

Lake Ridge Community Support Services

Behaviour Change for a Sustainable World Research Award

Purpose: To support research using behaviour analysis concepts and principles to promote sustainable practices/environmentally friendly behaviour change. Any applied, basic, or translational study with a primary goal of increasing understanding of human behaviour and environmental preservation/enhancement is eligible for consideration.

Amount: \$650 CAD for 1-year max study/project

Eligibility: Any Lake Ridge Community Support Services employees.

Application: Please complete the Behaviour Change for a Sustainable World Research Award application form.

The successful applicant must be committed to present results at a future LRCSS training event or conference and (should results warrant) to submit an article for publication based on the study.

Duration of Project: Maximum 1 year from time of award

Suggested Readings/Resources:

Potential applicants may find ideas and inspiration from the following readings:

- Association for Behavior Analysis International. (August 2012). Behavior Change for a Sustainable World Conference Program.
- Heward, W. L. (2013). Behavior change for a sustainable world: Ultimate challenge and opportunity for behavior analysts. Inside Behavior Analysis, 5(1), 6-8.
- Heward, W. L., & Chance, P. (Guest Eds.). (2010) Special section: The human response to climate change: Ideas from behavior analysis. The Behavior Analyst, 33, 145-206.
- Heward, W. L., & Kimball, J. W. (2013, Spring/Summer). Sustaining sustainability with clueless contingencies. Sustain Magazine, 28, 4-15.

Application Deadline: August 1, 2019

Selection of Recipient: A committee identified by Lake Ridge Community Support Services Board of Directors will review applications and select recipient. Please email applications and direct questions to Tanya Makela, Clinical Research and Education Supervisor at tmakela@lrcss.com.

Lake Ridge Community Support Services Behaviour Change for a Sustainable World Research Award Application

Please fill out the following information and send to Tanya Makela at tmakela@lrcss.com by **August 1, 2019**.

Applicant Information

First Name:	Last Name:
E-mail	Phone:
Address:	

Work Information

Supervisor Information

Supervisor First Name:	Supervisor Last Name:
E-Mail:	Phone:

Include the following information when you submit the application (maximum 3 pages)

- Application
- Research Proposal that includes the following:
 - 1) Abstract
 - 2) Brief introduction including the background for study
 - 3) Statement of the purpose/importance
 - 4) Outline of method
 - 5) Commitment to present results at a behavior analysis or sustainability conference or professional development event
 - 6) A letter of support from a supervising BCaBA/BCBA/BCBA-D confirming you are eligible and expected to conduct your research on this topic during the upcoming year.