



Triadic Mentorship Program

Scholar-mentees receive mentorship to grow their careers and learn from national leaders!

Mentees will craft a personalized development plan in collaboration with an AVA community agency leader and an AVA academic, with the goal of advancing their career objectives. For those interested in becoming mentors, their guidance will play a key role in fostering the growth of the next generation of researchers and practitioners. Academics designated as mentors in the AVA Training Platform Grant will be contacted by an AVA Lead when suitable mentors are sought for mentee applicants.

Apply to become a scholar-mentee or mentor starting January 2025!

Learn more & Apply by October 28, 2024

<https://avatraining.ca/triadic-mentorship-program/>



AVA's National Meeting Outcomes

The AVA Women's and Girls' Health Hub meeting, held on June 19, 2024, and led by AVA Scientific Director Nicole Letourneau and collaborator Bill Barberg, brought together 163 community and academic partners. The discussion focused on urgent issues related to gender-based violence and early childhood adversity. Participants also took part in a two-part regional priority-setting workshop to identify where resources are most needed.

View recording

<https://youtu.be/-gR4XFOyLIU>

For a summary of the meeting's outcomes visit <https://avatraining.ca/reports/>

Funding Opportunities

Are you a Community Agency Partner participating in AVA activities? Apply for Participatory Funding!
Are you an Early Career Researcher? Apply for an Early Career Researcher Teaching Release!

Applications & Guidelines <https://avatraining.ca/funding/#comunity-funding>

Upcoming Events

Spark After Dark

Killer Psyche

Explore the criminology and criminal psychology of crimes, the impact of these crimes on communities, and the options for community support and victim advocacy.

October 11, 6:00 PM - Midnight
Telus Spark Science Centre

18+

Government-issued Photo ID required for entry

Tickets available for purchase

<https://bit.ly/3XCHmRO>

Better Together

Strengthening Public Health in Canada Through Collaboration & Research

Join the O'Brien Institute for Public Health (UC), Dalla Lana School of Public Health (UT), Public Health Agency of Canada, and the School of Public Health (UA) to explore solutions to challenges in research.

October 30, 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Location: **Red & White Club, Calgary & Livestream**

Free Registration

<https://bit.ly/4dfPY6F>

ATLANTIC CANADA PARTNERS NEEDED!

AVA wants to increase its presence in Newfoundland & Labrador, PEI, Nova Scotia, and New Brunswick, and offer community agency internship and triadic mentorship opportunities in Atlantic provinces.

To discuss how you can benefit, contact
avatraining@ucalgary.ca

Join AVA's Committees!

The AVA team is actively seeking members to join the [AVA Online Committee](#), [Triadic Mentorship & Internship Committee](#), and [Scholarships & Funding Committee](#). Your involvement is vital to our success, and we want to hear from you! If you're interested in learning more about these exciting opportunities, please contact avatraining@ucalgary.ca

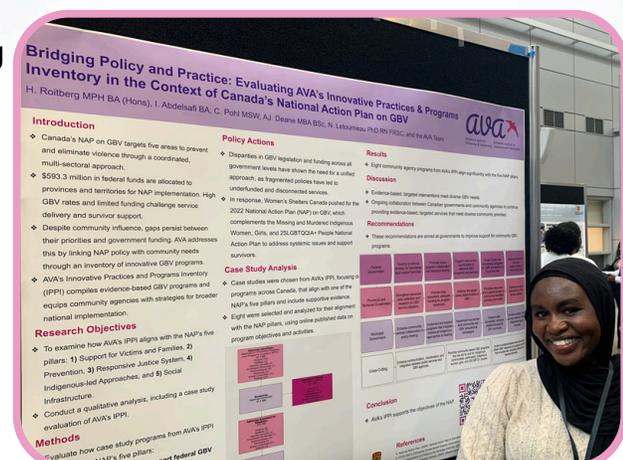
GOOD NEWS!

Congratulations to AVA Summer Students

The AVA team extends its heartfelt congratulations to Helen and Israa for their outstanding presentation at the ACHRI Owerko Symposium.

Their poster, titled "Bridging Policy and Practice: Evaluating AVA's Innovation Practices & Programs Inventory in the Context of Canada's National Action Plan on GBV," showcased their valuable research and insights. This achievement highlights their dedication and the impactful work being done within the AVA initiative.

Well done, Helen & Israa!





October 10

Resilience Scale Master Class, with the **Palix Foundation.**

Register: <https://shorturl.at/HCjo6>



October 15

Entre deux placards | Between two closets, led by **Recherches Appliquées et Interdisciplinaires sur les Violences intimes, familiales et structurelles.**

Register: <https://bit.ly/4erwmO3>



October 25

Gaps and Opportunities in SGBV Related Programming, Research and Funding, with the **Canadian Partnership for Women's and Children's Health.**

Register: <https://shorturl.at/kZvum>



November 15

Responding to Disclosures of SGBV in Newcomers and Refugees Communities, with **RESOLVE AB.**

Register: <https://bit.ly/4eddVga>



November 19

Everyday Challenges Deaf Women Face in the Context of Gender-Based Violence, with the **Centre for Research & Education on Violence Against Women & Children.**

Register: <https://bit.ly/3N1SYzn>

