**Upcoming Workshops**

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<td>FRANCISCO ADAME (Western University) “Sovereign default, domestic banks, and financial repression” 12:00 – 1:00 p.m., Room 4032 SSC</td>
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**News and Announcements**

**Politics, Philosophy and Economics Program – Special Event**
The Politics, Philosophy and Economics program at Western is pleased to host a special event this year. Chris Essert, Professor of Law at the University of Toronto will speak on “The Use and Value of Public Space” on **Thursday, October 24** in SSC 4161 from 4:00-5:30 p.m.

**Own Your Future Events – Social Science Graduate Student**
Own Your Future is a professional development program specifically for PhD students that offers workshops on a wide variety of topics. The event will be held **Monday, November 4** in UCC 56 from 1:00-2:30 p.m. For the full list of events, visit [Western Connect](#).

**The Impact of Post-Crisis Regulation on Financial Markets Conference— Call for Papers**
The Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia presents The Impact of Post-Crisis Regulations on Financial Markets Conference which will examine how post-crisis policies have changed the behavior of individual banks and other institutions. The conference will be held at the Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia on **March 6, 2020**. The deadline for [submission](#) is Friday, **November 22, 2019**.
Who’s Doing What


Research Notices

Research Grant Funding Opportunities
Current research grant funding opportunities are available at the following link. For additional information and/or questions, please see Karin.

https://www.uwo.ca/research/rds/ROLA/ROLAFrameset.html

Research Grant Applications – Department Procedures

*Please submit a paper copy or email a pdf of all internal and external research grant applications, including contracts, to Karin for review and subsequent Chair approval/signature prior to submitting your application electronically. Completion and submission of the ROLA is also required in order to obtain institutional approvals for research grant/contract applications. Please see Karin if you need assistance.

Policy Changes – Travel and Expense Procedures
Western Financial Services revised the MAPP 2.16 Travel and Expense Policy effective July 1, 2018. Please refer to the Department Intranet for updates.