

## Research Fellow (Personal Statement/Nomination)

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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.

To ensure that in all of our research, emphasis on ethical approach and scientific rigor i44P)1(m)-(ph)(asi)(s)11