

Diefenbaker Policy Fellow

In recognition of The Right Honourable John G. Diefenbaker's outstanding public service as one of Canada's foremost parliamentarians, the Johnson-Shoyama Graduate School of Public Policy has created the **Diefenbaker Policy Fellowship** in the former Prime Minister's honour. The Fellowship will be awarded annually to a scholar whose research relates broadly to the School's mandate of furthering the study of public policy and public administration in Canada.

The Johnson-Shoyama Graduate School of Public Policy, with campuses at the University of Saskatchewan and the University of Regina, is a unique collaboration between the two universities in the fields of public policy and administration in Canada. The School offers Master's programs in public administration, public policy, and international trade and a PhD program in public policy. Its existing strengths are in the areas of health and social policy; science, technology and innovation; leadership and governance; and trade and transnational regulation. For more information, please visit the School's website at www.schoolofpublicpolicy.sk.ca.

The Diefenbaker Policy Fellow will be located with the School's U of S faculty in the Diefenbaker Building on the campus of the University of Saskatchewan in Saskatoon. The Diefenbaker Building is also home to the Diefenbaker Canada Centre – Canada's only combined Prime Ministerial archives, museum, and research centre – and the University's Centre for the Study of Co-operatives.

The Diefenbaker Policy Fellowship will typically be awarded for a period of six or twelve months. The modest stipend associated with the Fellowship is \$10,000 per six-month appointment. Additional funding may be available for research-related expenses. Office space and access to clerical support will also be provided. The Diefenbaker Policy Fellow will be required to deliver at least one public lecture during their appointment.

The Fellowship is open, in terms of rank and discipline, to new and established scholars, as well as to individuals outside the academic community whose writing, research, or public career have contributed significantly to public policy, public management, or public administration in Canada.

The Johnson-Shoyama School is seeking individuals interested in applying for the Diefenbaker Policy Fellowship for 2010-11. Those interested should submit the following documentation:

- a proposal detailing the contributions to be made during the appointment (in addition to the required public lecture), as well as preference for length and timing of Fellowship;
- a current curriculum vitae; and
- two letters of reference.

Proposals should be submitted by Friday, April 30, 2010, to:

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