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DEGREES

2015	Ph.D. Sociology, Queen's University, Canada
2009	M.A. Sociology, Queen's University, Canada
2006	B.A.H. Sociology, Women's Studies, Trent University, Canada

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

2022-	Assistant Professor , School of Social Innovation, Faculty of Human Sciences, Saint Paul University, Ontario, Canada
2023-	Adjunct Professor , School of Social Work, Faculty of Public and Global Affairs, Carleton University, Ontario, Canada
2022-23	Research Affiliate , Centre for Research and Education on Violence Against Women and Girls, Western University, Ontario, Canada
2018-19	SSHRC Postdoctoral Fellowship , Institute of Feminist and Gender Studies, University of Ottawa, Faculty of Social Sciences Ontario, Canada
2017	Part-time Professor , Institute of Feminist and Gender Studies, University of Ottawa, Faculty of Social Sciences Ontario, Canada
2015	Instructor , Department of Sociology, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Queen's University, Ontario, Canada
2013	Instructor , Department of Sociology, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Queen's University, Ontario, Canada

Professional Experience

2017-22 **Director of Research and Policy**, Women's Shelters Canada, Ontario, Canada

ACADEMIC HONOURS

2016 Canadian Sociological Association's Outstanding PhD Graduating Student Recognition Award

SCHOLARLY AND PROFESSIONAL ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

- 2025- **Director**, Graduate Program, School of Social Innovation, Saint Paul University.
- 2025- **Member**, Advisory Research Group. National Labour Force Strategy for Gender-based Violence Workers, Ending Sexual Violence Association of Canada.
- 2025- **Member**, Well-being Committee, Saint Paul University.
- 2024- **Member**, Faculty Teaching Personnel Committee, Saint Paul University.
- 2024- **Member**, Institutional Policy Review Committee RHR-224-a and RHR-224-b, Prevention of Harassment and Discrimination in the Workplace and Learning Environment, Saint Paul University.
- 2024- **Member**, Interdisciplinary Research Team on Trauma. Saint Paul University.
- 2024- **Executive Secretary**, Professor's Association of Saint Paul University.
- 2024-25 **Board Member**. Research Centre on Social Innovation and Transformation (CRITS). School of Social Innovation. Saint Paul University.
- 2023- **Member**, Senate Library Committee, Saint Paul University.
- 2023- **Member**, Gender-Based Violence Worker Wellness National Advisory Committee, Ending Violence Association of Canada.
- 2022-24 **Board Member**. Mauril-Bélanger Social Innovation Workshop (L'Atelier). School of Social Innovation. Saint Paul University.
- 2024 **President**. Mauril-Bélanger Social Innovation Workshop (L'Atelier). (June – Dec).
- 2020-23 **Member**, Expert Working Group: Specialists Working with Women Survivors, Centre for Research & Education on Violence Against Women & Children, Western University.

- 2020-23 **Community Collaborator**, Victim Services and Vicarious Resilience, Victimology Research Centre, Algonquin College.
- 2017-21 **Member**, Canadian Domestic Homicide Prevention Initiative, Western University.
- 2020 **Knowledge Partner**, Canadian Institute Health Research (CIHR), University of British Columbia.
- 2020 **Member**, Advisory Group, CIHR Health System Impact, University of Toronto.
- 2020 **Reviewer**, SSHRC Insight Grant. Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council.

GRADUATE SUPERVISIONS

Completed: 0 M.A., 0 Ph.D.

In progress: 1 M.A., 1 Ph.D., 1 Postdoctoral Fellow

a. Supervision

1. Mvono, Luc. (M.A). Power and partnership: global affairs Canada's engagement with civil society organizations under the feminist international assistance policy. Faculty of Philosophy and Human Sciences, School of Social Innovation, Saint Paul University [Sept. 2024, in progress]
2. Igbenabor, Anny Amalonyedue. (Ph.D). Bridging gender typecasts in corporate leadership and free enterprise: collaborative pathways in West African socio-cultural context. Faculty of Philosophy and Human Sciences, School of Social Innovation, Saint Paul University [Sept. 2025, in progress]
3. Osman, Muna. (Postdoctoral Fellow). Evaluating the impact of federal funding practices on the communities served by non-profits. Faculty of Philosophy and Human Sciences, School of Social Innovation, Saint Paul University [Sept. 2024, in progress]

b. Supervisory Committee Membership (Examiner)

