

Postdoctoral Fellows (2)

October 2020



Dr. Ken Coates, Professor and Canada Research Chair in Regional Innovation at the [Johnson Shoyama Graduate School of Public Policy \(JSGS\)](#), University of Saskatchewan campus, is recruiting for two postdoctoral fellows. These emerging scholars will work with Dr. Coates' research team and our partners at the Canadian Council for Aboriginal Business and Mokwateh Consultancy on an investigation of Indigenous economic development in Canada.

The research team will be looking at the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on Indigenous economic development corporations and prepare a series of business cases on Indigenous companies as part of a general project on economic and commercial initiatives in Indigenous communities. The researchers will, with the assistance of our partners, interview business leaders, review company documents and reports, and prepare publishable materials on Indigenous commercial activities. The researchers can be based anywhere in Canada and will report to Dr. Coates.

We are seeking emerging scholars with a research background in Indigenous affairs and are particularly eager to identify Indigenous scholars interested in the field. The successful candidates will hold a PhD in any field in the social sciences, humanities, business, or other relevant disciplines.

There are two postdoctoral fellowships that will be for a one-year term beginning as soon as possible. The compensation rate is \$50,000 annually. These positions will be in-scope of the [Public Service Alliance of Canada, Local 40004](#).

Applications will be reviewed commencing November 1, 2020, and will continue until the position is filled. Interested candidates are invited to send their applications – including a cover letter, current CV, and the names and contact information of three references as a **SINGLE PDF file** to:

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For more information about Dr. Coates' background and research, please visit <http://kencoates.ca/>.