



Centre for Studies in Food Security

Report of Activities 2023-2024

June 2024

This report summarizes the CSFS membership activities from May 16, 2023, to May 15, 2024.

Terms of Reference:

Per Senate Policy #144 on Research Centres (December 2018), the members approved the CSFS Terms of Reference on December 16, 2019.

Mandate

Established at Toronto Metropolitan University (formerly Ryerson University) in 1994, the Centre for Studies in Food Security (CSFS) works to promote food security through research, dissemination, education, community action, and professional practice. We take an interdisciplinary and systemic approach to social justice, environmental sustainability, health, and socio-cultural aspects of food security. The Centre shares information and facilitates dialogue among civil society organizations, universities, and governments through seminars and workshops, our website, and associated mailing lists. We host national and international conferences and engage with local, regional and global food security initiatives.

The CSFS understands food security as being defined by “5 As”, namely:

- Availability: Sufficient food for all people at all times.
- Accessibility: Physical and economic access to food for all at all times.
- Adequacy: Access to nutritious, safe food produced in environmentally sustainable ways.
- Acceptability: Access to culturally acceptable food, which is produced and obtained in ways that do not compromise people’s dignity, self-respect or human rights.
- Agency: The policies and processes that enable the achievement of food security.

Objectives

1. Create a platform for dialogue to increase food security by focusing on issues of health, income, and the evolution of the food system, including attention to ecological sustainability and sociocultural diversity.
2. Contribute to the knowledge base on food security through research and consulting capacity, drawing on the strengths of Toronto-based faculty and students and TMU’s commitment to applied research and professional education.

3. Generate research and innovative practices responsive to societal needs in partnership with community groups, small businesses, producers' organizations, health professionals, universities, government agencies, etc.
4. To contribute to teaching and learning on food security issues.
5. Share information and resources across all sectors, utilizing electronic media, publications, conferences, public forums, network meetings, and other means of participatory communication.

During the past year, the CSFS was led by a Director, two Associate Directors and two hired staff. The membership was comprised of forty members, three associate members, five students and research assistants, and five visiting scholars. Members' activities and plans are described in Annex 1. See also: <https://www.torontomu.ca/foodsecurity/people/#!tab-1711302960192-visiting-scholars>

Membership category	Eligibility for Membership	Rights & responsibilities	Terms of membership
Members	TMU TFA faculty, CUPE instructors, and staff with research, teaching and other activities aligned with CSFS. Obtained by application to or invitation by the Management Board	Voting rights; listed on the website; eligible for support of activities where resources allow; can nominate associate and student members; active participation in CSFS meetings/activities; submit annual report of activities by May 30. The Centre will be credited as a supporter or sponsor of all affiliated projects and publications.	1 year renewable based on submission of annual report membership year runs Jul 1 - Jun 30
Associate Members	Active collaboration with CSFS members & nominated by at least one member. Approved by the management board.	Ex officio: attendance at CSFS meetings/activities; listed on the website; access library where faculty sponsor is available	1 year renewable based on description of collaboration submitted by member as part of their annual report
Student Members	TMU full-time or part-time students nominated by a member. Approved by the management board.	Ex officio: attendance at CSFS meetings and listing on website	1 year renewable upon receipt of request for renewal by Jun 15

Governance

Management Board: This board is responsible for decision-making regarding the Centre's day-to-day operations, including staffing. It consists of the Director and two Associate Directors. Past Directors are normally expected to serve on the Management Board as ex officio members for one year to provide continuity. The Certificate Coordinator attends the Management Board meetings on matters relevant to the Certificate.

Management Board members are appointed by consensus of the membership, or by vote if necessary, for a 2-year term. Members wishing to become part of the Management Board at the conclusion of a term may declare their candidacy prior to the AGM. There is no limitation on how many terms (consecutive or not) a member can be part of the Management Board.

Director: Responsible for managing the budget and overseeing the Centre's cost centre; managing the Centre's staff; drafting the annual report; and organizing the Annual General Meeting and Advisory Board Meeting.

Associate Directors: Support the Director in all other activities, including, but not limited to, communicating with members; responding to requests for collaboration (for example, on grants and activities); writing letters of support; hosting and co-hosting events; and sharing information about events and publications of potential interest to the membership.

The **Advisory Board** is a consultative organ of the Centre. It meets once a year to review Centre activities and serve in an advisory capacity to the Management Board. Advisory Board Members represent key stakeholders at TMU and the outside community who are not directly involved with the Centre's activities. The Management Board invites them to serve for three years (renewable). The size of the board can range from 5 to 10 members.

Closure: The Centre will close when it completes its mandate or when two-thirds of its members decide to terminate its activities. A notice of discontinuation will be submitted to the Dean of Community Services, and the Centre's assets will be transferred to the Dean's office.

Management Board (2023-2024)

Director: Mustafa Koc, PhD, Professor Emeritus, Department of Sociology

Associate Directors: Fiona Yeudall, PhD, RD, Associate Professor, School of Nutrition
Sara Edge, PhD, Associate Professor, Department of Geography and Environmental Studies

Staff: Jenelle Regnier-Davies, Manager of Programs, Research and Communications; Ayah Al-Anani, Program Assistant

Advisory Board (2020-2024)

- Duever, Thomas. Dean, Faculty of Engineering and Architectural Science (FEAS), Toronto Metropolitan University
- Gharabaghi, Kiaras. Dean, Faculty of Community Services, Toronto Metropolitan University

- Hepburn, Gary. Dean, G. Raymond Chang School of Continuing Education, Toronto Metropolitan University
- Hunter, Beth. Founding Director, Foodbridge
- Hutchinson, Hasan. Former Director General, Office of Nutrition Policy and Promotion, Health Products and Food Branch, Department of Health
- Kuhn, Lynda. Senior Vice President & Chair, Maple Leaf Centre for Action on Food Security at Maple Leaf Food Inc.
- LeBlanc, Joseph. Associate Dean, Equity and Inclusion, Northern Ontario School of Medicine
- Stahlbrand, Lori. Professor, Food Studies, George Brown College
- Sugiman, Pamela. Dean Faculty of Arts, Toronto Metropolitan University
- Taylor, Paul. Former Executive Director, FoodShare Toronto

Visiting Scholars:

CSFS has hosted several international scholars during the 2022-2023 period

- Antunes, Heloisa. Visiting Scholar, Centre for Studies in Food Security, Toronto Metropolitan University. PhD student, University of Porto
- Fagundes, Andhressa. PhD. Visiting Scholar, Centre for Studies in Food Security, Toronto Metropolitan University. Associate Professor in the Department of Nutrition at the Federal University of Sergipe, Brazil
- Lyra, Clelia. PhD. Visiting Professor, School of Nutrition, Toronto Metropolitan University Associate Professor, Department of Nutrition, Federal University of Rio Grande do Norte
- Lima, Severina Carla Vieira Cunha. PhD. Visiting Professor, School of Nutrition, Toronto Metropolitan University. Associate Professor, Department of Nutrition, Federal University of Rio Grande do Norte. Coordinator of the Food, Nutrition, and Health Research Group
- Yanful, Bernice. PhD. Visiting Scholar, Department of Sociology, Toronto Metropolitan University. Centre for Studies in Food Security

Projects:

[The CSFS website](#) features a diversity of projects in which our members are engaged. We have ongoing projects that profile work on the 'Right to Food' in international contexts, Black food sovereignty, urban agriculture, charitable food responses and responses beyond the charity model, Northern Canadian food insecurity, Indigenous food security, the food security of refugees and immigrant communities and municipal food policy impacting food security. Annex 1 provides a report on these activities and more.