1. David, Kendal. (Ph.D). The Ontario Disability Support Program and residential care institutions. Faculty of Public and Global Affairs, School of Social Work, Carleton University [Sept. 2022, in progress]

2. Laine, Tor. (Ph.D). Crisis not averted: ethical and practical issues of social work practice in police-crisis teams. Faculty of Social Sciences, School of Social Work, McMaster University [Sept. 2025, in progress]
3. Saha, Chandrabarna. Supporting immigrant women survivors of intimate partner and domestic violence: recommendations for Canadian service providers. Faculty of Social Sciences, Feminist Institute of Social Transformation, Carleton University [completed]

c. Defence Chairing

Since 2022, I have chaired 1 Masters defence at Saint Paul University.

GRADUATE COURSES

- 2025 Organizational Consolidation and Transformation. School of Social Innovation, Saint Paul University.
- 2023- Advanced Practical Seminar: Diagnosis and Recommendation / Incubation of a Project in Social Innovation, School of Social Innovation, Saint Paul University.
- 2024 Collective Action Strategies and Discourses. School of Social Innovation, Saint Paul University.
- 2024 Technology in Social Innovation, School of Social Innovation, Saint Paul University.
- 2023-24 Epistemology and Methodology, School of Social Innovation, Saint Paul University.
- 2023 Special Topics Course: Feminist Social Movements and Gender-Based Violence, School of Social Innovation, Saint Paul University.

EXTERNAL RESEARCH FUNDING

Year	Source	Type	Amount/year	Purpose
2024 - 2026	Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC) Mitacs Accelerate Role: Principle Investigator	Postdoctoral Fellowship	\$50,000	Research Project: Evaluating the impact of federal funding practices on the communities served by non-profits
2022-2023	Women and Gender Equality Canada	Research Grant	\$125,000	Research Project:

	Role: Principle Investigator			Feminist Brain Drain: Labour Issues and Worker Wellness in the Violence Against Women Shelter Sector
2018- 2019	SSHRC Role: Principle Investigator	Postdoctoral Fellowship	\$45,000	Research Project: Violence Against Women Shelters, Labour, and Unionization
2019	Canadian Housing and Mortgage Corporation Role: Principle Investigator	Research Grant	\$125,000	Research Project: Pan-Canadian Second Stage Shelter Study
2017- 2019	Women and Gender Equality Canada Role: Principle Investigator	Research Grant	\$1,000,000	Research Project: National Survey of Violence Against Women Shelters
2011- 2013	SSHRC Role: Principle Investigator	Vanier Canadian Graduate Doctoral Scholarship	\$50,000	Research Project: Automating Social Inequality: How Single Mothers and Caseworkers Navigate the Neoliberal Surveillance of 'Ontario Works,' 1995–2015
2010	SSHRC Role: Co-applicant	Connection Grant Ranked #1 nationally	\$30,000	Conference: Instigate 2010: Anti- Poverty Conference.

INTERNAL RESEARCH FUNDING

Year	Source	Type	Amount/year	Purpose
2025	SPU	SIG Explore	\$5,000	Research Assistant:

				Gender-Based Violence Labour Force Strategy
2023	SPU	SSHRC Explore Grant	\$4000	Research Assistant: Literature review to support a publication

PUBLICATIONS

1. Summary

- Books Authored.....1
 - In progress.....1
- Books Edited
 - Co-Editor.....1
- Chapters in Refereed Books
 - Sole Author.....2
 - Co-Author.....1
- Papers in Refereed Journals
 - Sole Author.....3
 - Co-Author.....2
- Reviews in Refereed Journals.....2
- Major Invited Contributions / Technical Reports.....13
- Refereed Papers Read in Conferences
 - Sole Author.....10
 - Co-Author.....3
- Other (publications).....2

2. Details

a. Books Authored:

1. Maki, K. (2021). *Ineligible: Single Mothers Under Welfare Surveillance*. Halifax: Fernwood Publishing.

2. Maki, K. *Gender-based Violence Workers Pushing Back Against Neoliberalism: Building Collective Care for Collective Power*. Halifax: Fernwood Publishing. (in progress: under advanced contract with Fernwood Publishing)

b. Books Edited:

1. Chateauvert, J., Dufort, P., Durand Folco, J., Gunter, C., **Maki, K.**, Morales Hudon, A., Néméh-Nombré, P., Paquette, J., Stambouli, J., Tremblay-Pepin, S., & Wilson, A. (2025). *Social Innovation for Real-World Transformation: Roadmaps for Changing the World*. Bristol, UK: Policy Press.

