



Canadian Economics Association Association canadienne d'économique

Annual Meeting of Members 2024
Réunion annuelle des membres



Agenda | Ordre du jour

1. Approval of Agenda
2. Motion to approve minutes of last Annual Meeting of Members
3. Report of the President (Michelle Alexopoulos)
4. Report of the CEDC (Michelle Alexopoulos)
5. Report of the Treasurer (Brandon Schaufele)
6. Motion to appoint Truster Zweig LLP as the Public Accountant pursuant to section 13.1 of the Bylaws (Brandon Schaufele)
7. Report of the Secretary (Ana Ferrer)
8. Election of New CEA Directors by acclamation (Ana Ferrer)
9. Report of the CWEC chair (Janice Compton)
10. Report of the Managing Editor of CJE/RCE (Zhiqi Chen)
11. Report of the Managing Editor of CPP/AdP (Michael Veall)
12. Concluding Remarks from the Conference Chair (John Galbraith)
13. Other Business

1. Adoption de l'ordre du jour
2. Approbation du procès-verbal de la dernière réunion annuelle des membres
3. Rapport de la présidente (Michelle Alexopoulos)
4. Rapport du CDEC (Michelle Alexopoulos)
5. Rapport du trésorier (Brandon Schaufele)
6. Motion visant à nommer Truster Zweig LLP à titre de comptable public conformément à l'article 13.1 des Règlements (Brandon Schaufele)
7. Rapport de la secrétaire (Ana Ferrer)
8. Élection par acclamation des nouveaux Directeurs/Directrices de l'ACÉ (Ana Ferrer)
9. Rapport de la présidente du CFÉC (Janice Compton)
10. Rapport du rédacteur en chef de la RCE/CJE (Zhiqi Chen)
11. Rapport du rédacteur en chef de l'AdP/PPP (Michael Veall)
12. Remarques finales de l'organisateur du congrès (John Galbraith)
13. Affaires diverses



Procedures

- Please enter your questions in the chat window following the presentation of a report
- Polls will appear in the meeting as they arise [click on the “more” icon at bottom of screen if you cannot see]
- Documents available here: www.economics.ca/cpages/bylaws



1) Approval of the Agenda

Motion to Approve the Agenda

Motion pour approuver l'ordre du jour



2) Approval of Minutes

Motion to approve the minutes from the
2023 Annual Meeting of Members

Motion pour approuver le procès-verbal de la
dernière assemblée annuelle des membres



3) Report of the President

Michelle Alexopoulos

President, Canadian Economics Association

Professor of Economics, University of Toronto

<https://www.economics.utoronto.ca/index.php/index/person/person/faculty/2>





New CEA Directors

Welcome to the new CEA directors joining the board during this meeting. **Paul Beaudry** is designated for the Presidential stream to be confirmed at the next CEA board meeting

- 01 | Paul Beaudry (Vancouver School of Economics)
- 02 | Sermin Gungor (Bank of Canada)
- 03 | Anke Kessler (Simon Fraser University)
- 04 | Brandon Schaufele, reappointed (Ivey Business School)



Outgoing CEA Directors

Thank you to the outgoing directors for serving over the last four years, contributing to the governance of the CEA and undertaking committee work.

01 | Janice Compton (University of Manitoba)

02 | Byron Lew (Trent University)

03 | David Green (Vancouver School of Economics)



Thank you to David Green Outgoing CEA Past President

Past-President, Canadian Economics Association
Professor of Economics, Vancouver School of Economics

<https://economics.ubc.ca/faculty-and-staff/david-green/>





Economists Remembered

We recognize the passing of Canadian Economists over the past year including,

Professor Emeritus Jonathan Rhys Kesselman (Simon Fraser University) died on February 25, 2024. Professor Kesselman retired from Simon Fraser in 2017, but continued a productive research career advocating for a better and fairer tax system for Canada.