Certificates in Food Security and in Urban Agriculture

In partnership with the School of Nutrition and the Chang School of Continuing Education, CSFS members are involved in two Certificates offered at TMU: the Certificate in Food Security (since 2004) and the newly approved Certificate in Urban Agriculture. Annex 2 provides a brief report on these activities.

ANNEX 1: Members' Activities

*members' names are in **bold** throughout Annex 1

Funded Research (May 2023-May 2024)

Bloomfield, R. (PI), Lee, D. (co-applicant), Ellis, R. (co-applicant), **Nasr, J.** (collaborator) (2023-2025). "Urban agriculture: Understanding successes and failures in policy and practice." SSHRC Insight Development Grant. \$65,777.

Carlsson, L. (PI), **Wegener, J.** and Everitt, T. (2023-2025, extended). "The social impact potential of dietitians on population-level sustainable dietary patterns." SSHRC Insight Development Grant. \$60,641.00.

Chupin, J.P. (PI), **Farah, L.M.** (co-applicant), et al. (2022-2027). "Quality in Canada's built environment: Seeking equity, social value and sustainability." SSHRC Partnership Engage Grant \$2,496,780 for all the partnerships over a 5-year period.

Edge, S. and Rexdale Community Hub. (2023-2025). Community Grocery Store Model Feasibility Study: Towards Equitable and Culturally Appropriate Food Security in Rexdale. MITACS Accelerate. \$90,000.

Engler-Stringer, R., Ruetz, A. and **Field, D.** (2024-March 2025) "Coalition for healthy school food. Developing evidence-informed school food programs: A how-to guide for communities in Canada." SSHRC Connection Grant. \$49,700.

Engler-Stringer, R., **Field, D.**, Gilliland, J., Hoyer, G., Kirk, S., **Koc, M.**, Levkoe, C., Mercille, G., Mosby, I., Renwick, K., Ruetz, A. and Skinner, K. (2021-2023). "Examining Canadian school food models to inform best practices and decision-making for a universal and nationally-harmonized school food program." CIHR Public, Community and Population Health. \$275,400.

Foster, K. (PI), **Korzun, M.** (co-applicant), **Koc, K.** (collaborator), et al. (2024-2029) "The Common Ground Canada Network." SSHRC Network on Sustainable Agriculture in a Net-zero Economy. \$1,900,000.00.

Juutilainen, J. (PI), Freeman, B., Morrow, T., Hanning, R. and Yessis, J. (2019 - present). "Truth-telling: gardens, Farming and food experiences at the Mohawk Institute Indian Residential School." SSHRC Insight Development Grant. \$68,194.

Li, N. (PI), Daley, A., Galloway, T. and Watson, B. (2023-2025). "Evaluating policies to improve food affordability, nutrition and food security in Canada's remote Northern communities." SSHRC Insight Development Grant. \$50,012.

Li, N. (Co-investigator), Fairman, K. and Galloway, T. (2023-2024). "Learning about Indigenous concepts relevant to food security intervention in northern communities." Nutrition North Canada Food Security Research Grant. \$246,000.

Liberda, E. (Co-PI). (2024-2025). "Mní Wičóni -Water is Life." Climate Change and Health Adaptation (CCHAP), Health Canada. \$100,000.

Liberda, E. (N-PI). (2022-2025). "Tajigoltieg - We are healthy: Enhancing food security and mental wellbeing programs to manage COVID-19 pandemic stressors in a remote Mi'kmaq community." CIHR. \$241,515.

Liberda, E. (Co-PI). (2023-2025). "Mní Wičóni (Water is Life): Characterizing biotic and abiotic drinking water profiles in a First Nations community to inform policy and health" GESeed. \$60,000.

Liberda, E. (N-PI). (2022-2025). "Evaluating pandemic interventions in Indigenous communities (EPIC): A community-based participatory approach to address gaps and build capacity." CIHR. \$313,865.

Lololi, A., Afri-Can FoodBasket, Black Food Sovereignty Toronto, the People's Food Institute (PFI) and, Food Secure Canada (FSC). (2022-2023). "Indigenous and Black Peoples' Food Sovereignty Planning Project." Walmart Foundation. \$ 611,334.40.

Lololi, A. and Afri-Can FoodBasket - Black Food Sovereignty Toronto. (2022 - 2023). "Black Food Sovereignty Alliance organizational and strategic planning." Metcalf Foundation. \$75,000.00.

Nasr, J. (PI) and **Kuhns, J.** (2023-2024). "Extension and advisory services for urban and peri-urban agriculture: Enabling knowledge and innovation." UN Food and Agriculture Organization, Office of Innovation. \$13,475 (USD).

Seko, Y. (PI), Tiessen, J. (Collaborator) and **Edge, E.** (Collaborator). (2024-2025). "Flavours of home: Assessing culinary diversity in Ontario's Meals on Wheels services." OVPRI-Toronto Metropolitan University. Strategic SRC Initiative Fund. Toronto Metropolitan University. \$20,000.

Seko, Y. (PI) and Tiessen, J. (Collaborator). (2023-2024). "Food diversity and aging well in a multicultural city: Japanese Canadian (Nikkei) seniors and Community Congregate Dining." SSHRC Partnership Engage Grant, \$24,866.

Stahlbrand, L. (2023-2024) The George Brown Food Learning and Growing Community Project. Ignite Grant. \$15,000.

Stephens, P. (PI), **Korzun, M.** (collaborator), Kevany, K., Foster, K. and Fitting, E. (2023-2024). "Enabling Interdisciplinary food futures." SSHRC Connections Grant. \$19,400.

Suhanic, W. (PI), Paton, A., Campbell, L., **Teitel-Payne, R., Kuhns, J.** and ElzingaCheng, A. (2021-2024). "Building community food resilience through urban agriculture." NSERC College and Community Social Innovation Fund. \$458,822.

