

Rural Governance Network

NAME	E-MAIL	ORGANIZATION	Governance Research Interest(s)	Active or Passive
Abdul-Rahim Abdulai	abduhrahima@grenfell.mun.ca	Memorial University of Newfoundland-Grenfell Campus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Local governance revenue mobilization Agriculture and food security Indigenous smock industry in Northern Ghana, Sheanut industry in Northern Ghana 	Active
Hacer Celik Ates	hacerates@sdu.edu.tr	Suleyman Demirel University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participation of Rural Women in Sustainable Development Socio-Economic Effects of Rural and Agricultural Structures on Post- 2000 Agricultural Policies The Role of Education and Publication in the Elimination of Rural Poverty 	Active
Jane Atterton	Jane.Atterton@ruc.ac.uk	Rural Policy Centre, SRUC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Policy analysis Research-policy engagement and knowledge exchange Rural community development Rural businesses 	
Ojo Alex Asunni	oj940201@dal.ca	Dalhousie University, Truro Agricultural Campus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Economic Impact of compost on the environment 	Active
Josh Barrett	jbarrett@mun.ca	Government of Newfoundland and Labrador	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mobile work Tourism, Culture, Industry, and Innovation Urban/rural interdependencies 	Active
Josephine Bamanya	jbamanya@uoguelph.ca	University of Guelph	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Indigenous knowledge and practices in the changing agricultural practices amidst climate change. 	Active
Adriana Bessa	Adriana.bessa@geneva-academy.ch	Geneva Academy of International Humanitarian Law and Human Rights	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rights of traditional local communities The new UN declaration on the rights of peasants and other people working in rural areas Right to food and food sustainability The interface between the protection of human rights and the environment 	Active

Ken Bessant	bessant@brandonu.ca	Brandon University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community development and social inclusion 	Passive
Ray Bollman	RayD.Bollman@sasktel.net	Rural Development Institute, Brandon University; University of Saskatchewan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Youth migration and labour Rural structure and trends Rural socio-economic data 	Passive
Jonathan Boron	jboron@sfu.ca	Simon Fraser University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Indigenous community development Resource regimes Regional and collaborative governance 	Passive
Laurie Brinklow	brinklow@upei.ca	University of Prince Edward Island	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Arts and culture as an economic driver Culture and identity "Islandness" and island identity Climate change 	
Vincent Chireh	vkchireh@grenfell.mun.ca	Memorial University of Newfoundland-Grenfell Campus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> regional governance, natural resource development, water and watershed 	Active
Cheron Constance		Wageningen University		Passive
Allison Daniel	danieall@oregonstate.edu	Oregon State University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Natural resource management Renewable energy development Sustainable governance The role of local government in the policy process/ community stakeholder engagement 	Active
Steve Déry	Steve.Dery@ggr.ulaval.ca	Université Laval	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Protected areas and transformation of ethnic minorities livelihoods, marginalization, in mainland Southeast Asia, mostly in Vietnam, Laos and Thailand; including a project: « To whom belongs the landscapes in Asia » (AQAPA in French), with case studies in India, Nepal, China, Laos and Vietnam. Resistance Agriculture: Territories and Societies (in French, it makes ARTS), including post-collectivist agricultures in Poland, Vietnam and Cuba (POVIEC) Charlevoix Landscapes in Quebec: 	TBD