Doug Purvis Memorial Prize

The Doug Purvis Memorial Prize went to Michael Baker (University of Toronto), Derek Messacar (Memorial University of Newfoundland, and Mark Stabile (INSEAD) for *Effects of Child Tax Benefits on Poverty and Labor Supply: Evidence from the Canada Child Benefit and Universal Child Care Benefit*, published in the Journal of Labor Economics (Volume 41, Number 3, October 2023).

Thank you to the prize committee members: Tammy Schirle (Chair), Audra Bowlus, Brett House, Joseph Macaluso, Pierre Siklos



2024 John Rae Prize

The winner of the 2024 John Rae Prize: Professor **Robert Clark** (Queen's University).

The Canadian Economic Association awards the John Rae Prize every two years to the Canadian Economist with the best research record over the past five years.

The prize committee consisted of: Siwan Anderson (Chair), Lynda Khalaf, Fabian Lange, Arthur Robson, and Stephen Williamson.



2024 Poster Prizes

Bank of Canada – CEA Undergraduate Research Poster Awards:

- Award for Best Paper went to Jane Platt (UBC) *Parental involvement laws: the impacts of abortion restrictions on teen maternal health in the US*
- The Award for the Best Poster went to Anna Chernesky (UBC) *Migration and the classroom: the effects of immigration on the test scores and school experience of native students in Europe*

Graduate Student Posters:

- Régis Kouassi (Université de Montréal) *Water-Proofed: Floods And Water Infrastructure Quality In The United States*





Fellows

Fellowship recognizes achievements and contribution to the discipline of the most prominent economists who have spent a significant portion of their career in Canada. The New CEA Fellows are:

01 | Victoria Zinde-Walsh

02 | Scott Taylor

03 | Brian Copeland

The Fellows were inducted at the Past Presidents' Dinner. A citation to their work will appear on the CEA website. Congratulations to our new fellows!



4) Report of Canadian Economics Diversity Committee

CEDC Members Include:

Michelle Alexopoulos, Ismael Mourifie and David Green are Co-chairs;

Michelle Alexopoulos (Co-chair of the Mentorship Committee);

Janice Compton (as Co-chair of the Mentorship Committee and representative of CWEC);

Ke Pang, Byron Lew and Inbal Marcovitch (as Co-chairs of the Best Practices Committee);

Prosper Dovonon, Rob Gillezeau and Viet Vu (as Co-chairs of the Affinity Groups Committee);

Nick Dadson and Sermin Gungor (as Co-chairs of the Data Committee); and

Ana Ferrer (as Chair of the Code of Conduct Committee).

2023-2024 CEDC Major Initiatives

1

Embrace Day Workshops & Special Sessions
(Critical Conversations, Teaching Panel & Grad Mentoring held prior to the Annual Meetings in Toronto)

2

New EPDC Research Competition Introduced to encourage junior researchers to work on EDI in Economics.

The winners: **Sidra Hashmi (Queen's University)** and **Maya Povhe (University of Toronto)**

3

Mentoring Activities:

- CEA Mentoring Session (May 31, 2024)
- Job-Market Sessions (Fall)
- Cross-country conversations (Spring)

4

Ongoing Data & Surveys:

- Mini-Survey
- Updating the CWEC Status of Women Economists Survey
- Best-Practices Research



5) Report of the Treasurer

Brandon Schaufele

Treasurer and Director, Canadian Economics Association

Professor, Business, Economics and Public Policy
Energy Consortium Fellowship
Ivey Business School, Western University

<https://www.ivey.uwo.ca/faculty/directory/brandon-schaufele/>





6) Appointment of Public Accountant

Motion to appoint Truster Zweig LLP as the Public Accountant pursuant to section 13.1 of the bylaws

Motion pour nommer Truster Zweig LLP à titre d'expert-comptable en vertu de l'article 13.1 des Règlements



7) Report of the Secretary

Ana Ferrer

Secretary and Director, Canadian Economics Association

Associate Dean of Research, Faculty of Arts
Professor of Economics, University of Waterloo

<https://uwaterloo.ca/economics/people-profiles/ana-ferrer>





Future Meetings Committee

- CEA 2025 will be held at UQÀM (Université du Québec à Montréal) . Marie Connolly and Charles Séguin are the local organizers. Professor Huw Lloyd-Ellis (Queen's University) will be the Programme Chair
- CEA 2026 will be held at Simon Fraser University. Vancouver, BC. Steeve Mongrain and Kevin Schnepel will be the local organizers. Paul Beaudry (UBC) will be the Programme Chair
- For details on how host a Future Meeting, please see:
<https://www.economics.ca/cpages/future-annual-meetings>



Code of Conduct

The committee charged to address breaches of the code addressed one incident report this year.

