

## COMPLEMENTARY FUNDING

### Individual Grants

- 2011-2014 : *Conseil de recherche en sciences humaines du Canada (CRSH)* - 86 805 \$  
Programme de recherche sur « La coopération internationale sur le contrôle des migrations internationales, entre souveraineté et protection des droits et libertés ».

### Team Grants

- 2014-2018 : *Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC)* - \$199 515  
Grant for a team lead by Idil Atak (Criminal Justice and Criminology, Ryerson University), and composed of François Crépeau, Graham Hudson (Criminal Justice and Criminology, Ryerson University), Delphine Nakache (School of International Development and Global Studies, University of Ottawa), and Stephanie Silvermann (Nathanson Centre on Transnational Human Rights, Crime and Security, York University, Toronto), for a project on “Securitization of migration and asylum in Canada: A comparative analysis of policy consequences and human rights impact”.
- 2014-2019 : *Fonds québécois de recherche sur la société et la culture (FQRSC - Soutien aux infrastructures de recherche des Instituts et des Centres affiliés universitaires du secteur social)* - 1 800 000 \$  
Co-chercheur dans une demande soumise par la Prof. Cécile Rousseau (Psychiatrie transculturelle, Université McGill), pour un Centre de recherche sur « Santé, intervention sociale et immigration : des transformations globales aux adaptations locales ».

## PUBLICATIONS

### Chairholder’s Academic Publications

ATAK, Idil, CRÉPEAU, François, “National Security, Terrorism and the Securitisation of Migration”, in: CHETAIL, Vincent, BAULOZ, Céline, *Research Handbook on International Law and Migration*, London: Edward Elgar Publishing, 2014.

# REPORT OF ACTIVITIES 2013-2014



CHAIRE HANS ET TAMAR OPPENHEIMER  
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IN PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL LAW

\*This report covers the activities from September 2013 to December 2014. For the coming years, the reports will follow the calendar year.

ATAK, Idil, CRÉPEAU, François, "Managing migrations at the external borders of the European Union: Meeting the human rights challenges" (2014) 5 *European Journal of Human Rights* 591.

ATAK, Idil, CRÉPEAU, François, "The Securitization of Asylum and Human Rights in Canada and the European Union", Chapter 8, in JUSS, Satvinder Singh, HARVEY, Colin, *Contemporary Issues In Refugee Law*, London: Edward Elgar Publishing, 2013.

CRÉPEAU, François, "The Human Rights of Migrants", in *Migration: The COMPASS Anthology*, Oxford: COMPASS, 2014. Online at: <http://compasanthology.co.uk/human-rights-migrants/>

CRÉPEAU, François, SHEPPARD, Colleen (eds.), *Human Rights & Diverse Societies*, Cambridge: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2014.

CRÉPEAU, François, "Protecting Migrants' Rights: Undocumented Migrants as Local Citizens", in: CRÉPEAU, François, SHEPPARD, Colleen (eds.), *Human Rights & Diverse Societies*, Cambridge: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2014.

CRÉPEAU, François, « Préface », in: Christel Cournil, Benoît Mayer, *Les migrations environnementales*, Paris: Presses De Sciences Po, 2014.

CRÉPEAU, François, "In defence of William Schabas and his UN commission", *The Star* (24 August 2014), online: [www.thestar.com/opinion/commentary/2014/08/24/in\\_defence\\_of\\_william\\_schabas\\_and\\_his\\_un\\_commission.html](http://www.thestar.com/opinion/commentary/2014/08/24/in_defence_of_william_schabas_and_his_un_commission.html).

CRÉPEAU, François, "Migrants have rights", in: *Globe – The Graduate Institute Review*, no. 13, Spring 2014, 20.

HASTIE, Bethany, CRÉPEAU, François, "Criminalising irregular migration: The failure of the deterrence model and the need for a human-rights-based framework", (2014) 28 *Journal of Immigration, Asylum and Nationality Law* 213-236.