Vatanparast, H.(PI), Béland, D., Lane, G., **Koc, M.**, Clark, N., Omidvar Shahid Beheshti, N., Sadeghi, R. (2023-2026). "Exploring the food insecurity status of Afghan households, the determinants, coping strategies, and support systems in Canada, the U.S., Iran, and Afghanistan after the Taliban's takeover." SSHRC Partnership Development Grant. \$199,993.

Wegener, J. (PI), Carlsson, L., and Everitt, T. (2023-2025, extended). "Sustainability in dietetics education, training and practice in Canada." Canadian Foundation for Dietetic Research. \$19,010.

Zhuang, Z.(PI), **Edge, S., Regnier-Davies, J.** (2024-2025). Unveiling informal food spaces: Strengthening equitable food system infrastructure through immigrant entrepreneurship. OVPRI-Toronto Metropolitan University. Strategic SRC Initiative Fund. \$20,000.

Research Travel Grants:

Farah, L.F. (PI). (2024). Book launch: "Mobs and microbes: Market halls, civic order and public health." Society of Architectural Historians, Albuquerque. Faculty of Engineering and Architectural Science. \$1,500.

Farah, L.F. (PI). (2024). Keynote Address at the Architecture of Food Fourteenth Biennial Symposium, Washington DC. Faculty of Engineering and Architectural Science. Dean's Travel Grant. \$1,000.

Farah, L.F. (2023). Invited Speaker. "Design for the Global Majority Project." McGill University, Travel Grant. \$719.43.

Publications (May 2023-May 2024)

Journal articles (peer-reviewed):

Ahmed, F., **Liberda, E. N.**, Solomon, A., Davey, R., Sutherland, B., & Tsuji, L. J. S. (2023). Indigenous land-based approaches to well-being: The Sibi (River) program in subarctic Ontario, Canada. *International Journal of Circumpolar Health*, 82(1), 2252595–2252595.
<http://doi.org/10.1080/22423982.2023.2252595>

Ahmed, F., **Liberda, E. N.**, Solomon, A., Davey, R., Sutherland, B., & Tsuji, L. J. S. (2023). Indigenous land-based approaches to well-being: The niska (Goose) harvesting program in subarctic Ontario, Canada. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, 20(4), 3686.
<http://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph20043686>

Chaves, V.M., **Rocha, C.**, Gomes, S.M., Jacob, M.C.M., and Costa, J.B.A. (2023) Integrating family farming into school feeding: A systematic review of challenges and potential solutions. *Sustainability*, 15, 2863. <https://doi.org/10.3390/su15042863>

Clark, K., Crooks, K., Jeyanathan, B., Ahmed, F., Kataquapit, G., Sutherland, C., Tsuji, L. J. S., Moriarity, R. J., Spence, N. D., Sekercioglu, F., **Liberda, E. N.**, & Charania, N. A. (2024). Highlighting models of Indigenous leadership and self-governance for COVID-19 vaccination programmes. *AlterNative: an International Journal of Indigenous Peoples*, 20(1), 250–258.

<https://doi.org/10.1177/117718012412354>.

Daufenback, V., Bogus, C.M., **Rocha, C.**, and Ribeiro, E.A. (2023) “A gente é invisível pra sociedade”: impactos das condições de trabalho na saúde e qualidade de vida em entregadores de comida na pandemia de covid-19 (“We are invisible to society”: Impacts of working conditions on food delivery workers’ health and quality of life during the COVID-19 pandemic). *Revista Saúde e Sociedade*, 32(1).

Daufenback, V., Rigon, S.A., Giordani, R.C.F., **Rocha, C.**, and Bogus, C.M. (2023) Perceptions of food insecurity and access to programs among elderly females living in Colombo, Brazil: Qualitative investigation. *International Health Trends and Perspectives*, 3(1), 16-32.

<http://doi.org/https://doi.org/10.32920/ihtp.v3i1.1705>

Dean, J. and **Edge, S.** (2024). Migration and well-being in and of place. *Wellbeing, Space and Society*. 100199. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.wss.2024.100199>.

Edge, S., Zhuang, Z.C. & Dean, J. (2024). Reshaping essential public spaces and services: towards socio-spatial justice in a post-pandemic era. *Town Planning Review*.

<https://doi.org/10.3828/tpr.2024.18>

Edge, S. Hernandez, T., Wang, L., Patterson, M.L., Daniel, C., Abu-Shabaan, N., Lee, J. and Wang, S. (under review). The role of ethnic retail in shaping immigrant food access and well-being: Chinese lived experiences in Toronto, Canada. *Food, Culture and Society*.

Elton, S., Fraser, E. and Siew, R. (2023). Food system resilience tested: The Impact of COVID-19 on a major node in North America’s produce supply chains.’ *Canadian Food Studies / La Revue Canadienne Des Études Sur l’alimentation*, 10.3 (2023), pp. 68–86, <http://doi.org/10.15353/cfs-rcea.v10i3.626>

Galloway, T., & **Li, N.** (2023). Pass-through of subsidies to prices under limited competition: Evidence from Canada’s Nutrition North program. *Journal of Public Economics*, 225, 104971.

<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jpubeco.2023.104971>

Kassem, H., Harris, M. A., Edwards-Wheesk, R., & **Liberda, E.N.** (2024). Traditional activities and general and mental health of adult Indigenous peoples living off-reserve in Canada. *Frontiers in Public Health*, 11, 1273955–1273955. <http://doi.org/10.3389/fpubh.2023.1273955>

Lololi, A. (2023/2024). The Quest for Black Food Sovereignty in Toronto. *Cuisine Noir Annual*.

<https://www.cuisinenoirmag.com/print/>

Robillard, P., Sekercioglu, F., **Edge, S.**, & Young, I. (2023). Resilience in the face of crisis: investigating COVID-19 impacts on urban community gardens in Greater Toronto Area, Canada. *British Food Journal* (1966), 125(11), 4048–4061. <https://doi.org/10.1108/BFJ-02-2023-0179>

Sadat, S. A. A., Pakravan-Charvadeh, M. R., Gholamrezai, S., Rahimian, M., Lane, G., Béland, D., **Koc, M.**, Clark, N., Omidvar, N., Sadeghi, R., Vatanparast, H. (2023). Factors associated with Afghan household food security pre- and post-Taliban regime. *Journal of Public Health Policy*, 44(4), 551-565. <http://doi.org/10.1057/s41271-023-00439-0>

Saif-Nijat, J., Pakravan-Charvadeh, M.R., Gholamrezai, S., Rahimian, M., Lane, G., Beland, D., **Koc, M.**, Clark, N., Omidvar, N., Sadeghi, R. and Vatanparast, H. (2023). The association of the quality of life with Afghan households' food insecurity before and after the recent political change in Afghanistan: A comparative analysis. *BMC Public Health*, 23, 2066. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s12889-023-16967-z>

