

SUMMER COURSE ON REFUGEE ISSUES

Toronto, June 16-24, 2001

The Centre for Refugee Studies' Summer Course offers postgraduate training in refugee issues for up to fifty practitioners inside and outside government who work on some aspect of refugee protection or assistance. The Course includes panel discussions, case studies, a simulation exercise and lectures from international experts. A York University/Centre for Refugee Studies Certificate is awarded upon successful completion of the eight-day programme. Sessions offered in 2001 include:

- World Movements: Root Causes and Consequences
- Racism, Forced Migration, and the Media
- Role of the UNHCR
- Law and Refugee Status
- Interdiction and Human Smuggling
- Development and Displacement
- Protection for the Internally Displaced Persons
- Refugee Women and Children
- Human Rights Documentation, RefWORLD, and the Internet
- Managing Refugee Camps
- Anthropology and the Trauma of Exile
- Refugee Resettlement: A Comparative Perspective
- International and Regional Human Rights Remedies
- Current Issues in Refugee Policy: Northern and Southern Perspectives

Course Fee: \$800

Late registration after March 31, 2001: \$900

Fees are in Canadian dollars and include materials. Food and accommodation are extra. Reasonably priced accommodation and food are available on campus. Partial subsidies are available for low-income participants. A limited number of internships, including full course subsidy, are available for York University graduates or law school students. Deadline for subsidy and internship application is January 31, 2001.

Payment must be made in full by April 30, 2001. Prior to April 30, 20% of the registration fee is non-refundable. After April 30, 2001, the course fee is non-refundable.

For further information and registration, please contact:

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CALL FOR PAPERS

Commemorating 50 Years of UNHCR Guest Editor: Elisabeth Rehn

The Centre for Refugee Studies invites contributions for an upcoming issue of *Refuge* dedicated to commemorating the 50th anniversary of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.

The UNHCR, since its creation in 1951, has protected and assisted countless persons in displacement, either within or outside their home countries. As we approach the 50th anniversary of the organization, this issue of *Refuge* will review the evolution of the organization, the limitations of mandate and structure, and successes achieved.

Papers may address topics including, but not limited to the role of UNHCR in situations of on-going conflict; the role of UNHCR in assisting internally displaced persons; the evolution of UNHCR from 1951 to the present; the engendering of UNHCR policy and practice; the impact of donor politics on UNHCR practice; regional/country-specific examinations of the work the organization; the role of UNHCR in the return of displaced populations; the role of UNHCR policy in the evolution of international refugee law; as well as prospects and challenges for UNHCR in the coming decade and beyond.

Papers should be typed, double-spaced and referenced in proper academic form. They should not exceed 24 pages or about 6000 words. Shorter papers, book reviews and case comments are also welcome. A brief abstract (100-150 words) and a two sentence institutional identification of the author must be provided. All submissions should be word processed and sent on disk or by email attachment.

On accepte aussi des articles en français. Le style doit conformer aux normes exigés pour les articles rédigés en anglais.

Deadline for Submissions: February 28, 2001

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