### **Chairholder's Publications as Special Rapporteur**

Report of the Special Rapporteur on the human rights of migrants to the United Nations General Assembly: The human rights of migrants in the Post-2015 Development Agenda, A/69/302, 11 August 2014: [www.ohchr.org/EN/Issues/Migration/SRMigrants/Pages/AnnualReports.aspx](http://www.ohchr.org/EN/Issues/Migration/SRMigrants/Pages/AnnualReports.aspx)

Report of the Special Rapporteur on the human rights of migrants, to the United Nations Human Rights Council: Labour exploitation of migrants, A/HRC/26/35, 20 March 2014: [www.ohchr.org/Documents/Issues/SRMigrants/A.HRC.26.35.pdf](http://www.ohchr.org/Documents/Issues/SRMigrants/A.HRC.26.35.pdf)

« Préface du Rapporteur spécial des Nations Unies pour les droits de l'homme des migrants – Foreword from the Special Rapporteur on the Human Rights of Migrants – Prefacio del Relator Especial de las Naciones Unidas sobre los derechos humanos de los migrantes », *Revue québécoise de droit international*, Numéro hors-série « Defending the Human Rights of Migrants in the Americas : The Nadège Dorzema et al v Dominican Republic Case », novembre 2013, 21-25.

*Report by the Special Rapporteur on the human rights of migrants to the United Nations General Assembly: Global Migration Governance*, A/68/283, 7 August 2013, <http://daccess-dds-ny.un.org/doc/UNDOC/GEN/N13/421/15/PDF/N1342115.pdf>

“Chapter 11: Special Rapporteur on the Human Rights of Migrants”, in: *UNITED NATIONS SYSTEM CHIEF EXECUTIVES BOARD FOR COORDINATION, International Migration and Development: Contributions and Recommendations of the International System*, coordinated by UNFPA and IOM, Geneva, September 2013, 173-183. [www.unfpa.org/webdav/site/global/share/d/documents/publications/2013/CEB%20Pub.%20International%20Migration%20and%20Development.pdf](http://www.unfpa.org/webdav/site/global/share/d/documents/publications/2013/CEB%20Pub.%20International%20Migration%20and%20Development.pdf)

## Research Associates' Publications

ATAK, Idil, SIMEON, J. C., “Human trafficking: Mapping the scope and legal boundaries of international refugee and criminal justice”, (2014) *Journal of International Criminal Justice*, special issue on “Refugee Law and International Criminal Justice” 1019.

ATAK, Idil, Book review: Mikael Rask Madsen, *La genèse de l'Europe des droits de l'homme. Enjeux juridiques et stratégies d'État France, Grande-Bretagne et pays scandinaves, 1945-1970*, Strasbourg, Presses universitaires de Strasbourg, 2010, 26 :2 *Revue québécoise de droit international* 257.

PETERSON, Michel, « Premier Carnet de travail : Un trou dans la nuit » dans *Roads of Bones and Ashes*, La Compagnie à Numéro, 2014.

PETERSON, Michel, « Au-delà du mal... le non-sujet : Entretien avec Michel Brun » (2014) 23 :1 *Filigrane : écoutes psychanalytiques* 139, en ligne : [http://www.revuefiligrane.ca/spip.php?article6&id\\_rubrique=4&id\\_article=6](http://www.revuefiligrane.ca/spip.php?article6&id_rubrique=4&id_article=6)

PICHÉ, Victor, « Le paradoxe des nouvelles formes de contrôle des mobilités : entre les besoins d'ouverture et les réponses de fermeture » Conférence du Colloque international de l'ACSALF, présentée à l'Université d'Ottawa, 17 octobre 2014 [non publiée], en ligne :

<http://oppenheimer.mcgill.ca/IMG/pdf/VP2.pdf>

PICHÉ, Victor, « Production/gestion de l'incertain : les populations migrantes face à un ordre mondial de plus en plus répressif », dans VRANCKEN Didier (dir), (2014) *Penser l'incertain*, Presses de l'Université Laval, coll. Sociologie contemporaine, pp. 173-202.

PICHÉ, Victor, *Profession démographe*, collection « Profession », Montréal, Presses de l'Université de Montréal, 2013.