Seko, Y., Juando-Prats, C., Wong, V, Rahouma, L., Yu, J., & Henry-Noel, N. (2023). Lunchbox shaming: Asian youth's recollections of Canadian school lunchtime. *Food, Culture & Society*. [Open Access] <https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/15528014.2023.2289238>

Srinivasan, S., Galvaz, A., Krieger, R., Sebo, A., Mckeever, M., Nestico, D., Carlsson, L., **Wegener, J.**, & Everitt, T. (2024). Factors that facilitate consumer uptake of sustainable dietary patterns in Western countries: A scoping review. *Frontiers in Sustainable Food Systems*, 8. <https://doi.org/10.3389/fsufs.2024.1333742>

Books and book chapters:

Black, J., Elliott, S., Engler-Stringer, R., **Field, D.**, Liné, T., Mansfield, B. (2024). Centering children, health and justice in Canadian school food programs. In Jennifer E. Gaddis, Sarah A. Robert (Ed.), *Transforming School Food Politics Around the World*. Boston, MA: MIT Press

Elton, S. (2023). People-plant mobilities: Growing bitter melon and bottle gourd in Toronto in Bender, D. and Cinotto, S. (eds.) *Food Mobilities: Making World Cuisines* (pp. 78–92). University of Toronto Press.

Farah, L.M. (2023). Contribution to the positive lived experiences of quality in the built environment in Canada. J-P. Chupin (ed). University of Montreal: 62-63.

Farah, L.M. (2023). Contribution à expériences vécues positives de la qualité dans l'environnement bâti au Canada. Montréal: University of Montreal: 62-63 (translation of Positive Lived Experiences of Quality in the Built Environment in Canada).

Liberda, E. and Sly, T. (2023). Assessment and communication of risk: A pocket text for health and safety professionals. Springer Nature Publishing. <https://link.springer.com/book/10.1007/978-3-031-28905-7>.

Mendes, W. (2024). Critical pedagogy in North American food systems planning: Looking back to look ahead. In: Raja, S., Caton Campbell, M., Judelsohn, A., Born, B., Morales, A. (eds) Planning for Equitable Urban Agriculture in the United States: Future Directions for a New Ethic in City Building. (pp. 435–452). Springer, Cham. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-32076-7_24

Nasr, J. (2024). Supervising editor of the Springer Urban Agriculture Book Series: Planning for Equitable Urban Agriculture in the United States: Future Directions for a New Ethic in City Building. Raja, S., Campbell, M. C., Judelsohn, A., Born, B., Morales, A. (eds.). Springer Nature. Cham, Switz. 564 pp. <https://link.springer.com/book/10.1007/978-3-031-32076-7>

Proceedings, reports and e-publications:

Charlebois, S., Rankin, A., Taylor, S., Keselj, V., Abebe, G., Colombo, S., Kenny, Tiff-Annie, Kevany, K. Keogh, J., **Korzun, M.**, et al. (2023). 14th Edition Canada's Food Price Report 2024. <https://www.dal.ca/sites/agri-food/research/canada-s-food-price-report-2024.html>

Elton, S. (July 2023). Opinion: Want lower grocery bills? Give Canadians a more diverse retail foodscape. The Globe and Mail. <https://www.theglobeandmail.com/opinion/article-want-lower-grocery-bills-give-canadians-a-more-diverse-retail/>

Husbands, W., **Lololi, A.**, Hasford, J., and Tafari, Z. (22 January 2024). "Too Many Black Canadians are Going Hungry." Globe and Mail. <https://www.theglobeandmail.com/opinion/article-too-many-black-canadians-are-going-hungry/>

Koc, M. (2023). Tehlike, afet, felaket: Kader toplumunda risk yönetimi (Danger, disaster and catastrophe: Risk management in fate society. 4th. Uluslararası Tarım ve Gıda Etiği Kongresi Kongre Kitabı ([Proceedings of 4th International Congress on Agricultural and Food Ethics](#)). Pp. 207-213.

Korzun, M., MacDonald, A.J., & **Appavoo, D.** (July 9, 2023). The true cost of food: High grocery prices are not the root issue. The Conversation. <https://theconversation.com/profiles/monikakorzun-1392292/articles>

Li, N. and Galloway, T. (3 October 2023). Grocery retailers are benefiting from food subsidies in Northern Canada. The Conversation. <https://theconversation.com/grocery-retailers-are-benefiting-from-food-subsidies-in-northern-canada-214200>

Conference presentations and workshops (May 2023-May 2024)

Edge, S. (co-host) Zhixi, Z. (co-host); Organizers: DeBoer, S and **Regnier-Davies, J.**; Panelists: Tam, H., Roy, S. and Davis, S. (28 February 2024). "Immigrant Entrepreneurship and Foodways in Scarborough: Strengthening Community Food Security and Resilience." Centre for Studies in Food Security and Centre for Immigration & Settlement co-delivery Lunch and Learn. Toronto, Ontario. Hybrid.

Edge, S. (co-host) Zhixi, Z. (co-host); Organizers: DeBoer, S and **Regnier-Davies, J.**; Panelists: **Ghosh, S., Seko, Y.,** Stone, E., hosted by (17 April 2024). "From roots to plates: Discussions on immigrant food access, food security and food liberation across the life course." Centre for Studies in Food Security and Centre for Immigration & Settlement co-delivery Lunch and Learn. Toronto, Ontario. Hybrid.

Elton, S. (June 2023) "Experimenting with research methods in produce supply chains." Delivered at Canadian Association for Food Studies. Toronto, Ontario.

Elton, S. (November 2023). "Microbial justice." Delivered at the American Anthropological Association. Toronto, Canada.

Farah, L.M. (6 April 2024). "Insights from the study of food and architecture." Keynote address at the Architecture of Food Fourteenth Biennial Symposium, Washington DC. Planned by the Latrobe Chapter of the Society of Architectural Historians and the DC Preservation League and held at the Catholic University of America. School of Architecture and Planning, Washington DC.

Farah, L.M. (20 October 2023). "Designing for urban agriculture and community participation." Design for the Global Majority Symposium (Ipek Türeli and Vikram Bhatt). McGill University, Peter Guo-hua Fu School of Architecture. Montreal, Quebec.

Field, D. (October 2023) "Advocating for a national school food program." Alberta School Food Community of Practice. Virtual.

Field, D. (November 2023) "Future of school food programs." Yukon Working School Food Working Group. Virtual.

Field, D. (January 2024) "Caring, nourishing and nurturing schools: The transformational power of school food." Ontario Public School Board Association Symposium. Toronto, Ontario.

Field, D. (February 2024). "School Food in Budget 2024? The next steps from the Coalition for Healthy School Food" Canadian School Boards Association (CSBA) Board Meeting. Virtual.

Field, D., Veestra, J., Banks, S.A. (May 2024). "A national school food program." Next Steps for School Food. Saint John's, Newfoundland

Islam, J. (23 May 2023). Organized the Holistic Sustainable Development Network International (HSDNI) Collaborative Sustainability Conference with a sub-theme "Food Security."