c. Refereed Chapters in Books:

1. Maki, K. (2025). Centering Intersectionality and Equity. *Social Innovation for Real-World Transformation: Roadmaps for Social Change*. Edited by Julie Chateauvert, Philippe Dufort, Jonathan Durand Folco, Christopher Gunter, Krys Maki, Anahi Morales Hudon, Philippe Néméh-Nombré, Julie Paquette, Jamel Stambouli, Simon Tremblay-Pepin, and Amanda Wilson. Bristol, UK: Policy Press. Pp. 63-74.
2. Krull, C, and **Maki, K.** (2022). Investing in Families and Children: Family Policies in Canada. *Canadian Families Today: New Perspectives* edited by Patrizia Albanese, Oxford University Press.
3. Maki, K. (2020). Automating Social Inequality. *Infrastructures of Citizenship: Digital Life in the Global City* edited by Deborah Cowen, Alexis Mitchell, Brett Story and Emily Paradis, UBC Press.

d. Papers in Refereed Journals:

1. Maki, K. (2025). Towards a reciprocal solidarity: violence against women shelters, labor, and unions. *Journal of Community Practice*, 1-21.
2. Klostermann, J., Bunting, S., **Maki, K.**, and Przednowek, A. (2025). Care containers: the multilayered politics of boundless work in Canada's victim services sector. *Studies in Political Economy / Recherches En Économie Politique*, 106(1), 40–57.
3. Maki, K. (2023). Breaking the cycle of abuse and closing the housing gap: a mixed methods community-based study on second stage shelters. *Canadian Journal of Nonprofit and Social Economy Research*. 14(2), 1–23.
4. Yakubovich, A. and **Maki, K.** (2021). Preventing gender-based homelessness in Canada during the COVID-19 pandemic and beyond: the need to account for violence against women. *Violence Against Women*.

5. Maki, K. (2011). Neoliberal deviants and surveillance: welfare recipients under the watchful eye of Ontario Works. *Journal of Surveillance and Society*, 9(1): 47-63.

e. Reviews in Refereed Journals:

1. Maki, K. (2017). The Healing Journey: Intimate Partner Abuse and Its Implications in the Labour Market. *Studies in Social Justice*, 11(2): 394-399.
2. Maki, K. (2009). Out There in Here: Masculinity, Violence and Prisoning. *Journal Prisoners on Prisons*, 18 (1/2): 190- 191.

f. Referred Papers Read in Conferences:

Maki, K. (2025). "Building Collective Power: How Anti-Violence Workers Transform Their Labour and the Sector." Annual Conference of the Canadian Association of Work and Labour Studies. McMaster University. Hamilton, Canada. May 30.

Hoogendam, R. and **K. Maki**. (2023). "Feminist Brain Drain in the Violence Against Women Shelter Sector." Congress. York University. Toronto, Canada. Mar 29.

Hoogendam, R. and **K. Maki**. (2023). "Building a National Picture of Gender-Based Violence Worker Wellness in Canada." Shockproofing Communities Summit. Ottawa, Canada. Mar 29.

Maki, K. (2020). "Pan-Canadian Study on Second Stage Housing: Preliminary Findings." Canadian Domestic Violence Conference 6. Halifax, Canada. Mar 5.

Maki, K. and Martin, L. (2019). "Building a Comprehensive Profile of VAW Shelters in Canada: Findings from a National Study." 4th World Conference of Women's Shelters. Kaohsiung, Taiwan. Nov 7.

Maki, K. (2017). "Violence Against Women, Housing, and Homelessness." Canadian Domestic Homicide Prevention Initiative Conference. London, Canada. Oct 19.

Maki, K. (2017). "Violence Against Women, Housing, and Homelessness: National Housing Strategy." Canadian Alliance to End Homelessness Conference. Winnipeg, Canada. Oct 26.

Maki, K. (2014). "An Abusive Neoliberal State: Cutting Marginalized Women's Lifelines to Social Assistance and Women's Shelters." Department of Sociology Graduate Student Symposium. Queen's University, Kingston, Canada. May 7.

Maki, K. (2013). "Neoliberal reforms to social assistance in Ontario Canada: A case study of the cut to the Community Start-up and Maintenance Benefit and Anti-Poverty Resistance." 63rd Annual Meeting Society for the Study of Social Problems. New York, USA. Aug 11.

