



### Call for Applications

## **Gender, Migration and the Work of Care**

A Research Project supported by the  
Social Sciences Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC)  
Centre for Global Social Policy, Department of Sociology, University of Toronto

and

## **School of Public Policy & Governance**

University of Toronto

announces a

## **Summer Internship Program**

The *Gender, Migration, and the Work of Care* project is pleased to announce summer internship opportunities for SPPG-UofT graduate students working in areas connected with its foci. The overall project consists of eight interconnected multi-national research subprojects, all investigating how the (re-)organization of care is influencing global migration of care workers, and what this mean for gender inequalities, social developments, and global governance. These research subprojects examine the social, cultural, and political construction and framing of care; social, economic, and political conditions that are affecting the demand for care and the supply of care workers, and the living and working conditions of migrant care workers. For information about each project, visit the CGSP website ([www.cgsp.ca/resesarch](http://www.cgsp.ca/resesarch)).

We are seeking 2-3 summer interns to carry out their own research over a course of 10 weeks. The internship program will provide a unique opportunity to conduct research relevant to at least one of the eight subprojects of the *Gender, Migration, and the Work of Care* project. Accepted interns will be supervised by one of the research project leads and develop a policy brief on their research topic at the end of the term. Accepted interns will receive a \$6,000. They will also have opportunities to work and network with Canadian and international scholars in the field and gain experience interacting with policy and NGO community partners. Finally, the project will support the interns in disseminating their research outcomes to expert and general audiences through various channels such as CGSP workshop presentations and CGSP social media postings and profiles.

### **Program Responsibilities:**

The Summer Internship Program is offered to a select few graduate students of social global policy. The interns will conduct individual research work, presentations, writing, and networking with related researchers and policy decision makers. Interns must carry out their research,

disseminate their work, and develop useful network ties with key agents and institutions in the field. Awardees must produce the following outcomes upon completion of the program:

- A policy brief based on their research
- Evidence of network connections established with leading and/or upcoming researchers and decision makers in the area of gender, migration, and care work
- Presentation of their research (in part or in whole) at the CGSP workshop or conference held closest after the internship period
- A write-up describing their research question, methodological approach, and (preliminary) findings

**Eligibility:**

Interns must be graduate students who are enrolled in the School of Public Policy & Governance program, University of Toronto. Interns must also illustrate sufficient interest in conducting research in the area of gender, migration and care work. Applicants must be able to provide full-time commitment to the program.

**Application:**

Complete applications must include a cover letter; a curriculum vitae; and one letter of recommendation. The letter of recommendation must be emailed directly from the referee using his/her institutional e-mail account. Applicants must also submit their cover letter and cv electronically by email to [cgsp@utoronto.ca](mailto:cgsp@utoronto.ca). The application deadline is **March 31, 2016, 5:00 p.m. EST**. Only complete applications will be considered for review.

For questions about the program and eligibility, please contact Deanna Pikkov, Research Associate, by email at [cgsp@utoronto.ca](mailto:cgsp@utoronto.ca) or by phone at 1-416-978-6351.