Juutilainen, S. and Freeman, B. (May 2023). "The beads between the two rows: A Haudenosaunee approach to research analysis." 19th Congress on Qualitative Inquiry. Urbana, Illinois.

Juutilainen, S. & Morrow, T. (July 2023). "Truth-telling: Gardens, farming and food experiences at the Mohawk Indian Residential School." Byng Park, Two Row on the Grand. Brantford, Ontario.

Koc, M. (28 April 2024). "Climate migrants: Issues and response." Climate Justice Committee of Seniors for Climate Action Now! (SCAN!). Virtual.

Koc, M. (26 March 2024). "Wars, displaced populations and food insecurity." MiFOOD Webinar Series No 16. Virtual.

Koc, M. (17 November 2023) "Tehlike, afet, felaket: Kader toplumunda risk yönetimi (Danger, disaster and catastrophe: Risk management in fate society." 4th International Congress of Agriculture and Food Ethics, TARGET).

Koc, M. (26 June 2023). "Food insecurity, armed conflict and the invisible hunger." World Congress of Sociology. Melbourne, Australia. Hybrid.

Kuhns, J. (September 2023). "Public action for urban agriculture: A dialogue of experiences from Paris and Toronto." Chaired meeting that included Paris team and City of Toronto staff. Toronto Metropolitan University. Toronto, Ontario.

Liberda, E.N. (16-20 January 2024). "Indigenous Community-Based Pandemic Planning." Hunter New England, NSW, Australia.

Liberda, E.N. (27 February 2024). "Traditional Dietary Contaminant Exposures: Risks and Benefits in Eeyou Istchee." Ouje-Bougamou, Quebec.

Li, N. (2023). "Subsidies, cost shocks and heterogeneous pass-through: Evidence from Nutrition North Canada's product-level price data." Atlantic Canada Economics Association Annual Meeting (Charlottetown), Canadian Public Economics Study Group Conference. Kingston, Ontario.

Lima, S.C.V.C., Lyra, C., Oliveira-Neta, R.S., Araújo, D.B.M., Medeiros, M.F.A.M., Arruda-Neta, A.C.P., Marchioni, D.M.L., Sena-Evangelista, K.C.M., Pequeno, N.F.P., Oliveira, A.G.R.C., **Moraes, A.,** and **Rocha, C.** (March 2024). "Food insecurity and low consumption of unprocessed foods." The Betinho Project Seminar Series. Toronto Metropolitan University. Toronto, Ontario.

<https://www.torontomu.ca/foodsecurity/events/2024/03/the-betinho-project-seminar-series/>

Lololi, A. (November 2023). "Food, Equity, and the Black Community." Launch of the Dr. Wayne Roberts Memorial Scholarship in Food and Equity. New College, University of Toronto. Toronto, Ontario.

Lololi, A. (25 October 2023). "IPES-Food Regional Dialogue on Land Access and Food Sovereignty" (North America - US and Canada regional dialogue). IPES: International Panel of Experts on Sustainable Food Systems. Virtual.

Lololi, A. (27 September 2023). "Black Excellence: Celebrating Black Leadership in Social Change." Black Leadership in Social Impact Summit, Foundation for Black Communities. Virtual.

Lololi, A. (7 February 2024). "Internship Supervisor Forum" University of Toronto. Mississauga, Ontario.

Lololi, A. (2024) Honorary Bachelor of Commerce (Culinary Management) and Keynote. George Brown College Chefs School, Convocation Ceremony. George Brown College. Toronto, Ontario.

Lololi, A. (September 2024). "Launch of the Organic Campus Project." Centre for Hospitality and Culinary Arts. George Brown College. Toronto, Ontario.

Lololi, A., Aubrey, C. and Souami, T. (moderated by Joe Nasr). (September 2023). "How to build support for urban agriculture." Growing a Greener City in Paris + Toronto. Toronto Metropolitan University. Toronto, Ontario.

Lyra, C., Lima, S.C.V.C., Oliveira-Neta, R.S., Araújo, D.B.M., Medeiros M.F.A.M., Arruda-Neta, A.C.P., Marchioni D.M.L. Pequeno, N.P.F., Oliveira A.G.R.C., Teixeira J.E.M., Moraes, A. and Rocha C. (20 March 2024). "The Brazilian Food Basket: A study of adult food consumption." The Betinho Project Seminar Series. Toronto Metropolitan University. Toronto, Ontario.

<https://www.torontomu.ca/foodsecurity/events/2024/03/the-betinho-project-seminar-series/>

Mendes, W., Habib, S., MacKillop, R. & Backhouse, M. (May 2024). "Hungry for change: Toward a secure food system." Banff Systems Summit: Building High Impact Careers in a Global Polycrisis. Banff, Alberta.

Moraes, A. (23 January 2024). "The Afro-Brazilian civilizational values: An anti-racist pedagogy tool." Anti-Black Racism Teaching & Learning Forum. The Black Scholarship Institute. Toronto Metropolitan University. Toronto, Ontario.

Moraes, A. (15 April 2024). "The Afro-Brazilian civilizational values: Humanizing learning." Faculty of Community Services Graduate Conversations. Toronto Metropolitan University. Virtual.

Nasr, J. & Teitel-Payne, R. (September 2023). "Growing a Greener City: Paris + Toronto" AgroParis Tech Public Forum. "How to build support for urban agriculture," moderated by Joe Nasr, and "Food as urban ecology," moderated by Rhonda Teitel-Payne. Toronto Metropolitan University. Toronto, Ontario.

Perttula, C., Prince, J., Scrivener, J., Sebbumba, A. and **Teitel-Payne, R.** (June 2023). "Alternative models for integrating urban growers into public markets." Delivered at the International Public Markets Conference. Toronto, Ontario.

Regnier-Davies, J. and Edge, S. (October 2023). The role and changing practices of funders in magnifying or constraining equity-focused innovation in community food programs in Toronto, Canada. Canadian Association of Geographers, Ontario. Toronto, Ontario.

Regnier-Davies, J. and Edge, S. (June 2023). Food system innovation and implementation challenges of hybrid governance: Lessons from the COVID-19 emergency food security response in Toronto, Ontario. International Public Policy Association. Toronto, Ontario.

Regnier-Davies, J., Edge, S. and Nasr, J. (May 2023). Food system governance innovation and change through hybridity: Lessons learned from the COVID-19 emergency food security response in Toronto. Canadian Association for Food Studies Conference. Toronto, Ontario.

Robertson, J. (June 2023). "A Greenhouse in a remote Arctic community: Arviat, Nunavut." Canadian Association for Food Studies Conference, Toronto, Ontario.

