

Application for Research Fellow or Affiliate Status  
Personal Statement

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I wish to become a Research Fellow for the Centre for Youth & Society for a three-year term. I fully support the mission and goals of the Centre, namely:

*Mission:* To promote the well-being of youth from diverse social, economic, and ethnic backgrounds, across developmental transitions, and in evolving societal circumstances.

*Goals:*

- To provide for the generation and dissemination of knowledge concerning strengths, challenges, opportunities, and problems of youth.
- To ensure that the concerns of youth themselves and of society as a whole are identified so that programs, research, and training priorities are responsive to these concerns.
- To advance inter-disciplinary community-based research on adolescent health and development, to train specialists in interdisciplinary community-based research, education, and health-care of adolescents.
- To advocate for youth with policy-makers and research funding agencies.

In all of our research, emphasis on ethical approach and scientific rigor is applied.

I agree to adhere to high ethical principles in the conduct and dissemination of research. I have no conflict of interest that may reflect negatively on the Centre for Youth & Society and I agree to acknowledge my Research Fellow status in published work.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominated by (include name, affiliation, and contact information): \_\_\_\_\_

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