Maki, K. (2013). "Beyond the academy - Exploring Tensions and Negotiations of Solidarity and Activist Scholarship." Annual meeting of the Canadian Sociological Association. University of Victoria. Victoria, Canada. June 7.

Maki, K. (2010). "Welfare Surveillance in 'Ontario Works': Controlling 'Risky' Populations." Global Surveillance Society Conference. City University. London, UK. Apr 13.

Maki, K. (2009). "Guilty Until Proven Eligible: The Surveillance of Single Mothers on Ontario Works." Department of Sociology Graduate Student Symposium. Queen's University, Kingston, Canada. Apr. 29.

Maki, K. (2009). "Welfare Surveillance and Neoliberalism." Annual Meeting of the Canadian Sociological Association. Carleton University, Ottawa, Canada. May 24.

g. Other (publications):

1. Maki, K. (2025). Building Collective Care and Collective Power: Lessons Learned from Anti-violence Workers. *The Philanthropist Journal*.
2. Maki, K. (2022). Workers Supporting Survivors of Gender-Based Violence are Demanding Change. *The Conversation*.

OTHER ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

a. Invited Speaker

1. Invited Lecturer. (2025). "Parenting, Poverty, and Welfare Surveillance." Communications Studies. Carleton University, Feb 12.
2. Invited Lecturer. (2023). "Professional Development: Activist Scholarship." Gender Studies (virtual). Queen's University, Feb 8.
3. Invited Lecturer. (2023). "Building Relationships with Violence Against Women Shelters." Community of Practice. Military Family Services (virtual). Sept 20.
4. Invited Lecturer. (2022). "Activist Scholarship and Welfare Surveillance." Gender and Women's Studies (virtual). University of Manitoba, Mar 10.
5. Invited Lecturer. (2021). "Ineligible: Single Mothers Under Welfare Surveillance." Gender and Women's Studies (virtual). University of Manitoba, Nov 5.
6. Invited Lecturer. (2020). "Community Based Research and Activist Scholarship." School of Innovation, Saint Paul University (virtual), Ottawa. Dec 1.

7. Invited Lecturer. (2020). "Rethinking Shelter Design During and Post COVID-19." College of Environmental Design, Berkeley University of California (virtual). Oct 21.
8. Invited Lecturer. (2016). "Unpacking the Welfare Surveillance Apparatus." Department of Sociology, University of Ottawa. Sept 22.

b. Departmental Talks

1. Maki, K. (2023). "Trauma Informed Research Design and Practice: Part II Cultivating Collective Care and Vicarious Resilience." Workshop. School of Social Innovation, Saint Paul University, Ottawa. Nov 15.
2. Maki, K. (2023). "Trauma Informed Research Design and Practice Part I." Workshop. School of Social Innovation, Saint Paul University, Ottawa. Mar 1.

c. Public Workshops, Conferences, and Panels

1. Panelist. (2025). "Innovating Community-Based Research Partnerships: Emerging Promising Practices." Research Centre on Social Innovation and Transformation. Saint Paul University. Ottawa, ON. Oct 6.
2. Panelist. (2025). "Sustaining the Sector: Systemic Change to Address GBV Worker Wellbeing." Learning Network and Knowledge Hub. Centre for Research and Education on Violence Against Women and Children. Western University (virtual). Jan 28.
3. Panelist. (2024). "Weaving Worker Wellness: A Dual Launch Event." Women's Shelters Canada and Ending Violence Association of Canada. Saint Paul University. Mar 7.
4. Panelist. (2022). "Canada's National Action Plan to End Gender-Based Violence: Regional Recommendations." Department of Community Health and Epidemiology, Dalhousie University (virtual). Nov 17.
5. Panelist. (2022). "Lighting up the Shadow Pandemic: Violence Against Women, Housing and COVID-19." Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (virtual). June 21.
6. Co-facilitator. (2022). "Vicarious Resilience." Training workshop for Women's Shelters Canada. Ottawa (virtual). Apr 13.
7. Panelist. (2021). "Gender-Based Violence During COVID-19." RSC Celebration of Excellence and Engagement, McGill University (virtual). Nov 15.

