

SSHRC Knowledge Synthesis Grants: Gender-Based Violence 2022

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Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC)

Program

[Knowledge Synthesis Grants - Gender Based Violence December 2022 Competition](#) [1]

Description

The Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC) and Women and Gender Equality Canada (WAGE) are launching a Knowledge Synthesis Grants (KSG) funding opportunity to assess the state of research knowledge on the topic of gender-based violence under SSHRC's [Imagining Canada's Future](#) [2] initiative.

This call for proposals focuses on the state of knowledge on gender-based violence (GBV) in Canada such as the impact of GBV on different populations, the efficacy of services addressing and preventing GBV, or the needs of victims and survivors of GBV. The KSGs on gender-based violence will support synthesizing existing knowledge and identifying knowledge gaps on this topic and stimulate knowledge mobilization. By reaching a variety of audiences, including decision-makers, this knowledge can, ultimately, contribute towards a Canada free of gender-based violence.

Knowledge Synthesis Grants support researchers in producing knowledge synthesis reports and evidence briefs that:

- support the use of evidence in decision-making and the application of best practices; and
- assist in developing future research agendas.

Applicants must address the following three objectives in their proposals:

1. State of knowledge, strengths and gaps
 - critically assess the state of knowledge of the future challenge theme under consideration from a variety of sources, as appropriate;
 - identify knowledge strengths and gaps within the theme; and

- identify the most promising policies and practices related to the theme.
- 2. Research data
 - assess the quality, accuracy and rigour (i.e., methodological approaches) of current work in the field; and
 - identify strengths and gaps in the quantitative and qualitative data available.
- 3. Knowledge mobilization
 - engage cross-sectoral stakeholders (academic, public, private and not-for-profit sectors) and/or First Nations, Métis and Inuit rights-holders throughout the project to mobilize knowledge related to promising policies and practices; and
 - use effective knowledge mobilization methods to facilitate the sharing of research findings with cross-sectoral stakeholders and Indigenous rights-holders.

Eligibility

Applications can be submitted by an individual researcher or a team of researchers (consisting of one [applicant](#) [3] and one or more [co-applicants](#) [4] and/or [collaborators](#) [5]).

Applicants must be affiliated with a Canadian institution that holds [institutional eligibility](#) [6] before funding can be released. Researchers who maintain an affiliation with a Canadian institution that holds institutional eligibility, but whose primary affiliation is with a non-Canadian postsecondary institution, are not eligible for applicant status.

Applicants (or project directors, where applicable) who have received a SSHRC grant of any type but have failed to submit an [end of grant report or their achievement report](#) [7] by the deadline specified in their Notice of Award are not eligible to apply for another SSHRC grant until they have submitted the report.

Postdoctoral researchers are eligible to be applicants if they have formally established an affiliation with an eligible institution at the time of application, and maintain such an affiliation for the duration of the grant period.

Funding Availability

Up to 30 grants may be awarded.

Maximum Project Value

Knowledge Synthesis Grants are valued at \$30,000 for one year.

Indirect Costs

0%

Project Duration

One (1) year.

Knowledge mobilization activities (that is, conference presentations and outreach activities) can take place throughout the year. All synthesis reports must be completed by June 1, 2023, prior to the virtual forum.

Special Notes

Please note that research activities carried out in the context of COVID-19 need to adhere to the University of Guelph COVID-19 research principles, policies, guidelines and processes as they may be updated from time to time and communicated on the [Office of Research web-page](#) [8].

Deadlines

If College-level review is required, your College will communicate its earlier internal deadlines.

Type	Date	Notes
Internal Deadline	Thursday, August 25, 2022 - 4:30pm	Applicant to submit a copy of application along with a complete OR5 form to: research.services@uoguelph.ca
External Deadline	Thursday, September 1, 2022 - 4:30pm	Application will be submitted electronically by an authorized research grants officer from ORS.

How to Apply

Applicants must complete the [application form](#) [9] in accordance with accompanying [instructions](#) [10].

For Questions, please contact

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