



**MASTER'S FELLOWSHIP (HISTORY) ON DEINDUSTRIALIZATION & THE POLITICS OF OUR TIME,  
2022-2024 (\$20,000 CDN)**

Brexit, the election of Donald Trump as US President, and the rise of right-wing populism across continental Europe have refocused attention on the connections between race, gender and class in deindustrialized working-class communities. These volatile events have prompted debate and conjecture about the root causes and timing of the current social and political upheaval but little sustained research into those “left behind.”

This MA fellowship aims to engage a graduate student – Canadian or international applicant - as part of the transnational Deindustrialization & the Politics of Our Time SSHRC Partnership Project. The project brings together research centres, trade unions, labour archives, industrial museums and other partners in six countries in North America (Canada & the US) and Western Europe (UK, France, Germany and Italy). The overall goal is to examine the politics of deindustrialization, the ways that race, gender, and class in particular get politically entangled, as well as the politics of environmental contamination and industrial heritage.

The project is able to fund one **2022-24 NSGS Master's Fellowship (\$20,000 = \$10K each year)** for an incoming student in the **History Program at Dalhousie University** in Halifax, Nova Scotia whose proposed thesis research is of direct relevance to the project and who will be working under the **co-supervision of Lachlan MacKinnon (CBU)** and another on-campus supervisor (Dalhousie University). The student is eligible to apply for other funding, both internally and from external funding agencies. The Fellowship Student is expected to be an active member of the wider project team, including attending virtual meetings and transnational workshops / summer institutes. Candidates with a deep interest in the politics of deindustrialization are encouraged to apply.

For full application details, please contact Lachlan MacKinnon ([lachlan\\_mackinnon@cbu.ca](mailto:lachlan_mackinnon@cbu.ca)) on or before **15 October 2021**.