal

“Language laws in Canada and Québec in 2023: demographic and economic analysis”

7E. Border Issues, Integration, Trade, and Economics: Changing Worlds, Fluid Borders
(Kennedy, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **Geoffrey Hale**, University of Lethbridge

Panelists:

Debra VanNijnatten, Wilfrid Laurier University

“Canada-U.S. Green Bilateralism: ‘Cooperation Clusters’ for Climate Mitigation”

Meredith Lilly, Carleton University

“Canada’s Free Rider Problem at the Canada-US Border: Three Case Studies”

Geoffrey Hale, University of Lethbridge

“Northern Penguin: Navigating the Changing Climate for North American Integration”

7F. Roundtable: The Newcomer Experience in the Post-Pandemic Classroom (Jefferson, 3rd floor)

Moderator – **Kyla Sweet**, Western Washington University

Panelists:

Jeanne Carey Ingle, Bridgewater State University

Antoinette Gagné, University of Toronto

Emmanuelle Le Pichon-Vorstman, University of Toronto

Andrea Cayson, Bridgewater State University

7G. Emerging Scholars Network of the *International Council of Canadian Studies (ICCS)* Roundtable: How Can We Foster a Global Community of Emerging Scholars in Canadian Québec Studies?/ Comment favoriser la création d'une communauté mondiale de jeunes chercheurs en études canadiennes et québécoises ? (Lincoln, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **Manuel Sousa Oliveira**, University of Porto

Panelists:

Claire Fouchereaux, Indiana University

Emma Croll-Baehre, McMaster University

Rachael Lindberg, Concordia University

Ashley Schepis, Bridgewater State University

Sponsored by: International Council for Canadian Studies

12:00 – 1:30 pm Luncheon (Regency Ballroom, ground floor)

Keynote Address

“Canada, the United States and Climate Change: Is the Relationship ‘Uncertainty-Ready’”

Debora VanNijnatten, Wilfrid Laurier University

Sponsored by: TBA

1:45 – 3:00 pm SESSION 8

8A. Roundtable: Constructing Canadian Identity from Abroad: How Externality Influences an Understanding of Canada (Arlington, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Christopher Kirkey**, SUNY Plattsburgh

Panelists:

Richard Nimijean, Carleton University

Claire Campbell, Bucknell University

Christina Keppie, Western Washington University
Andrew Holman, Bridgewater State University

8B. Literature, Film, Music, and the Arts in French: Facing Environmental Truths at Home and Abroad (Arlington, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Antoinette Williams-Tutt**, Southern Methodist University

Panelists:

Isabelle Fournier, Trent University

“Or bleu : la dichotomie enrichissement/environnement dans la pièce J’aime Hydro de Christine Beaulieu”

Julie-Françoise Tolliver, University of Oklahoma

“Quebec Near, Fire Far: Distant Flames in Incendies, Monsieur Lazhar, and Inch’Allah”

Susan Kevra, Vanderbilt University

“Frederick Back: The Great Preservationist”

8C. Québec Studies and the French Presence in North America: Défis et perspectives. Immigration francophone en Amérique du Nord (Fairfax, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Frédéric Rondeau**, University of Maine

Panelists:

Laurence French, University of New Hampshire

“Transitioning from French Canadian to Franco-American: The Case of Suncook, New Hampshire”

Eileen McEwan, Muhlenberg College

“Transnational migrant literature in Quebec and Francophone New England”

Jean Michel Montsion, York University

“Francophone Immigrant Integration in Toronto: Challenges for the Local Voluntary Sector”

Alexandre Turgeon, Université Laval

“De “Maîtres chez nous” à “Libres chez nous” : quelques réflexions sur la fortune d’un slogan politique au Québec”

8D. Roundtable: Systemism, Canadian Foreign Policy and World Politics (Prince William, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **David Plazek**, Northern Vermont University

Panelists:

Sercan Canbolat, University of Connecticut

Sarah Gansen, University of Southern California

Patrick James, University of Southern California
Kim Richard Nossal, Queen's University
Kari Roberts, Mount Royal University