PURKEY, Anna Lise, “A Dignified Approach: Legal Empowerment and Justice for Human Rights Violations in Protracted Refugee Situations”, (2014) 27:2 *Journal of Refugee Studies* 260.

## ACTIVITIES

### Seminar Series: Slavery Old and New: Labour Exploitation Through the Ages and Around the Globe

*With the McGill Institute of Comparative Law*

#### January 8, 2014

Annie Bunting, Associate Professor, York University Law & Society Program  
Women's Oral Histories, and the case of Conjugal Slavery in War

#### April 8, 2014

Ariela Gross, Professor, University of Southern California Gould Faculty of Law  
All Born to Freedom? Comparing the Law and Politics of Race and the Memory of Slavery in the US and France Today

### Seminar Series: Labour Migration, Development, & Human Rights

*With the McGill Labour Law and Development Research Laboratory*

#### October 27, 2014

Bethany Hastie, Doctoral Candidate, McGill University Faculty of Law

Migrant Labour: Conditions for/of Unfreedom under Canada's Temporary Foreign Worker Programs

**November 10, 2014**

*Gabriela Medici, Doctoral Candidate, University of Zurich Faculty of Law*

Counterbalancing the Legislative Precariousness of Domestic Carework in Switzerland through Civil Rights – Potentials and Limitations of the Human Rights-Centred Approach in the Swiss Context

**Meetings Hosted**

**October 16, 2014**

*Canadian Association of Refugee Lawyers*  
National Conference & Annual General Meeting

**Other Seminars & Events**

**October 6, 2014**

*Rosa Freedman, Senior Lecturer, Birmingham Law School*

Polishing the Crown Jewel: Why we need to protect and strengthen UN Human Rights Special Procedures

**October 15, 2014**

*Francois Crépeau; Jill Hanley, Associate Professor, McGill University School of Social Work; Enrique Llanes, Coordinator of the Temporary Foreign Association; Tess Tesalona, Co-founder of the Immigrant Workers Centre, Coordinator of the International Migrant Alliance*

Film-screening and Panel Discussion: The End of Immigration?

**Teaching: Immigration and Refugee Law**

Pr. Crépeau re-designed the McGill Faculty of Law's main course in Immigration and Refugee Law to maximize student engagement with contemporary migration issues and challenges, including their relations to domestic and international human rights law. He delivered the course from 3 September 2014 to 4 December 2014. 64 undergraduate students and 4 graduate students enrolled.

## **FINANCIAL SUPPORT PROVIDED**

**The Road of Bones and Ashes**

The Chair supports the ROBAA project ([www.robaa-fr.org](http://www.robaa-fr.org)), lead by Michel Peterson, a psychoanalyst, social worker, and professor of literature. The Project published its first Carnet de travail, « Un trou dans la nuit » in 2014.

**Travel Grants to Participants in the McGill Centre for Human Rights and Legal Pluralism Human Rights Internship Program**

- McLean Ayearst, B.C.L./LL.B Student, Jesuit Refugee Service, Thailand
- Peter Grbac, B.C.L./LL.B Student, Calcutta Research Group, India

**Chair Research Assistant**

- Bethany Hastie, Doctoral Candidate, McGill University Faculty of Law

**Chair Coordinator**

- William Martin, B.C.L./LL.B Student, McGill University Faculty of Law (until May 2014)
- David Suk, B.C.L./LL.B Student, McGill University Faculty of Law (from May 2014)

**Other**

- Nicholas Caivano, Rathlyn Human Rights Fellow, McGill University Faculty of Law: business case study for the Legal Clinic at Association des aides familiales du Québec / Caregivers' Association of Quebec

## **CHAIRHOLDER**

**François Crépeau** is the Hans & Tamar Oppenheimer Professor in Public International Law at the Faculty of Law of McGill University. In June 2014, he was appointed for a second three-year term as United Nations Special Rapporteur on the Human Rights of Migrants. The focus of his current research includes migration control mechanisms, the rights of foreigners, the conceptualization of security as it applies to migrants, and the Rule of Law in the face of globalization.