Rocha, C. (16 April 2024). "Formulação de políticas públicas com base em evidências (Formulation of evidence-based public policies)." Grupo Sustentarea, Faculty of Public Health, University of São Paulo (USP). Brazil.

Rocha, C. (4 December 2023) "Impactos dos sistemas alimentares na saúde (Impacts of food systems on health)." I Simpósio INCT Combate à Fome, Políticas Públicas de Segurança Alimentar no Brasil: Impactos, Avanços e Desafios (Symposium on Public Policies for Food Security in Brazil), University of São Paulo (USP), Brazil.

Rocha, C. (8 November 2023) "Políticas públicas para um sistema alimentar mais saudável (Public policies for healthier food systems)." Invited Lecturer. Department of Nutrition, Federal University of Rio Grande do Norte (UFRN). Brazil.

Rocha, C. (5-6 October 2023.). "Reflections on 20 Years of collaboration." International Seminar CERESAN 20 Years: trajectory of research and perspectives of the thematic field. Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

Rocha, C. (30 August 2024). "Formulação de políticas públicas com base em evidências (Formulation of public policies based on evidence)." Invited Lecturer. Department of Nutrition, Federal University of Rio Grande do Norte (UFRN). Brazil.

Rocha, C. (13 June 2023). "Food policies and programs in Brazil: A Review." The Betinho Project Seminar Series, Centre for Studies in Food Security, Toronto Metropolitan University. Toronto, Ontario.

Sadu, I., Husbands, W., Byam, K. and **Lololi, A.** (6 November 2023) BFST Policy Paper Launch. Toronto Metropolitan University. Toronto, Ontario.

Scott, C. and **Stahlbrand, L.** (May 2023). George Brown's Honours Bachelor of Food Studies: A Midterm Report. Delivered at the Canadian Association for Food Studies Annual Conference. Toronto, Ontario.

Stahlbrand, L. (May 2023). The Designated Organic Campus Project. Delivered at the Canadian Association for Food Studies Annual Conference. Toronto, Ontario

Stahlbrand, L. (June 2023). A Pedagogy of Hope: George Brown Students Organize for Sustainability. Delivered at the George Brown Teaching and Learning Conference, Toronto, ON

Stahlbrand, L. (September 2023). Social Innovation and the Organic Campus Project: The Case of the George Brown Chef School. Delivered at the International Social Innovation Research Conference 2023 (ISIRC). Guimaraes, Portugal.

Stahlbrand, L. (January 2024). The Designated Organic Campus Project. Delivered at the Guelph Organic conference. Guelph, Ontario.

Teitel-Payne, R. (September 2023) “Making the case for UA: A strategy session on research and tools for building support for urban agriculture.” Facilitated meeting of researchers from Paris and Toronto. Toronto Metropolitan University. Toronto, Ontario.

Food-focused courses taught by members in the 2023/2024 academic year

- ARC 821: The Architect in Society, TMU
- CSOC808: Sociology of Food and Eating. Chang School of Continuing Education, TMU
- CFNY 404: Food Policy and Programs for Food Security, TMU
- CFNY 408: Urban Food Security, Chang School for Continuing Education, TMU
- CVFN 400/CFNY 400: Independent Studies. Chang School for Continuing Education, TMU
- CVFN 410: Understanding Urban Agriculture, Chang School for Continuing Education, TMU
- ES 8953: Climate change and the food system, TMU
- EUS 850: Sustainability in Organizations, TMU
- FND 401: Social & Cultural Dimensions of Food, TMU
- FNF 100: Families and Health, TMU
- FNN 201: Nutrition through the lifespan, TMU
- FNP 100: Professional Practice, TMU
- FNP250: Markets, Food Systems and Food Policy. School of Nutrition, TMU
- FNU 100: Canadian Cuisine: Historical Roots, TMU
- FNU 101: Food Practices and Policy, TMU
- FNY 510: Indigenous Food Systems in Canada, TMU
- GEO 509: Food Place and Identity, TMU
- GEO 716: Geographies of Health, TMU
- HOSF 1304: Introduction to Food Studies 1, George Brown College
- HOSF 2308: Food from the Land, George Brown College Honours
- HOSF2409: Food Movements, George Brown College Honours
- HOSF 3606: Food and the Nonprofit Sector, George Brown College Honours
- PPOL 631: School Food Program Policy Case Study, McGill University
- SOC 808: Sociology of Food and Eating, TMU

Guest lectures:

Field, D., (March 2024) "Coalition for Healthy School Food and School Food Programs." FNN 400: Advanced Nutrition for Health Promotion. School of Nutrition. Toronto Metropolitan University.

Nasr, J. and Komisar, J. (February 2024). "Designing for Urban Agriculture." NFDS 2080: Intro to Food Design. The New School, NYC.

Seko, Y (March 2024). "Reflections on Lunchbox Shaming." Guest lecture invited by Asian Faculty and Staff Community Network, Toronto Metropolitan University.

Regnier-Davies, J. (February 2024). "Community-Based Non-Profits, Roles & Challenges in Fostering Sustainable Communities." EUS 850: Sustainability in Organizations. Department of Geography & Environmental Studies. Toronto Metropolitan University.

Lololi, A., (25 March 2024). "Black Food Sovereignty." HOSF 2409: Food Movements. Honours Bachelor of Food Studies Centre for Hospitality and Culinary Arts George Brown College

Lololi, A. (November 2023). "Black Food Sovereignty." SOC 530: Blackness and Freedom. Toronto Metropolitan University.

Course and academic development:

Teitel-Payne, R. and Kuhns, J. (TUG representatives): Program update: The Urban Agriculture Enterprise Support Program (UAESP) is a collaborative research and training project for urban farmers led by Seneca College with TMU, Toronto Urban Growers and West Neighbourhood House. UAESP offered a 9-module online farm business training program addressing the specific needs and circumstances of urban farmers in Toronto. Delivered events and workshops:

- (27 November 2023). (Hybrid) Panel discussion: Ask an Urban Farmer. How to engage in community building and instil anti-racist/pro-LGBTQ2SA+ practices in the context of value-driven urban farming businesses.
- UAESP also hosted an online public session on Controlled Environment Agriculture. See the recordings at <https://www.youtube.com/@torontourbangrowers5508>

Lololi, A., (October 2023) Program Advisory - Honours Bachelor of Food Studies Program (H317) George Brown Chef School's (GBCS) Program Advisory Committee (PAC). PAC supports GBCS culinary curriculum with industry and community feedback. The primary role of the PAC is to provide a current and effective link between our programs and our industry. This link will help ensure the curriculum's currency and relevance, the strength of the program's profile, and opportunities for field experience for students during their studies and for employment at graduation.

Knowledge mobilization and community engagement

Edge, S. (2021-2025). Expert Advisor for their Community Grocery Store project being facilitated by the Rexdale Community Hub. United Way and the Rexdale Community Hub. Toronto, Ontario.