8E. Roundtable: The Legacy of 9/11: Views from “North America” Book Launch (Kennedy, 3rd floor)

Moderator – **Wilfrid Greaves**, University of Victoria

Panelists:

Andrea Charron, University of Manitoba
Stéphane Roussel, École nationale d'administration publique
Alex Moens, Simon Fraser University

8F. Roundtable: The Cultural Relations Approach to Diplomacy: Reports from the North American Cultural Diplomacy Initiative Summit Series, Practice, Players, and Policy (2020-22) (Jefferson, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **TBD**

Panelists:

Lynda Jessup, Queen's University
César Villanueva Rivas, Universidad Iberoamericana
Amanda Rodriguez, Universidad Panamericana
Sarah Smith, University of Western Ontario
Jeffrey Brison, Queen's University
Eduardo Luciano Tadeo Hernández, Universidad Autónoma Metropolitana-Xochimilco

8G. Gender, Identities, Minorities, and Diversity: Multiculturalism, minorities, and migration. (Lincoln, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Peter Thompson**, Carleton University

Panelists:

Shantanu Mehra, York University
“Similarly Different: Becoming Muslim in Canadian Multiculturalism and Indian Secularism”

Neal Carter, Brigham Young University - Idaho
“Paradiplomacy, Migration, and Refugees: The Need for a New Paradigm”

Gale Franklin, Carleton University
“Tactical Listening amid Displacement and Resettlement: Syrian Refugees' Musical Experiences in Edmonton, AB”

3:00 – 3:15 pm Refreshment break (Regency Foyer, ground floor)

Sponsored by:

3:15 – 4:30 pm (Regency Ballroom, ground floor)

Afternoon Plenary – Enders Symposium

“The Forces that Shape the Canada-United States Relationship: Domestic and International Determinants”

Overview - A persistent feature of scholarly inquiries dedicated to exploring the emergence and persistence of the so-called Canada-United States special relationship is the identification of causal factors and hallmark features linked to, and indeed anchored in, a place-based North American framework. Historical, social, political, economic, security, environmental, and cultural explanations specific to North America have dominated the discourse in explaining why Canada and the U.S. developed such close ties. Colonial expansionism, the critical role of migration, the intermingling of peoples, a shared commitment to liberal democratic values, ideas, institutions, and practices, the tremendous growth in cross-border economic and commercial engagement (signified most notably by the Auto Pact, CUFTA, NAFTA, and the USMCA), the protection of the continent against security threats (most visibly in the establishment, operationalization, and mission expansion of NORAD), federal and sub-national agreements and treaties to advance environmental protections, the pervasive presence and role of American culture throughout the continent, extensive joint participation in amateur and professional sporting associations, the impact of expansive, integrated transportation networks, and the often amicable relationship shared between prime ministers and presidents, have all been cited as crucial ingredients in facilitating a special relationship characterized by exceptionalism and exemptionalism. There is no question that these factors have all contributed to the vibrancy and long-term health of relations between Ottawa and Washington. Yet another critical and indeed necessary constituent element that has largely been absent in our understanding of Canada-U.S. engagement is the prevailing distribution of power in the international political system. (e.g., if the system is multipolar, bipolar or unipolar in character and who they are at a given time). This Enders symposium considers the relative importance and impacts of both domestic and international influences on the shape of the relationship.