The committee advises to continue reviewing and clarifying the scope of mandate of the code of conduct

www.economics.ca/cpages/code-of-conduct



8) Election of new CEA Directors by Acclamation

Following section 5.7(e) of the Bylaws, the number of nominees matches the number of remaining director positions, and the nominees are elected by acclamation.

The newly elected directors are: Paul Beaudry (Presidential cycle); Anke Kessler; Sermin Gungor; Brandon Schaufele (re-appointed Treasurer).



9) Report of the CWEC Chair
Rapport de la présidente du CFÉC

Janice Compton

CWEC Chair | Présidente du CFÉC

Professor of Economics, University of Manitoba





Canadian Women Economists Committee / Comité des Femmes Économistes Canadiennes

The role of CWEC/CFÉC is to support and promote the advancement of women in the Canadian economics profession.

Where to find us:

Website: <https://www.economics.ca/cpages/cwec-home>

Twitter/X: [@CdnWomenEcon](https://twitter.com/CdnWomenEcon)

[LinkedIn](#)



2023-2024 CWEC/CFÉC Activities

Monthly Brownbag (zoom) Seminars

- to provide an outlet for junior women faculty to present work in progress.

Annual International Women's Day Online Seminar

- Nava Ashraf (LSE) "Inspire Inclusion"

Mentoring Activities, Joint with CEDC

- Virtual workshops for students on the market in the fall
- Virtual informal chats hosted in the winter term
- CEA Early Career Mentoring Breakfast
- Graduate student mentoring and Teaching Tips Panel on Embrace Day.



2023-2024 CWEC/CFÉC Activities

Bi-annual Newsletter

- Interviews, articles, upcoming events.
- *Look for summer edition out soon!*

CWEC/CFÉC at the CEA Meetings

- Luncheon Speaker: Nina Banks
- Panel: Women's labour force participation post-COVID 19
- 4 Paper Sessions

Community Building

- Joint CEA Session with CHWen (Chinese Women Economists Network)
- Promote and support the Laval Spring Workshop Femmes en Économie
- Joint AABE Presentation with Angela Daley of the Atlantic Economics Association on Diversity in the Economics Profession



Thank you to the 2023/2024 CWEC committee

Marwa Abdou

Janice Compton

Elisabeth Gugl

Doriane Intungane

Monica Jain

Nahid Masoudi

Ardyn Nordstrom

Lindsay Tedds

Canadian Chamber of Commerce

University of Manitoba

University of Victoria

MacEwan University

Bank of Canada

Memorial University

Carleton University

University of Calgary

Student Members

Kareman Yassin

Dhanya Devarajan Kalaiselvan

Ella Corkum

Maryam Molaei

PhD Student, University of Ottawa

Undergrad, University of Waterloo

MA Student, UBC

PHD Student, University of Calgary

10) Report of the Managing Editor of the CJE

Zhiqi Chen

Managing Editor, Canadian Journal of Economics

Chancellor's Professor, Carleton University

<https://carleton.ca/economics/people/chen-zhiqi/>





Update on Journal Activities since June 2023

New and Continuing Editors

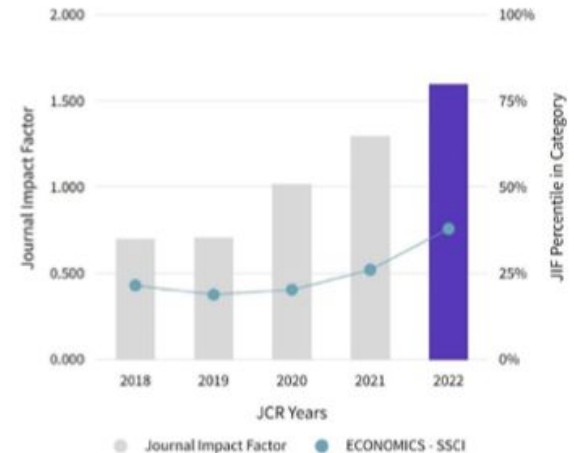
- Steven Lehrer joined the team of editors on July 1, 2023
- Peter Morrow (Co-editor): renewed for three years
- Marie Connolly (Data editor): renewed for three years