Elton, S. (2024). Spoke at the University of Toronto and Lakehead University and participated in several radio and telephone call-in programs after the publication of my [op-ed in the Globe and Mail](#).

Field, D. (2024). Coalition for Healthy School Food update: The last year has been very active for the Coalition for Healthy School Food. After decades of advocacy, the federal government finally announced a National School Food Program with a \$ 1 billion investment over five years. In the last year as the Coordinator of the Coalition for Healthy School Food, I have met many times with federal and provincial politicians advocating for an expansion of school food programs. I have also been interviewed by the media dozens of times. In these meetings or interviews, it often comes up that I am a CSFS Associate Member. Being connected to the TMU CSFS enhances my work as a community practitioner. And I hope that my work as a community practitioner enhances the work of the CSFS.

Goa, S. (2023/2024 academic year). Nutrition Food Lab updates: Our nutrition food lab collaborated with the campus recreation team and hosted a "Learn to Cook" event. Students are taught to prepare and cook simple recipes in the lab and taste food onsite. We have also hosted "Cook Your Own Breakfast" for the Deans across Canada.

Gore, C. (September 2024 to April 2025). Acted as a special advisor to [Alvéole](#), an urban bee-keeping and nature-based solution. Met with senior leaders of Alvéole bi-weekly to discuss future community-based, nature-based data collection and services.

Islam, J. (2023/2024). Leading non-profit organization Holistic Sustainable Development Network International is a volunteer-led sustainability initiative that builds academic capacity through journal publishing, conference organizing, seminars, and community development on a range of issues, including food security.

Islam, J. (2023/2024). Leading non-profit organization Toronto Bangla School engages in communities in Scarborough to address a range of issues, including food security. Bangla School connects individuals and organizations to coordinate resources and also deliver food and prepared food packages to newcomers and low-income families occasionally.

Komisar, J. (2023). I regularly volunteer for [Edible Allan Gardens](#), which is an initiative of the Friends of Allan Gardens.

Kuhns, J. (October 2022 – June 2023). Task Force Member, 11th International Public Markets Conference. Toronto, Ontario.

Li, N. (June 2023, August 2023, December 2023, April 2024). Presentations and discussions with Nunavut Food Security Coalition, Qajuqkturvik Food Centre, Makivik Corp. and Policy Advisor to Northern Affairs Minister Vandal.

Lololi, A. (15 June 2023). "Black Community Alliance Meet and Greet" Black Food Sovereignty Toronto & Black Food Sovereignty Working Group: Network of Black Community Organizations as an Advisory of the Black Food Sovereignty Alliance Black Food Sovereignty Plan engagement. Toronto Metropolitan University. Toronto, Ontario. (hybrid event).

Lololi, A. (6 December 2023). "Breaking Bread" Feast. A celebration of the Black Food Sovereignty Plan: Accomplishments and Future Planning 2024. City of Toronto, Confronting Anti-Black Racism Unit. Fort York National Historic Site. Toronto, Ontario.

Lololi, A. (February 2024). "Mobilizing Black Farmers." Black History Month event in collaboration with the Ecological Farmers Association of Ontario and Deeper Roots Farm.

Lololi, A., (May 2024) Black Food Security and Sovereignty - "Taking care of our Communities" the Greater Toronto Area Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated's inaugural Delta Days at Queens Park, delivered at TMU.

Nasr, J. (2023). Reviewer and advisor for "Guideline for Urban Agriculture on Green Roofs." TMU Urban Farm.

Nasr, J. (2023-2025). Member, CECL Advisory Group, Chang School for Continuing Education. Toronto Metropolitan University.

Nasr, J. (February 2024). Co-organized workshop: Urban Agriculture Workshop. London, Ontario.

Nasr, J., Kuhns, J. & Teitel-Payne, R. (September 2023). Organized an exchange on urban agriculture between a delegation of professors from AgroParisTech and the Paris School of Urban Planning, and Toronto-based instructors, researchers, municipal staff, civil society actors, and practitioners. CSFS, TMU and the French Consulate members organized a public forum and a series of focused meetings. The public forum, Growing a Greener City: Paris & Toronto, was a hybrid in-person/online event featuring talks from local experts and presentations highlighting the Paris experience of policy and support for urban agriculture. The week-long visit mission of the French team coincided with Toronto Urban Ag Week, organized by Toronto Urban Growers. This included visits to nearly 20 city projects organized by J. Nasr.

Moreas, A. (12 February 2024). Organized a Poster Session, "Equity in Farmers Markets," including a selection of posters produced by students from FND 401: The Social & Cultural Dimensions of Food. Student Learning Centre, Toronto Metropolitan University

Moreas, A. (2024). Subject Matter Expert supervisor for five graduate students from the School of Nutrition on the paper "Understanding food equity: A scoping review." This paper is currently being revised to be submitted for a conference presentation and publication in a peer-reviewed journal.

Rocha, C. (13 June 2023; 27 March 2024) Co-organizer of event for The Betinho Project Seminar Series. See <https://betinhoproject.wixsite.com/the-betinho-project/seminars> for recordings and details of the events.

Teitel-Payne, R. (2023). Focus group co-facilitator for “Guideline for Urban Agriculture on Green Roofs.” TMU Urban Farm.

Media coverage:

Profiling **Field, D.**, (April 2024) "CBC's Deana Sumanac-Johnson speaks with school food nutrition program expert Debbie Field." CBC News <https://www.cbc.ca/player/play/video/1.7166106>

Profiling **Field D.** (15 May 2024) "The Coalition for Healthy School Food's National Coordinator Debbie Field joined Global's Brenden Purdy to talk about the Federal Government's \$1 billion investment into a national school food program." Global News.
<https://globalnews.ca/video/10498114/gnm-national-school-food/>

Profiling **Field, D.** (31 May 2024) "Bolstered by a funding boost, advocates are looking for ways to get more food to schools." CBC News.
<https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/newfoundland-labrador/food-first-summit-1.7219719>

Profiling **Koc, M.** (28 August 2023) The debut of lab-grown meat. CBC Radio.
<https://www.cbc.ca/listen/live-radio/1-90-columnists-from-cbc-radio/clip/16006002-the-debut-lab-grown-meat>

Profiling **Li, N.** (18 November 2023). Even with subsidies, Nain has the highest food costs in Canada, say researchers. CBC News.
<https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/newfoundland-labrador/food-subsidy-northern-labrador-prices-1.7027601>

Profiling **Li, N.** (20 October 2023). How much of Nutrition North’s subsidy is being kept by stores? Cabin Radio.
<https://cabinradio.ca/157321/news/economy/food/how-much-of-nutrition-norths-subsidy-is-being-kept-by-stores/>