**Moderators – Christopher Kirkey, SUNY Plattsburgh
Claire Campbell, Bucknell University**

Participants – TBD

Sponsored by: Thomas O. Enders

4:30 – 5:45 pm SESSION 9

9A. Literature, Film, Music, and the Arts in French: Location and Liberation: Constrained Selves, Constructed Identities (Roosevelt, 3rd floor)

Chair – Isabelle Fournier, Trent University

Panelists:

Marie Cusson, SUNY Plattsburgh

“La Place du fou dans Pivot de Marie-Ève Cotton”

Megan McLaughlin, Kent State University

“Inter-linguistic Transitions and Their Effects in Michel Jean’s Kukum”

Antoinette Williams-Tutt, Southern Methodist University

“Spying Across Borders: A Voyeuristic Look at The Self and The Other in Québécois Short Story”

9B. History: Envisioning Canadian Identities (Roosevelt, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Eric Weeks**, Bridgewater State University

Panelists:

Janet Mancini Billson, Bridgewater State University

“Living In-Between: The Heavy Burden of Marginality”

Ross Fox, University of Toronto and Royal Ontario Museum

“James Smillie (aka Smellie) (1784-1841), Royal Jeweller and Lapidary in Quebec City”

Patrick Callaway, University of Maine

“The Fragility of Empire: Nova Scotian Government and the Crisis of Victory 1760-1762”

Gerard Boychuk, University of Waterloo

“Populism and Female Suffrage in Saskatchewan and North Dakota, 1914-19”

9C. Roundtable: Touching Beauty: The Poetics of Kim Thúy (Fairfax, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **Miléna Santoro**, Georgetown University

Panelists:

Kim Thúy, National Order of Québec

Miléna Santoro, Georgetown University

Jack Yeager, Louisiana State University

9D. Reconciliation and the North (Prince William, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Heather Nicol**, Trent University

Panelists:

Aisling Gilmour, Carleton University

“A Short History of the Winter 2020 Blockades”

Gail Russel, University of Toronto

“Truth and Reconciliation in the Canadian Arctic: An examination of research practices in the Canadian Arctic post-release of Canada’s Truth and Reconciliation Commission’s Final Report”

Gabrielle Slowey, York University

“Making it Work? Northern Labour and Southern Unions in Nunavut”

9E. Roundtable: The Legacy of 9/11: Views from “North America”: Defense and Its Institutions (Kennedy, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **TBD**

Panelists:

Andrea Charron, University of Manitoba

James Fergusson, University of Manitoba

David Haglund, Queen’s University

John Gilmour, Independent Scholar

Athanasios Hristoulas, Autonomous Technological Institute of Mexico

Stéphane Roussel, École nationale d’administration publique

9F. Roundtable: The Québec-United States Relationship: Political, Security, Economic, Cultural and Environmental Dynamics / La relation Québec-États-Unis: dynamique politique, sécuritaire, économique, culturelle et environnementale (Jefferson, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **TBD**

Panelists:

Christopher Kirkey, SUNY Plattsburgh

Kristine Plouffe-Malette, Université de Sherbrooke

Stéphane Paquin, École nationale d’administration publique

Frederick Gagnon, Université du Québec à Montréal

9G. Teaching of Canada and Education Through Diverse Perspectives: Networking for Canadian Studies (Lincoln, 3rd floor)

Chair – **Amy Sotherden**, SUNY Plattsburgh

Panelists:

Paul Bennett, Saint Mary’s University

“Shrivelling on the Vine: Why History Gets Lost in the Contemporary K-12 Social Studies Curriculum - Lessons from the 2020-21 Skirmish in Alberta”

Dass Parimala, University of Delhi, India

“Digital literacy in Education Policies to enhance the quality of Higher Education: Reading on Canada and India”

David Rovinsky, U.S. Department of State (retired)

“Canadian Studies and New Media: Time for an ACSUS Podcast”

Rebecca Malouin, Michigan State University

“Demonstrating a Value Proposition for a University Canadian Studies Center”

**6:00-7:00 pm *American Review of Canadian Studies* Editorial Board Meeting
(Arlington, 3rd floor)**

7:00 – 9:00 pm Gala Dinner (Regency Ballroom, ground floor)

Keynote Address

“Horizons of Freedom: Thinking Black and Indigenous Futures Relationally”

Andrea Davis, York University

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DAY 4 SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19

8:00 – 8:45 am (Regency Ballroom, ground floor)

Breakfast Plenary – A roundtable discussion of *North of America: Loyalists, Indigenous Nations, and the Borders of the Long American Revolution* (Yale University Press, 2022) by Jeffers Lenox

Moderator: **Claire Campbell**, Bucknell University

The American Revolution, it is sometimes said, created two countries, not just one. At this roundtable a group of historians from both sides of the border created by that conflict will discuss a new book that situates the pursuit of American independence in a larger geography: within Indigenous homelands and against loyal colonies. What did new Americans see when they looked around them?