8. Presenter. (2020). "Shelter Voices: The Impact of COVID-19 ON VAW Shelters and Transition Houses." Research Spotlight. Ending Violence Association of Canada. Ottawa (virtual). Dec 7.
9. Presenter. (2020). "Pan-Canadian Mixed-Methods Study on Second Stage Shelters: Mobilizing for Advocacy." BCSTH Annual Training Forum. Vancouver (virtual). Oct 21-23.
10. Co-presenter and organizer. (2020). "Breaking the Cycle of Abuse and Closing the Housing Gap: Second Stage Shelters in Canada. Women's Shelters Canada. Ottawa (virtual). Sept 30.
11. Co-presenter. (2020). "Results of a Pan-Canadian Mixed-Methods Study on Second Stage Shelters." Canadian Mortgage and Housing Corporation. Government of Canada (virtual). Ottawa. Jul 8.
12. Co-presenter. (2019). "Findings of a National Survey of VAW and Second Stage Shelters." Women and Gender Equality. Government of Canada. Ottawa. Sept 30.
13. Co-presenter. (2019). "More Than a Bed: Findings from a National Survey of VAW Shelters and Transition Houses." Shelters for the Future: A National Conversation. Ottawa. May 2.
14. Facilitator and presenter. (2017). "Challenges Facing Violence Against Women Shelters in Canada." Octopus Books Community Classroom. Ottawa. Nov 13.
15. Organizer and facilitator. (2017). "Violence Against Women, Housing, and Homelessness Roundtable." Women's Shelters Canada. Ottawa. June 21.

d. Moderated Panels

1. Moderator. (2025). "Social Innovation Lab." Ted-X Saint Paul University. Ottawa, Canada. Sept 15.
2. Moderator. (2025). "Meeting this Moment: Building Disability and Trans Justice Amid Rising Authoritarianism." Research Centre on Social Innovation and Transformation. Saint Paul University. Ottawa, Canada. Mar 19.
3. Moderator. (2025). "Shifting the Funding Landscape: Impact, Challenges, and Innovative Practices from Non-Profit Organizations." Association for Non-Profit and Social Economy Research (ANSER). Congress. George Brown College. Toronto, Canada. May 31.
4. Moderator. (2024). "Science Fiction and Social Movements." Atelier d'innovation sociale Mauril Belanger. Ottawa, Canada. Feb 7.

5. Co-organizer and Moderator. (2022). "Beyond Feminist Brain Drain Symposium." Women's Shelters Canada. Ottawa, Canada. Nov 9-10.

INTERVIEWS AND MEDIA RELATIONS

- 2024 "Féminisme pluriel perspectives des luttes postmodernes: Entrevue Avec Krys Maki." PrésenteEs! Website de L'AFFC. Alliance des femmes de la francophonie canadienne.
- 2023 "Collective Joy as Resistance: The Importance of Collective Care in Gender-Based Violence Activism." Faculty of Human Sciences. Saint Paul University.
- 2022 630 CHED Mornings. Global News, December 12.
- 2022 "Revolution Road: How to End Gendered Violence and Save Women's Lives." By Abigail Matula, Herizons, Summer Vol 36 (2).
- 2022 "Overwhelmed and underfunded, women's shelters say without overhauling the system, they risk turning away more survivors." By Tavia Grant, Molly Hayes, and Elizabeth Renzetti, The Globe and Mail, April 22.
- 2021 "Experts hope new report can serve as a roadmap for national action plan on violence against women." By Molly Hayes, The Globe and Mail, June 22.
- 2021 "A Safe Place to Land." By Samantha McCabe, This Magazine, May 11.
- 2020 "Canada-wide survey of women's shelters shows abuse more severe during COVID-19 pandemic." By Brenna Owen, The Globe and Mail, Nov 25.
- 2020 "Women facing more violence amid coronavirus pandemic: national survey." By Brenna Owen, Global News, November 25.
- 2020 "Emergency funding for women, families fleeing violence is a temporary solution experts say." By Molly Hayes, The Globe and Mail, October 12.
- 2019 "More Than A Bed: National Survey Findings." CBC Radio, Winnipeg (Information Radio); Cape Breton (Information Morning); Kamloops (Daybreak South); Kelowna (Daybreak South); Ontario AM; Whitehorse (A New Day), May 2.
- 2019 "Statistics Canada Transition House Survey." CBC Radio, London (Afternoon Drive); Vancouver (On the Coast); Whitehorse (Airplay); Winnipeg (Up to Speed); Edmonton (Radio Active), April 18.

2017 "GTA women's shelters feeling housing market pressure." By Shallima Maharaj, Global News Television, Toronto, August 31.