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Minister Manley Announces CMHC Housing Research Grants

OTTAWA, Ontario, February 7, 2002 — Twenty-four Canadian researchers will be awarded up to \$20,000 each under Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation's (CMHC), External Research Program (ERP), the Honourable John Manley, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Infrastructure and Crown Corporations announced today.

"The External Research Program encourages Canadians to conduct research into important issues affecting Canadian housing," said Deputy Prime Minister Manley. "The quality of proposals, in response to this competition, is truly impressive."

The ERP grants, which this year total \$460,502, encourage private and non-profit sector researchers, as well as those employed in academic institutions, to put forward their ideas for investigation on housing issues. CMHC will publish the results when the studies are completed.

Successful applicants will carry out research projects in several priority areas, including: making housing more affordable, addressing Aboriginal housing needs, addressing distinct housing needs, advancing Healthy Housing, helping Canadians protect their investment in housing, improving building performance, exploring housing trends, and improving housing finance and market effectiveness.

Recipients of the External Research Program grants were selected by a national committee of housing experts, on the basis of merit and the quality of their proposals. The committee includes experienced researchers and practitioners in government, academic institutions, housing related professions, and business.

Results of a wide range of housing research, sponsored by CMHC, may be obtained from:

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Selected Research Proposals

Name/Nom

Bain, Nancy L.
Delta BC

Boulianne, Manon
Université Laval
Sainte-Foy QC

Cane, R.L. Douglas
Caneta Research Inc.
Mississauga ON

Chauhan, Bak
Aurora Research Institute
Inuvik NT

Copas, Lorraine
Community Focus
Vancouver BC

Covo, David
Université McGill
Montréal QC

Crenna, C. David
The Bayswater Consulting Group Inc.
Ottawa ON

Desgagné, Martin
Cree Regional Authority
Nemaska QC

Dunning, Willard A.
Will Dunning Inc.
Etobicoke ON

Geary, Vanessa
Tenants Rights Action Coalition
Vancouver BC

Gonçalves, Mario
Patenaude Consultants Inc.
Varenes QC

Programme de subventions de recherche de la SCHL 2001

Propositions de recherche choisies

Title of research/Titre de la recherche

Re-Sale of Leaky Condos: Did the Buyer Know?

La cohabitation intergénérationnelle dans les banlieues
de Québec

Electric Baseboard Retrofit in Multi-Family Buildings

Green Energy for Remote Housing in the North

Housing Stability Indicators and Impacts

L'habitat autochtone : comprendre les transformations de
l'usager - une approche sensible à la communauté de
Kahnawake

Setting Priorities for Sustainable Community Solutions

Housing Education Program: Phase A - A Summary and
Consultation Regarding Existing Rental Housing in Cree
Communities (Eastmain Pilot Project)

Natural Vacancy Rates in Canadian Urban Centres, 1992
- 2001

Strategies to Preserve the Existing Rental Housing Stock
in Greater Vancouver

Performance Evaluation of Retrofitted Solid Masonry
Exterior Walls

The Legal Framework for Supportive Housing

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Hall, Margaret British Columbia Law Institute Vancouver BC	
Hanna, Kevin Wilfrid Laurier University Waterloo ON	It's All About Housing: Sustainable, Planning Practice, and Housing Form in the Oak Ridges Moraine
Henderson, Shawna ABRI Sustainable Design Newport NS	The Experience of Early Adopters of Small Scale, Grid-Connected Renewable Energy Source Power Reduction and Net Metering Policies in Canada
Moody, William G. Moody Engineering Dartmouth NS	Investigator of Accelerated Domestic Oil Tank Corrosion
Morin, Michel MJM Conseillers en acoustique inc. Montréal QC	Qualification du degré de confort acoustique procuré par les immeubles multilogements - Phase II
Richardson, J. Kenneth Ken Richardson Fire Technologies Inc. Ottawa ON	Canadian Housing Fire Statistics
Russell, Peter Peter Russell & Associates Gloucester ON	House Foundations and Structures for Permafrost Conditions
Tasker-Brown, Julie Westmount QC	Residential Quadrants: A New Model for Sustainable Suburbs
Taylor, Andrew Weinstein Taylor & Associates Toronto ON	Boiler Piping Study
Thornton, Joshua Flesherton ON	Material Properties of Straw Light Clay Infill Systems
Trainor, John Centre for Addiction and Mental Health Toronto ON	Housing Stability Validity Study
Vaillancourt, Yves Université du Québec à Montréal Montréal QC	Un chez-soi dans une communauté
Wellman, Tony Ottawa ON	Disclosure Requirements in Mortgage Lending and Support to Borrowers in Obtaining the Best Mortgage Terms