Panelists:

Jeffers Lenox, Wesleyan University

Francois Furstenberg, Johns Hopkins University

Alexandra Montgomery, Mount Vernon, Center for Digital History

Daniel Samson, Brock University

Respondent:

Jeffers Lenox, Wesleyan University

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9:00 – 10:15 am SESSION 10

10A. Roundtable: “Bridging the Longest Border” by Donald K. Alper. A discussion of the 50 years of Canadian-American Studies at Western Washington University (Roosevelt, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **Christina Keppie**, Western Washington University

Panelists:

Nadine Fabbi, University of Washington

Laurie Trautman, Western Washington University

Derek Moscato, Western Washington University

Christina Keppie, Western Washington University

10B. Roundtable: Countering Dominant Cultures in 1970s Canada (Arlington, 3rd floor)

Moderator– **TBD**

Panelists:

Mark McLaughlin, University of Maine

“Building Ecological Resilience Near and Far: C.S. “Buzz” Holling’s Efforts to Shape Natural Resource Management in 1970s New Brunswick and Beyond”

Frédéric Rondeau, University of Maine

“Changing the world, today and for tomorrow. The experience of the Commune de la Plaine”

Stephen Hornsby, University of Maine

“From Haight Ashbury to Vancouver, BC: Transforming Hippie Maps into Commercial Gold”

Emma Schroeder, University of Maine

“Physicist Ursula Franklin’s Activism: From Radioactive Baby Teeth to The Real World of Technology”

10C. Roundtable: Smallpox: Critical Reflections on Smallpox and its Legacies in the Pacific Northwest (Fairfax, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **TBD**

Panelists:

John Lutz, University of Victoria

“Death’s cold embrace: Smallpox on the Chilcotin Plateau, 1862”

Keith Thor Carlson, University of the Fraser Valley

“Vaccine Enthusiasm and Vaccine Hesitancy in Coast Salish British Columbia, 1862”

Naxaxalts'i (Sonny McHalsie), Stó:lō Research and Resource Management Centre
“Written on the Land: Smallpox in Stó:lō Memory and Place names”

10D. Roundtable: Canada in a Time of Rising Authoritarianism (Prince William, 3rd floor)
Moderator- **TBD**

Panelists:

Christopher Kirkey, SUNY Plattsburgh

Kim Richard Nossal, Queen's University

Kenneth Holland, O. P. Jindal Global University

Christopher Sands, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars and Johns Hopkins University SAIS

10E. Roundtable: Canada-U.S. Roundtable on Pressing Issues (Kennedy, 3rd floor)
Moderator- **TBD**

Panelists:

Nicholas Glesby, University of Manitoba

Andrea Charron, University of Manitoba

James Fergusson, University of Manitoba

Jay Dion, University of Manitoba

10F. Roundtable: Canada-US Relations from Donald Trump to Joe Biden: Regional and Local Perspectives: Trade and Economic Issues (Jefferson, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **Frederick Gagnon**, Université du Québec à Montréal

Discussant – **Stéphane Paquin**, École nationale d'administration publique

Panelists:

Daphné St-Louis Ventura, Université du Québec à Montréal

“The Big Catch: Canada-US Lobster Trade Relationship from Trump to Biden”

Christophe Cloutier-Roy, Université du Québec à Montréal

“‘They are our Neighbors, Friends, and Trading Partners’: How Regional and Local Constituencies Affected Congress, Canada, and the Adoption of the United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement”

Frédéric Verreault, Université du Québec à Montréal

“It's a Drop in the Bucket”: Canada's Supply Management System Facing US Resistance from 2016 to 2020”