Progress Report on the Editing of Four Symposia

- Review process completed
 - Symposium on Misallocation and Structural Transformation
- Review process ongoing
 - Symposium on Reproducibility and Replicability in Economics
 - Symposium on the Economics of Personalized Medicine and Genetic Testing
 - Symposium on Trade and Indigenous Nations

Journal Metrics

- Journal impact factor: 1.6 (and rising)
- Number of papers published: 55
- Number of submissions: 199
- Accept rate: 19.8
- Median number of days from submission to 1st decision: 76
- Median number of days from submission to final decision: 84





CJE Best Paper Prizes

- Winner of the **Harry Johnson Prize** (for the best paper published in the CJE the preceding year)
 - *Imported Carbon Emissions: Evidence from French Manufacturing Companies* by **Damien Dussaux, Francesco Vona, and Antoine Dechezleprêtre**
 - *Who wins and who loses from state subsidies?* by **Jun Du, Sourafel Girma, Holger Görg, and Ignat Stepanok**
- Winner of the **Robert Mundell Prize** (awarded to a “young” author or authors of the best paper published in the CJE the previous two calendar years)
 - *Horizon Effects and Adverse Selection in Health Insurance Markets* by **Olivier Darmouni and Dan Zeltzer**

Congratulations to our paper prize winners!



Open Access Publication for Canadian Authors

- CRKN (Canadian Research Knowledge Network) agreement with Wiley
 - Removes article processing charges (APCs) for open access publications in the CJE (and other Wiley hybrid journals) by authors at participating CRKN institutions
- Current term of the contract ends on December 31, 2024
 - Visit CRKN's website for the complete list of participating institutions
<https://www.crkn-rcdr.ca/en/crkn-announces-transformative-agreement-wiley>



11) Report of the Managing Editor of the CPP

Michael Veall

Managing Editor, Canadian Public Policy

Professor of Economics, McMaster University
Academic Director, Statistics Canada Research Data Centre

<https://experts.mcmaster.ca/display/veall>





Canadian Public Policy/Analyse de politique announces the following honours for 2023

Referee of the Year:

Each year the Editorial Board recognizes a particularly extraordinary referee by selecting a Referee of the Year. The winner of referee of the year is a tie:

Rose-Anne Devlin of the University of Ottawa and Qiaongda Zhao of Mount Royal University.

They join previous colleagues so honoured: Livio di Matteo (Economics, Lakehead), Jonathan Rhys Kesselman (Public Policy, Simon Fraser), John Galbraith (Economics, McGill), Dionne Pohler (Business, Saskatchewan), Mikal Skuterud (Economics, Waterloo), Jeff Chan (Economics, Wilfrid Laurier) and Maripier Isabelle (Economics, Laval).



The Vanderkamp Prize (CPP/Adp)

Vanderkamp Prize is for the best article each year.

The winner of the \$2000 **Vanderkamp Prize** for 2023 is *Carbon Pricing Costs for Households and the Progressivity of Revenue Recycling Options in Canada* by **Jennifer Winter** (University of Calgary), **Brett Dolter** (University of Regina), **G. Kent Fellows** (University of Calgary). Congratulations to these authors!

Thank you to the selection committee.

12) Final Remarks | Remarques finales

John Galbraith

2024 Conference Chair
President, Canadian Economics Association

Professor of Economics, McGill University

<https://www.mcgill.ca/economics/john-w-galbraith>





13) Other Business

Other items or questions brought by CEA members



Thank you.
Merci.