			agricultures and local rooting	
Don Desserud	ddesserud@upei.ca	University of Prince Edward Island	Potential impact of the incorporation of unincorporated rural areas	Passive
John Devlin	jdevlin@uoguelph.ca	University of Guelph		Passive
Elizabeth Fitting	Elizabeth.fitting@dal.ca	Dalhousie University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seed politics • The commons • Rural migration • Temporary foreign workers 	Passive
Karen Foster	Karen.Foster@Dal.Ca	Dalhousie University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Economic sociology, • Rural economic development, • Work and consumption in rural Atlantic Canada • Youth out-migration 	Active
Anna H. Freitas	freitaan@oregonstate.edu	Oregon State University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Watershed governance • Policy networks • Collaborative Governance • Mediation and conflict resolution 	Active
Mary Ferguson	mfergu07@uoguelph.ca	University of Guelph	•	Active
Ryan Gibson	gibsonr@uoguelph.ca	University of Guelph	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multi-community collaboration • Collaborative governance • Comparative rural policy 	
Lars Hallstrom	lars.hallstrom@ualberta.ca	University of Alberta	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food • Community development and social inclusion • Environment • Regional and collaborative governance • Watershed and water 	
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Mohammad Nazrul Islam	nazrulsust05@gmail.com	Memorial University of Newfoundland - Grenfell Campus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Renewable energy and social entrepreneurship in rural area 	Active
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Patrick Lévesque	plleveque@assembly.pe.ca	Office of the Third Party, Legislative Assembly of Prince Edward Island	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Policy analysis (local governance, water resources management) • Citizen engagement • Accountability 	Active
Philip Loring	phil.loring@usask.ca	University of Saskatchewan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food • Indigenous peoples • Environment 	
Brennan Lowery	bclowery@mun.ca	Memorial University of Newfoundland	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 	Active
Terri Macdonald	tmacdonald@selkirk.ca	Selkirk College		Passive
Sarah Minnes	sminnes@grenfell.mun.ca	Memorial University of Newfoundland	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regional and Collaborative Governance • Watershed and water • Environment • Citizen Engagement and Community-Led Decision Making 	Active
Katie Nolan	Katie.Nolan@ontario.ca	Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rural revitalization • Municipal/volunteer relationships • Rural economic development • Community development • Strategic planning • Agri-food value chain development 	Passive
Stephen Penner	penners@uoguelph.ca	University of Guelph	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reconciliation through the lenses of Rural and Indigenous population • Rural Food Security 	Active

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rural experience with technology • Gender differences in the Rural Experience • Water Infrastructure 	
Norman Ragetlie	nragetlie@ruralontarioinstitute.ca	Rural Ontario Institute	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Translating research into policy 	
James Randall	jarandall@upei.ca	University of Prince Edward Island	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resource communities • Island resilience and sustainability 	Active
Terry Rees	trees@foca.on.ca	Federation of Ontario Cottagers' Associations (FOCA)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rural drinking water • Rural broadband • Rural second home ownership • Rural recreation 	TBA
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Kathleen Parewick	kparewick@municipalnl.ca	Municipalities Newfoundland and Labrador		Active
Karen Refsgaard	karen.refsgaard@nilf.no	Norsk institutt for landbruksøkonomisk forskning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Citizen Engagement and Community-Led Decision Making • Watershed and water • Environment • Finances and economics • Food 	
Francesca Regoli	francesca.regoli@unibo.it	Università di Bologna	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regional and Collaborative Governance • Food 	
Nyiauwung Richard	nyiauwungrichard@gmail.com	Grenfell Campus-Memorial University of Newfoundland	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Analysis of fishing rights by local fishermen in rural coastal communities (Case of Fogo Island in NL): Implications of Privatization. • The accessibility and availability of fishery products within communities owning the resource (Export versus Import differential) • -Community embedded initiatives and management of local resources: The role of Cooperatives 	Active
Danielle Robinson	drobin11@uoguelph.ca	BC Rural Network/University of Guelph	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rural tourism as a conduit for learning and cultural sustainability 	Active

David Robinson	drobinson@laurentian.ca	Laurentian University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regional and Collaborative Governance • Citizen Engagement and Community-Led Decision Making • Community development and social inclusion • Environment • Finances and economics • Indigenous peoples 	
Liz Royer	lroyer@vtruralwater.org	Vermont Rural Water Association	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drinking water and source protection • Rural community planning • Watershed management • Local knowledge and the working landscape 	
Choyon Jumar Saha	cksaha@grenfell.mun.ca	Memorial University of Newfoundland-Grenfell Campus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Building community resilience to the impact of climate change • Promoting social licence to operate (SLO) for seafood industry • Ecocertification as a tool of governance for managing local fisheries resources 	Passive
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Judith Stallmann	StallmannJ@missouri.edu	University of Missouri	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Finances and economics • Governance Structure and Best Practices • Regional and Collaborative Governance 	Passive
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Mark Watson	mark.watson@concordia.ca	Concordia University		
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Luis Xie	lxie@ualberta.ca	University of Alberta	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Natural resource development • Rural renewable energy 	Active