David Dubé, Université du Québec à Montréal

“Broken Links? Trump, Biden and the Detroit-Windsor Auto Industry”

10G. Roundtable: Pedagogical Challenges in a Tumultuous World (Lincoln, 3rd floor)

Moderator – **TBD**

Panelists:

David Carment, Carleton University

Richard Nimijean, Carleton University

Jeremy Wildeman, University of Ottawa

Mialana Nikolko, Carleton University

10:15 – 10:30 am Refreshment Break (Regency Foyer, ground floor)

Sponsored by: TBA

10:30 – 11:45 am SESSION 11

11A. Roundtable: Case Studies in North American Cultural Diplomacy (Roosevelt, 3rd floor)

Moderator – **TBD**

Panelists:

Ben Schnitzer, Queen's University

“‘Trade Routes’ and ‘Creative Export’: Navigating the Contours of Contestation in Canadian Cultural Diplomacy, Trade, and Export Through Case Study”

Jeffrey Brison, Queen's University

“Advancing Critical Cultural Diplomacy”

Sarah Smith, University of Western Ontario

“Cultural Relations on Display: Examining the Potential of Diaspora Diplomacy in North American Museums”

Amanda Rodriguez, Universidad Panamericana

“Never Alone: Indigenous Diplomacies and Video Games”

Amy Parks, Queen's University

“The Toronto Raptors: Sport Diplomacy Beyond (dis)Play”

Lynda Jessup, Queen's University

“Unsettling Settler Diplomacy”

11B. Roundtable: US-Canada Security Community (Arlington, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **TBD**

Panelists:

David Haglund, Queen's University

Daniel Troup, Queen's University

Stéphane Roussel, École nationale d'administration publique

Wilfrid Greaves, University of Victoria

11C. Roundtable: Musician, Monument, Messiah: An Assessment of Leonard Cohen's Posthumous Celebrity (Fairfax, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **TBD**

Panelists:

Jonathan Slater, SUNY Plattsburgh

Matthew Smith, SUNY Plattsburgh

11D. Roundtable: 'All this for that?!' or Democracy in action or Democracy Inaction?' A look at the most recent elections in Ontario, Quebec, Alberta, and Canada (Prince William, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **TBD**

Panelists:

Charles Deshaies, SUNY Plattsburgh

Neal Carter, Brigham Young University - Idaho

Stephanie Bangarth, University of Western Ontario

11E. Roundtable: Henry Milner, An Unconventional Life in Politics and Academia (Kennedy, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **TBD**

Panelists:

Anne Griffin, **Affiliation**

Patrick James, University of Southern California

Henry Milner, Université de Montréal

Jack Nagel, University of Pennsylvania

11F. Roundtable: Intelligence as Democratic Statecraft: Accountability and Governance of Civil-Intelligence Relations Across the Five Eyes Security Community - the United States, United Kingdom, Canada, Australia, and New Zealand (Jefferson, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **TBD**

Panelists:

Christian Leuprecht, Royal Military College and Queen's University

Jean-Christophe Boucher, University of Calgary

John Gilmour, Independent Scholar

11G. Roundtable: COVID-19's Impact on Canada: The Cases of the Higher Education Sector and the Field of Canadian Studies: Canada's COVID-19 Response in International Context (Lincoln, 3rd floor)

Moderator- **TBD**

Panelists:

Richard Nimijean, Carleton University

David Carment, Carleton University

“The Case of Higher Education”

Jeffrey Ayres, Saint Michael's College

Richard Nimijean, Carleton University

“Virtual Collaborative Teaching Beyond COVID-19”

L. Pauline Rankin, Carleton University

“Risky Business in Post-COVID Canada: The Case of Higher Education”

11:45 – 12:15 pm ACSUS Business meeting (Regency Ballroom, ground floor)
(Open to all conference participants)

12:15 – 1:00 pm (Regency Ballroom and Foyer, ground floor)
Reception & close of the conference

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