Profiling **Li, N.** (29 November 2023). Une partie de la subvention Nutrition Nord ne finirait pas dans les poches des consommateurs. Media Tenois.
<https://www.radiotaiga.com/post/une-partie-de-la-subvention-nutrition-nord-ne-finirait-pas-dans-les-poches-des-consommateurs>

Profiling **Li, N.** (15 September 2023). Grocers aren't passing along full Nutrition North food subsidy to consumers: Study. University of Toronto.
<https://www.utoronto.ca/news/grocers-aren-t-passing-along-full-nutrition-north-food-subsidy-consumers-study>

Profiling **Li, N.** (5 October 2023). Are federal subsidies really solving food insecurity in the Canadian north? TorontoMet Today
<https://www.torontomu.ca/news-events/news/2023/10/are-federal-subsidies-really-solving-food-insecurity-in-canadian-north>

Profiling **Lololi, A.**(2023). Earth to Tables Legacies: Multimedia Food Conversations Across Generations and Cultures. <https://earthtotables.org/acknowledgements>

Profiling **Lololi, A.** (1 November 2023). “Foodism 40.” Anan Lololi is recognized as one of the Community Changemakers. Foodism Magazine celebrates an important milestone. To mark 40 issues of Foodism, they launched Foodism 40, a list of hospitality professionals who are committed to bettering our industry. Foodism celebrates 40 amazing individuals — from champions of diversity to sustainability superstars and culinary tourism titans.

Students supported

Edge, S.

2023 - Present	Jannatul Islam, Environmental Applied Science and Management, Toronto Metropolitan University. Ph.D. thesis committee member.
2023 - Present	Ayah Al-Anani, Career Boost supervisor Centre for Studies in Food Security, Toronto Metropolitan University.
2023 - Present	Negin Salehi, Environmental Applied Science and Management, Toronto Metropolitan University. Master’s thesis supervisor.
2022 - Present	Mei Ling Patterson, Environmental Applied Science and Management, Toronto Metropolitan University. Master’s thesis supervisor.
2020 - Present	Jenelle Regnier-Davies, Environmental Applied Science and Management, Toronto Metropolitan University. Ph.D Supervisor.

Farah, L.M.

2024 - Present	Melina Elefteriadis, Toronto Metropolitan University. Undergraduate Research Assistant supervisor.
2024 - Present	James Goodeve, Architecture, Toronto Metropolitan University. Master’s thesis supervisor.
2023 - 2024	Ana Moyard, Architecture, Toronto Metropolitan University. Master’s thesis supervisor (completed).

Goa, S.

2023 - 2024	Joseph Lee, Food & Nutrition, Toronto Metropolitan University. Undergraduate program supervisor.
2023 - 2024	Vy Nguyen, Food & Nutrition, Toronto Metropolitan University. Undergraduate program supervisor.
2023 - 2024	Jasmin Hamilton, Food & Nutrition, Toronto Metropolitan University. Undergraduate program supervisor.

Koc, M.

2020 - Present	Jenelle Regnier-Davies, Environmental Applied Science and Management, Toronto Metropolitan University. Ph.D. Thesis committee member.
2018 - Present	Julie Robertson, Environmental and Applied Science Management, Toronto Metropolitan University. Ph.D. Thesis committee member.
2014 - Present	Kelsey Speakman, Communications and Culture Program, York-Toronto Metropolitan University. Ph.D. Thesis committee member.

Komisar, J.

2023 - 2024	Eric Cheung, Architecture, Toronto Metropolitan University. Master's thesis supervisor.
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Liberda, E.

2023 - 2024	Zaynah Khan, Occupational and Public Health, Toronto Metropolitan University. Undergraduate thesis mentor.
2023 - 2024	Meaghan Wilton, PDF training (Tajigoltieg Project), Toronto Metropolitan University.
2023	Fateme Kooshki, University of Toronto. PhD examiner.
2022 - 2023	David Di. University of Toronto. Co-Thesis mentor.
2022 - 2024	Fatima Ahmed, PDF and HQP training (EPIC and Tajigoltieg Project).
2022 - 2023	Alexis Lewis, Toronto Metropolitan University. Thesis mentor.
2022 - Present	Sumayya Fatima, Toronto Metropolitan University. Co-thesis mentor.

2021 - 2023	Bava Jeyanathan, Toronto Metropolitan University. Thesis mentor.
2019 - 2023	Lamia Akbar, University of Toronto. Committee member.

Nasr, J.

2023	Heloise Antunes, University of Porto. Visiting scholar supervisor.
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Rocha, C.

2024 - Present	Andhressa Fagundes, Nutrition. Federal University of Sergipe. Visiting scholar supervisor.
2024	Carla Vieira Cunha Lima, Nutrition, Federal University of Rio Grande do Norte, Brazil. Visiting scholar supervisor.
2024	Rosa Sá de Oliveira Neta, Collective Health, Federal University of Rio Grande do Norte (UFRN), Brazil. External member of Ph.D. examination committee.
2023 - Present	Clélia de Oliveira Lyra, Nutrition, Federal University of Rio Grande do Norte, Brazil. Visiting scholar supervisor.
2023	Fábio Resende de Araújo, Public Administration and Social Management, Federal University of Rio Grande do Norte, Brazil. Visiting scholar supervisor.
2023	Michelle Pereira Xavier, Nutritional Sciences, Fluminense Federal University (UFF), Brazil. Post-Graduate supervising committee member.
2023	Priscilla Rolim, Nutrition, Federal University of Rio Grande do Norte, Brazil. Visiting scholar supervisor.
2023	Vanessa Daufenback Ramos, Public Health Program, São Paulo University (Universidade de São Paulo – USP), Brazil. External member of Ph.D examination committee.
2022 - 2023	Giselle Silva Garcia, Human Nutrition, University of Brasília, Brazil. Visiting student supervisor.
2021- 2023	Jessica Castellucci, Environmental Applied Science and Management, Toronto Metropolitan University. Graduate supervising committee member.
2019 - 2023	Bernice Yanful, Social and Behavioural Health Sciences, Dalla Lana School of Public Health, University of Toronto. Ph.D. supervising committee member.

Seko, Y.

2023 - Present	Rayna Adachi-Amitay, Toronto Metropolitan University. Research assistant supervisor.
2023 - Present	Veen Wong, University of Waterloo. Research coordinator supervisor.

Teitel-Payne, R.

2024	Anderson, M. CVFN 400 Independent study supervisor.
2023	Getigan, C. CVFN 400 Independent study supervisor.
2024	Nur, A. CVFN 400 Independent study supervisor.
2023	Malik, A. CFNY 400 Independent study supervisor.
2024	Park, J. CVFN 400 Independent study supervisor.
2023	Soares, A. CFNY 400 Independent study supervisor.

Wegener, J.

2023 - Present:	Katy Saucis, Health Sciences (c), Nutrition Communication. Toronto Metropolitan University. MRP supervisor.
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